## THE EPIC APPLICATION USAGE PLEDGE for 2023-24 CONNECTED CLASSROOM



The district has provided students with access to the Epic! application to enhance student learning within the classroom. While the district has tried to provide access to only the materials in this application that support curriculum standards, there may still be materials with topics that parents find objectionable. All digital tools are to be used in a responsible, efficient, ethical and legal manner. In order to participate in the use of this application, all students must agree to the following expectations:

- I. I will use Epic! as a learning and research tool and understand that it can greatly enhance my ability to be an independent learner.
- 2. I will follow my teacher's directions for using Epic! and only use it when my teacher allows.
- 3. I will ensure my behavior in the Epic! app does not disrupt or interrupt the learning of others.
- 4. I will not use another person's material as my own. I will cite all quotes, references, and sources.
- 5. If I see something inappropriate, I will report it to my teacher.
- 6. I will follow these guidelines both in the classroom and after school hours.
- 7. I understand my iPad belongs to the school and can be searched at any time.

My signature below is my pledge to follow the expectations for using the Epic!	app.
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Student's full name (print)	
Student's signature	
Date	

As a parent/legal guardian of the student, I agree to review the rules listed above with my child and encourage safe, responsible use of the Epic! app. My signature indicates that I will support the responsible use of the Epic! app. If I have questions or concerns about what my child is reading in Epic!, I will communicate with the teacher.

Parent/Legal guardian name
Parent/Legal guardian signature
Date

Board policy requires that an Acceptable Use Agreement be filled out annually in order for students to have access to the technology. These stipulations are set forth in the Mobile Computing Guide and CSD Board Policies (IJNDB, IJNDB-R, JICJ, JICDA).