### **EICS Cogito Academy Parent Commitment Declaration**

As a parent/guardian of a Cogito Academy student, I understand and agree to the following principles:

- EICS Cogito Academy:
  - Is a program of choice
  - Supports the full integration of Catholic Teachings throughout all subjects, including the essential component of the religious education program for all students
  - Is traditional in its teaching methods and philosophy of building on, and enriching, the Alberta Education curriculum
  - Only assesses and reports on the outcomes outlined in the Alberta Program of Studies
- EICS Cogito Academy maintains high expectations for:
  - Student engagement in all school wide Catholic celebrations, service projects, and events to foster relationships with each other and Christ
  - Student behavior, dress, and engagement to foster a safe and respectful learning environment
  - Student attendance as excessive absences disrupt learning
  - Home support for homework in a distraction-free space
  - Regular homework completion
  - Parent/School collaboration (responding to teachers requests, attending parent teacher conferences, supporting homework/agenda checks)

Should my child be at risk of not meeting program expectations or thriving in the cogito environment, I will:

- Commit to supporting and contributing to the creation and implementation of a personalized improvement plan and/or agreement that aligns with the expectations as needed. The improvement plan may or may not include items such as:
  - Homework Agreement
  - Behavior Contract

Should my child not meet with success after implementation of the personalized improvement plan or agreement, I could:

• Expect that my child will be recommended for alternative programming.

This commitment helps to ensure that Cogito Academy fosters each student's academic growth and faith within a structured, supportive environment, enabling every student to thrive in their ideal learning setting.

## Cogito Student Commitment Declaration Kindergarten - Grade 4

### As a Cogito Academy student, I promise to:

### 1. Try My Best

- o I will listen to my teacher and do my work with care.
- o I will try hard to learn new things every day.

### 2. Be Respectful

- I will use kind words and actions with my teachers, friends, and classmates.
- o I will take care of my school and the things I use.

### 3. Be Ready to Learn

- I will come to school on time, in my uniform, and ready to listen and learn.
- I will bring what I need for class every day.

### 4. Be Responsible

- I will finish my homework and bring it back to school.
- o I will keep my desk, books, and supplies neat and organized.

#### 5. Be Kind and Brave

- I will keep trying, even when things are hard.
- I will show God's love by being caring, honest, and helpful to others.

I promise to be a great learner and show respect for my school, my family, and myself.

Student Name: _	
Date:	



# Cogito Student Commitment Declaration Grade 5-6

### As a student of Cogito Academy, I commit to living and learning:

### 1. I Will Work Hard and Do My Best (Prudence)

- I will make good choices about my learning, think carefully about my actions, and give my best effort every day.
- I will focus on my work, ask questions, and use feedback to grow.

### 2. I Will Treat Others with Respect and Fairness (Justice)

- I will act with fairness and kindness toward my teachers, classmates, and family.
- o I will follow school rules, use polite words and actions, and take care of my school and supplies.

### 3. I Will Persevere Through Challenges (Fortitude)

- o I will work hard, even when learning is difficult or takes time.
- I will learn from mistakes, show courage when facing challenges, and celebrate my progress.

### 4. I Will Take Responsibility for My Actions (Temperance)

- I will complete my homework carefully, stay organized, and manage my time wisely.
- I will come to school prepared and ready to learn, showing self-discipline in my work and behavior.

### 5. I Will Live My Faith in My Words and Actions

- I will honor God by being caring, honest, and respectful to everyone I meet.
- I will strive to be a positive example in my school, my family, and my community.

By living with prudence, justice, fortitude, and temperance, I promise	tc
take responsibility for my learning, behavior, and success at Cogito	
Academy.	

Student Name:	
Date:	COGITO