New Lenox School District 122

Anti-Bullying Compact-Student and Parent/Guardian

We the Students/Parents of (School Name) agree to work together to stop mistreatment at our school.

Bullying is defined as intentionally aggressive behavior that can take many forms (verbal, physical, social/relational/emotional, or cyber bullying— or any combination of these); it involves an imbalance of power, and is often repeated over a period of time. The bullying can consist of one child bullying another, a group of children ganging up against one lone child, or one group of kids targeting another group.

Common behaviors attributed to mistreatment include put-downs, name calling, rumors, gossip, verbal threats, menacing, harassment, intimidation, social isolation or exclusion, and physical assaults.

We believe that no one deserves to be mistreated and that everyone regardless of race, color, religion, immigration status, nationality, size, gender, popularity, athletic, academic, social ability, or intelligence has the right to feel safe, secure, and respected.

I agree to:

- Treat everyone with kindness and respect.
- Not engage in verbal, relational, physical bullying or cyber bullying.
- Be aware of the school's anti-bullying policies and procedures.
- Abide by the school's anti-bullying policies and procedures.
- Support individuals who have been victimized by bullies.
- Speak out against verbal, relational, physical bullying and cyber bullying.
- Notify a parent, teacher, or school administrator when bullying does occur.
- Be a good role model.

 _Student's signature
 _Parent's signature
_Date