

Aum Foundation Student Memorandum 2023-2024 Pathway 2 Opportunity (Huntsville/Madison)

Student Name (please print)_____

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MANDATORY DATES

_____ I understand that <u>my parent/guardian</u> is required to attend parent/guardian orientation on Tuesday, May 23, 2023 from 5:30pm-6:30pm in person.

_____ I understand that I am required to attend the program ribbon cutting on Sunday, June 4, 2023 from 12pm-1pm.

I understand that I am required to attend the first class on Sunday, June 4, 2023 from 1pm-4pm.

MENTORING

You are expected to connect with your mentor at least twice per month for an hour each time. The mentor must sign the weekly meeting log to evidence that the meeting took place.

_____ I understand that I am required to connect at least twice per month (for an hour each time) with my mentor to maintain participation in the program

TABLETS

Tablets will be given to students at the beginning of the program, and will be used throughout the program for program activities.

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CLASSES

You are expected to attend all of the enrichment classes on the Pathway 2 Opportunity calendar. Aum Foundation will provide approximately six (6) enrichment classes throughout the year on a range of topics that Aum Foundation feels is important to student development.



If you miss two classes, you will be subject to dismissal from the program. If a student is late to a class by more than 15 minutes, without first notifying Aum Foundation staff, she will not receive credit for attending the class.

___ I understand that I will be required to attend each enrichment class.

____ I understand that if I miss two enrichment classes, she will be subject to dismissal from the program.

SCHOOL VISITS

You are expected to complete school requirements for Aum Foundation and mentors to meet with you at your school. Each school has different requirements, and it is your responsibility to complete the necessary forms.

I understand that I am responsible for completing necessary forms so my mentor can visit my school.

CONTINUED EDUCATION

If for any reason, you are no longer enrolled in your high school, do not complete your senior year, or decide to not pursue post-high school education, you will be dismissed from the program and not be eligible for a scholarship award or laptop.

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CONDUCT

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COMMUNICATION

If you are unable to attend a meeting with your mentor or unable to attend a class, you need to let your mentor and the Aum Foundation staff know in advance.

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_____ I understand that I am expected to communicate regularly and openly with Aum Foundation staff and my mentor.

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<u>ETIQUETTE</u>

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Parent Signature	Date



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Student Signature

Date

Parent Signature

Date



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Student Signature

Date

Parent Signature



Aum Foundation Student Memorandum 2023-2024 Pathway 2 Success (Selma)

Student Name (please print)_____

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_____ I understand that I am required to attend classes in Huntsville, AL on Sunday, July 9, 2023 from 1pm-5:30pm, Sunday, October 29, 2023 from 9am-4pm, and Sunday, January 14, 2024 from 10am-2pm.

_____ I understand that Aum Foundation will provide free round-trip transportation from Selma, AL to Huntsville, AL and back. In order to use this free transportation to attend the above listed classes I must complete and submit a field trip form signed by a parent.

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