



Rio Del Oro Elementary
Plumas Lake Elementary School District
A safe and caring learning community where students gain knowledge, skills, and core values necessary to achieve personal success.



Mrs. Tiffany Steele, Principal

Master Agreement for Short Term Independent Study

Student _____ Teacher _____ Grade _____

Plan begins _____. Plan ends _____. Total Days _____

Conditions of Independent Study Contract:

Independent study is available to pupils in grades TK-5 except that no people with exceptional needs may participate unless the Individualized Educational Program (IEP) specifically provides for participation. Assignments turned in late shall be considered “missed assignments”. No attendance credit may be given for missed assignments.

Method utilized to evaluate the pupils work shall be the responsibility of the teacher or principal’s designee. The objective will be to assess work for completion of assignments and pupil’s achievement. Oral and written tests may be administered when necessary to assess the pupil’s achievement of the goals and objectives of the contract. The teacher evaluates the completed work, assigns attendance credit, and academic credit.

Pupil and Parent/Guardian understand that Independent Study is an **optional educational alternative** to classroom instruction consistent with the district’s course of study and agree to participate voluntarily in the program and agree to accept all teacher assignments as given on assignment contract(s).

Assignments completed and submitted by due date will earn full academic and attendance credit. If the students work is unsatisfactory, or incomplete, the school can only grant excused days of absence for the amount of satisfactory work returned. The additional days of absence will be considered an excused, and will count towards truancy limits.

All assignments must be submitted on the contracted day of return.

All parties agree that failure to complete this contract may result in the lowering of a grade and will require evaluation of whether or not the pupil may participate in a future independent study contract.

Student:

I understand and agree to:

- I voluntarily request participation in this independent study agreement and have read and understood the conditions of this agreement.
- I will complete all assignments given to me during the time that this agreement is in effect by the contracted day of return.
- Complete my assigned work and turn into my teacher by its due date, as explained by teacher and described in my written assignment.

Parent/Guardian:

I understand and agree to the above conditions listed under “Student” and I agree that:

- I am responsible for supervising my child while he or she is completing the assigned work and Friends sharing the submission of all completed assignments necessary for evaluation.
- I understand that being on an “Independent Study Contract” does not go towards perfect attendance but my child will get credit for completing their work while away from school.

Agreement: We have read pages 1 and 2 of this agreement and hereby agree to all conditions set forth within.

Student Signature: _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date _____

Teacher Signature: _____ Date _____

Principal/Designee Signature: _____ Date _____