Chemistry-H Course Covenant

As students, there are certain standards that must be met to ensure your success in the course. These standards apply to both student and teacher. These are outlined below.

Students will:

- **Attend and participate** in class regularly, bringing all required supplies each class period
- **Put forth their best efforts** in all work done
- **Work collaboratively** to solve problems and communicate results
- **Act with integrity and honesty** at all times
- **Reflect upon** their experiences as learners and use those reflections to guide and improve personal development
- **Attend study sessions** whenever course content is unclear or presents continued difficulty
- **Log in to CANVAS daily** to find and complete class assignments and information about assignment deadlines
- **Monitor their own progress** using CANVAS, ActiveGrade and PowerSchool
- **Dress appropriately** for laboratory work, including closed-toe shoes
- **Remember that the chemistry classroom is a working laboratory, and that <u>everyone's</u> safety is important**
- **Complete work** according to posted deadlines
- **Demonstrate empathy, compassion and respect** for others

I will:

- **Design lessons** that engage you in course content in multiple ways to maximize your learning
- **Provide you with objective, constructive feedback** on work you do
- **Hold individual conferences** regarding your grades at the midpoint and end of each grading period
- **Update your grades** on a weekly basis
- **Encourage you to learn about chemistry outside of class**, not just within a laboratory context
- **Model lifelong learning for you** while encouraging you to be inquisitive, curious and expressive
- **Encourage you to be unafraid to take risks** and to be innovative thinkers
- **Support** you in your efforts to take risks with your work
- **Treat you with kindness and respect**
- **Provide you with multiple opportunities** for study sessions with me
- **Model good laboratory behavior and technique**
- **Create a classroom environment that enables you to question, analyze information and think critically**