



Southwest DeKalb High School

SY 2023 – 2024

February 5 – March 29, 2024

(M, T, Th, F 3:30 P.M. – 5:30 P.M. **Feb. 16, 19, and March 8 dates are excluded.**)

Panther Extended Learning Time

Parent/Student Contract

Term 2-1 – Session 2

*****Please print the following information.*****

Student's Name (last name first, first name last) _____

Parent's Name: _____ Cell Number: _____

Address: _____

Course: _____ Final Grade: _____

Expectations and Responsibilities

1. Extended Learning Time Sessions: (Parent's Initials) _____ (Student's Initials) _____

- ELT consists of face-to-face contact hours and is designed for Southwest DeKalb High School Title I students only.
- Students must attend **ALL** of the assigned sessions in order to receive academic credit for the course.
- ELT will be held from 3:30 P.M. – 5:30 P.M. on designated days.
- Eligible students earned a final grade between 55-69 during **Term 1-2 of the 2023-2024 school year.**

2. Preparation: (Parent's Initials) _____ (Student's Initials) _____

- Students must come prepared to class each day with the appropriate materials (i.e.---Chromebook and charger) and homework if assigned.
- Teachers will distribute and review the ELT syllabus on the first day of class. The ELT syllabus will outline important information regarding the ELT session.
- Parents and students are required to review, sign, and return the ELT syllabus by the second day of class.

3. Classroom Rules: (Parent's Initials) _____ (Student's Initials) _____

- All Southwest DeKalb High School and DeKalb County School System rules and policies will be enforced.
- Students must comply with normal dress code regulations as outlined in the DeKalb County School District code of conduct handbook.
- No cell phones or electronic devices, other than the school-issued Chromebook, are allowed during instructional time.
- Students will show respect for self and others at all times.
- Students under suspension may not attend ELT and will be withdrawn from the ELT program.

4. Instruction and Grading Policy: (Parent's Initials) _____ (Student's Initials) _____

- Students are required to complete all classwork, homework, projects, tests, etc. as assigned by the teacher. Work must meet or exceed expectations based upon the rubric and grading policy of the teacher.
- Late work will not be accepted for any reason.
- Students must complete the cumulative exam for the assigned course.
- Original **TERM 1-2 Final Grade** in the course will not exceed a 70/D. Any student who does not successfully complete the program will not see any change to his/her grade.

5. Attendance and Make-up Sessions: (Parent's Initials) _____ (Student's Initials) _____

- **Students are required to attend ALL ELT sessions.**
- Students must be on time to class every day. Students are considered tardy if they are not in class by 3:35 P.M. **Two tardies are equivalent to one unexcused absence.**
- Students that are more than **ten (10) minutes** late will receive an unexcused absence.
- **Students cannot check out early during the program. This will count as one unexcused absence.**
- **Students with three (3) unexcused absences will be dismissed from the ELT session.**

6. Parent/Student Communication: (Parent's Initials) _____ (Student's Initials) _____

- Parents and students will maintain appropriate communication with teachers regarding grades and attendance throughout the program.

7. Transportation: (Parent's Initials) _____ (Student's Initials) _____

- No bus transportation will be provided for the extended learning sessions.
- **Students must be picked up promptly at 5:30 P.M.**

8. Benefits of Grade Recovery: (Parent's Initials) _____ (Student's Initials) _____

- Students can pass a course they are currently failing.
- Students are able to receive assistance from a live instructor.
- Extended Learning time is FREE! (DCSD Summer School courses are \$500 each.)
- Students will be taught in small group settings through a blended learning model.
- Students are receiving the skills needed to be successful on the End-of-Course Test.
- The original failing grade will not appear on official transcript if the program is successfully completed.