

2015 MCA Teacher/Student/Parent Treaty

trea-ty *n. pl. trea-ties*

- A formal agreement between two or more states, as in reference to terms of peace or trade.
 - The document in which such an agreement is set down.
- A contract or agreement.

Student Name:

My Target Scale Score for the 2015 Mathematics MCA is _____.

STUDENT AGREEMENT In order to meet my target MCA Scale Score in May 2015, I promise to do the following **3 things** between today and the day of the assessment:

- I will come in for help with my math teacher during the following times _____ & _____.
- I will work hard to complete all MCA homework assignments on my own and study the problems I do not get correct..
- I will get 9-10 hours of sleep every night.
- I will drink LOTS of water (8+ glasses) every day.
- I will get oxygen into my brain by working out each day and/or taking 10-20 deep breaths each day. (reduce stress)
- I will spend 10 minutes each day studying & memorizing the vocabulary I need to know for the assessment (looking up words I don't know – use the pink sheet).
- I will spend 10 minutes each day studying MCA Homework's #1-12 and all my cheat sheets.
- I will ask questions every time I don't understand something.
- I will be fully present (pay attention) in mathematics class every day.
- I will retake assessments I don't score at least a 2.5 on.
- I will get help from the following person: _____.
- I will take my time during the MCA test. I will read every problem (twice), use scratch paper, and go back and check my work.
- I will do my best. I promise to take the test seriously and show what I know.
- I will not worry about my score. A test score is just a reflection of one day of my life. As long as I do my best, I am doing all I need to do.
- I will not stay on the escalator. I will believe I can get smarter if I work hard.
- Other/Explain. I will....

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TEACHER AGREEMENT In order to meet my target MCA Scale Score I need my teacher, Ms. Van Der Werf to do the following. Select the TWO items that are the most important to you.

- Ms. Van Der Werf will meet with me before or after school to help me review.
- Ms. Van Der Werf will provide answers to all MCA review materials.
- Ms. Van Der Werf will remind me to relax, get sleep, drink water and exercise prior to the test.
- Ms. Van Der Werf will support me no matter how I do on the MCA.
- Ms. Van Der Werf will teach me how to use scratch paper on the test.
- Ms. Van Der Werf will show me how to use the MCA calculator.
- Ms. Van Der Werf believes I am working hard and will show growth on the MCA.
- Other/Explain: Ms. Van Der Werf will...

PARENT AGREEMENT In order to meet my target MCA Scale Score I need my parents to do the following. Select the TWO items that are the most important to you.

- My parents will work with me on my homework. (do my best on every problem)
- My parents will make sure I get great food to eat and lots of water to drink.
- My parents will make sure I get adequate sleep every night prior to the test.
- My parents will help me reduce stress by doing fun things that make me laugh and/or encourage me to play outside (run around).
- My parents will make sure I am at school ready to test during the week of May 4-8th.
- My parents will talk to me about my strengths and how they can help me when I am testing.
- My parents will support me no matter how I do on the MCA.
- Other/Explain. My parents will....

Student Signature

Parent Signature

Teacher Signature



RETURN THIS FORM TO MS. VAN DER WERF BY APRIL 24, 2015