FORUM for DEMOCRACY USA

Code of Ethics
For Students

- I will take responsibility for my personal behavior, speech and actions.
- I will get to class on time and will honor all commitments I make with my study groups or teammates.
- I will be respectful of others.
- I may challenge an opposing point of view, but not attack an opponent personally.
- I will not use inflammatory language.
- I will not interrupt others when they are speaking.
- I will moderate my tone of voice.
- I will disagree without being disagreeable.
- I will listen respectfully and acknowledge as appropriate when others make valid points or arguments.
- I will speak truthfully and use factual data from reliable sources.
- I will be gracious in both victory and defeat.
- I will strive to foster diversity, inclusion and equity.
- I will not discriminate on the basis of race, ethnicity, religion, creed, gender, gender identity, sexual orientation, national origin, age or ability.

I Pledge!

FIRST NAME _____   LAST NAME _____

SIGNATURE _____   DATE _____

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For Educators

- I will treat all students equitably.

- I will be respectful when interacting with students, parents and other educators.

- I will address uncivil behavior by naming it and asking students to move toward a more respectful dialogue.

- I will hold students accountable by challenging them to speak the truth and act with integrity.

- I will enforce all rules in my classroom fairly and equally.

- I will strive to foster diversity, inclusion and equity.

- I will not discriminate on the basis of race, ethnicity, religion, creed, gender, gender identity, sexual orientation, national origin, age or ability.

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