

PRESIDENT'S CHALLENGE SCHOLARSHIP

In Honor of President Emeritus Robert T. Brown

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PCS PROMISE

AS A PRESIDENT'S CHALLENGE SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT...

1. I PROMISE TO BE A RESPONSIBLE STUDENT

To go to school each day and complete all my assignments on time, even when the work challenges me, or when I have other demands or commitments. I will figure out a way to make school my priority and if I get off track, feel overwhelmed, or need help, I will ask for help.

2. I PROMISE TO BE ACTIVE IN AND OUT OF THE CLASSROOM

I will try to be present in everything I do - giving it my best to engage in productive discussion with my classmates and teachers. Whether I choose to be on stage, on the court or field, writing or drawing, working or helping at home, I will always show up and try to be a little better than I was yesterday.

3. I PROMISE TO CHOOSE AND ACT WITH KINDNESS

Whether it's my teachers, friends, family, or other kids at school or in the community, I will always treat others with respect. I understand my words and actions have power - and I will choose them carefully.

4. I PROMISE TO HAVE AN OPEN MIND & TO BE READY TO LEARN NEW PERSPECTIVES

I may not always agree, but will listen and ask questions to better understand those around me.

5. I PROMISE TO SET A GOOD EXAMPLE FOR OTHERS

I will approach each situation, even the most difficult, with positivity, critical thinking and will think before I speak. I understand I may have others around me that look up to me, whether it's my siblings at home, my friends at school, or other students in the PCS Program. I have the power to teach them through what I say and do.

6. I PROMISE TO MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO PARTICIPATE IN PCS ACTIVITIES

Whether it's connecting with my PCS high school mentor, attending a College Connections Workshop at my high school with my PCS College Mentor, visiting campus or participating in other activities my school has been invited to at SUNY Ulster, I will try my best to attend and learn something new with each experience.

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