

**PARADE High School Program
Purposes and Expectations**

Purposes:

- ❖ To support and challenge high school students and their parents who are interested in an Alternative Learning Experience.
- ❖ To offer classes and assist with learning leading to high school credits and graduation.

Because of the quantity of knowledge and skills high school students must acquire, this program functions as a team, with parents and teachers together assisting motivated students to reach their goals. Students in this program are given a greater freedom and therefore greater responsibility for their own education than students in regular public high school.

Characteristics of Successful Students:

- ❖ Strong parental teaching support and involvement
- ❖ High academic motivation
- ❖ Independent learner

PARADE Provides:

- ❖ 5-6 credit bearing classes per year on a four-year rotating basis.
- ❖ Assessment of student needs and all state directed standardized tests.
- ❖ Transcripts
- ❖ Curriculum assistance

Expectations of Students:

- ❖ **Attendance and prepared participation in weekly classes**
- ❖ Active role in class planning and teaching of specific information
- ❖ Willing and flexible attitude
- ❖ Responsibility for own progress

Expectations of Parents:

- ❖ Learn with your student
- ❖ Reinforce concepts covered in the courses
- ❖ Assist them in keeping up to date on work
- ❖ **Attend all monthly curriculum meetings for parents**
- ❖ Keep up to date on paperwork
- ❖ Call whenever you have a question

My signature below acknowledges my understanding of these expectations.

Parent Signature _____ Date _____ Student Signature _____ Date _____

Parent Printed Name _____ Student Printed Name _____