



Edison Bethune Charter Academy
Master Agreement for Independent Study

Student Name:
Student Number:
Address:
City/Location:
Phone Number:
DOB:
Program Placement:

Agreement Duration:
Beginning Date:
End Date:
Year:
Grade Level:
2nd Phone Number:

Students are required to report to their teacher as follows to submitting work and reporting progress:

Manner of Reporting: One-on-one Small Group E-mail Fax.

Time: _____.

Frequency: _____.

Place of Meeting: _____.

Method of Study: Specific methods of study will be designated on the Student Assignment Sheet and Attendance Record incorporated herein. Examples of methods of study for the student will include but are not limited to: Independent Reading Textbook Activities Problem Solving Study Projects Drill & Practice Experiential Learning Computerized Curriculum Web/Internet Research Library Research Field Trips Learning Center Courses Other _____.

Method of Evaluation: Academic evaluations will be designated on the Student Assignment Sheet and Attendance Record incorporated herein. Examples of acceptable methods of evaluation include but are not limited to: Teacher-made Tests Student Conferences Progress/Report Cards Chapter/Unit Tests Work Samples Observations Portfolios State Standards Testing Learning Journals Presentations Quizzes Labs Finals Other _____.

Resources: The Charter School will provide appropriate instructional materials and personnel to enable the student to complete the assigned work. Resources must include those reasonably necessary to the achievement of the objectives and must include resources that are normally available to all students on the same terms as the terms on which they are available to all. Assignments and specific resources will be designated on the Assignment and Attendance Record incorporated herein.

Maximum Length of Time: For pupils in all grade levels, the maximum length of time that may elapse between the time an assignment is made and the date by which the pupil must complete the assigned work shall be twenty (20) school days.

A pupil may miss five (5) assignments during any period of twenty (20) school days before an evaluation is conducted to determine whether it is in the best interests of the pupil to remain in independent study. Therefore, when any pupil fails to complete five (5) assignments during any period of twenty (20) school days, the Executive Director/Principal or designee shall conduct an evaluation to determine whether it is in the best interests of the pupil to remain in independent study. A written record of the findings of any evaluation conducted pursuant to this Policy shall be treated as a mandatory interim pupil record. This record shall be maintained for a period of three years from the date of the evaluation and if the pupil

transfers to another California public school, the record shall be forwarded to that school.

Objectives: The student will complete the courses listed below. All course objectives will be consistent with the established charter school's board policy and are consistent with charter school standards, as outlined in the charter school's subject/course descriptions. Assignment Sheet and Attendance Record will include additional descriptions of the major objectives and activities of the courses of study covered by this agreement including the evaluation of student work and is incorporated herein. The term "Course Value" ("CV") refers to the number of credits (secondary education) or weeks of work (elementary education) the student will attempt.

Course Credits or Other Measures of Academic Achievement to be Earned Upon Completion

[TAILOR COURSES AND CREDIT]

Category	Subject	CV	Modified (Yes/No)
Language Arts	English 9	5	No
Mathematics	Algebra 1	5	No
Social Studies	World History	5	No

Voluntary Statement: It is understood that independent study is an optional educational alternative in which no pupil may be required to participate. In the case of a pupil who is referred or assigned to any school, class or program pursuant to Education Code Section 48915 or 48917, instruction may be provided to the pupil through independent study only if the pupil is offered the alternative of classroom instruction.

Signatures and Dates:

I have read and I understand the terms of this agreement and agree to all provisions set forth.

Student: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian/Caregiver: _____ Date: _____

Supervising Teacher: _____ Date: _____

Other Person Who Has Direct Responsibility for Providing Assistance to the Pupil: _____ Date: _____

Other Person Who Has Direct Responsibility for Providing Assistance to the Pupil: _____ Date: _____

Other Person Who Has Direct Responsibility for Providing Assistance to the Pupil: _____ Date: _____

[PUT N/A IF THERE IS NO "OTHER PERSON"]