Honor Code

The Center for Creativity, Innovation and Discovery ("CCID") is committed to the creation of a community in which respect, honesty, and integrity prevail. The Honor Code articulates the community's expectations regarding personal, social, and academic integrity.

The Honor Code supports the charter of CCID, its vision and mission statement, its academic philosophy, and its disciplinary policy. The vision of CCID is to create a school where students discover the power of their own potential—to learn, innovate, and change the world. The realization of such a vision requires all members of the CCID community to act with respect and integrity.

In accordance with the goals and mission of CCID, all members of the CCID Community will promote respect, honesty, integrity, and the highest standards of personal, social, and academic behavior in themselves and others. They will not participate in lying, cheating, stealing, bullying, or other unbecoming and inappropriate behavior, and they will not tolerate those actions in others.

The CCID Community believes that it is important to tell the truth at all times, and that it is honorable to tell the truth even when that truth demonstrates a mistake or error in judgment. The CCID Community recognizes that it takes courage to face mistakes and accept responsibility for these mistakes and their consequences.

The CCID Community believes that students must engage in honest scholarship in which students' products come from their own minds and efforts. Honest scholarship should govern all tests, long-term projects, and class work. Attempts to help other students with work should be accomplished in such a way as to improve a student's understanding while still allowing a student to demonstrate his/her own efforts. The use

of other scholars' ideas should always be properly cited. The CCID Community encourages scholarly discussion among its students in all subjects, the brainstorming of ideas, group review for understanding, and collaboration in all projects or endeavors.

The CCID Community believes in respect for one another's property, respect for the school building and the content within each space, and respect for the outdoors. All members of the Community refrain from defacing any property or outdoor area, borrowing property without permission, hiding or taking items not belonging to them, and violating a student's or teacher's property and privacy.

The CCID Community believes that using computers, the network, and electronic devices is a privilege that requires integrity and honesty. All members of the Community refrain from tampering with operating systems or other students' files, folders, identities, digital space, email accounts, etc. They also utilize electronic devices for educational purposes and for other purposes only at designated times and places. All members of the Community refrain from using electronic resources to bully, harass, disseminate negative information, or in any other way undermine the learning at CCID. *The Responsible Use Policies* are signed by members of the CCID Community to support the best use of electronic resources.

The CCID Community believes that all its members must engage in honest and respectful behavior. All members of the Community must treat each other with respect, courtesy, kindness, and in a way that acknowledges the dignity of each person. The CCID Community does not tolerate violence, bullying, intimidation, ridicule, or other such behavior from one person to another. All members of the Community must appropriately oppose and protest behavior that lacks respect, courtesy, kindness, and integrity.

I pledge to uphold the CCID Honor Code throughout this school year in my personal, social, and academic behavior.

*As adapted by the CCID School from the Honor Code of the Weilenmann School.

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