Trinity Academy of Raleigh
HONOR CODE
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Philippians 2:5-11 *Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus, who, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, but emptied himself, by taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men. And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.*

Through the Trinity Academy of Raleigh Honor Code, we will strive to uphold three pillars of our culture: Christ, Scholarship and Community. Our goal is to model biblical principles that serve as the foundation to our three pillars in both the physical and virtual worlds.

In order to be Christ-centered, I will:

- ✦ Show respect for the Old and New Testament Scriptures and for the religious views of others, even when they differ from my own opinions.
- ✦ Model the humility, servanthood and grace of Jesus Christ as described in Philippians 2.
- ✦ Demonstrate respect, kindness and self-control through my words, expressions and actions.
- ✦ Submit to authority without grumbling or complaining.
- ✦ Respect myself and others by holding myself to high, moral, ethical and legal standards.
- ✦ Accept responsibility for my actions.

In order to be Scholarship-centered, I will:

- ✦ Hold myself and others accountable to demonstrate academic honesty and integrity.
- ✦ Do my own work and refrain from using the work or ideas of others without properly crediting them.
- ✦ Not knowingly allow others to copy my work.
- ✦ Offer my best effort for high academic achievement.
- ✦ Encourage a classroom environment that is focused, and free from distractions.
- ✦ Think critically, but resist cynicism.

In order to be Community-centered, I will:

- ✦ Be truthful, encouraging, kind, and polite to students, teachers, staff and guests.
- ✦ Take action to stop bullying, cyber bullying and negative remarks about race, religion, socioeconomic status, appearance or sexuality.
- ✦ Seek to resolve conflicts by addressing my own behavior first and then directly addressing the other person, involving an adult authority if the conflict remains unresolved.
- ✦ Take pride in my campus.
- ✦ Respect the property of others.

In all these ways, I pledge to uphold the three pillars of the Trinity Honor Code.