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## MINNESOTA ACADEMICA DECATHLON CODE OF CONDUCT PARTICIPANT STATEMENT

As a student participating in the Minnesota Academic Decathlon, I understand and accept the following responsibilities when participating in all events:

- I will respect the rights and beliefs of others and will treat others with courtesy and consideration.
- I will be fully responsible for my actions and the consequences of those actions.
- I will respect the property of others.
- I will respect and obey the rules of my school, the host site and the laws of my community, state and country.
- I will abide by the rules of the event.
- I will show respect for and abide by the decisions of the competition officials and host site personnel.
- I will use the proper protocol of communications and grievance procedures. Grievances are to be brought to my coach, who will in turn share the grievance(s) with the competition coordinator in writing. The Competition Coordinator(s) will then forward the written concern to the State Director if necessary. The State Director's decision is final.
- By signing this statement I acknowledge that I have read and agree to the above statements.
- I understand that failure to adhere to this Code of Conduct may result in the disqualification of the student and/or the team from further participation in any event for the remainder of the academic competition season if the adherence failure occurs before the state competition. If the adherence failure occurs during the state competition, disqualification may carry over to the following season.

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Student's Signature

Grade

Date

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Parent/Guardian's Signature

Date