



## *Parent to Parent Promise*

*2009 – 2010 School Year*

***Mission Statement:*** *To facilitate open, supportive communication among parents and to minimize the opportunity for our children to participate in unsafe and/or illegal behavior.*

*Each year we ask all parents of 6th – 12th graders at GAC to sign the following promise. While this promise speaks directly to the issues of drugs, including alcohol, we hope this will encourage parents to openly support and communicate with each other in all areas as we strive to raise our children to become healthy, responsible adults, and to partner with the school in helping our children grow as Jesus did, in wisdom and stature and in favor with God and man.*

1. When a teen activity or party is planned in my home, I promise there will be no drugs, including alcohol, served or brought in.
2. I promise I will be home and visible throughout the activity or party.
3. If a teen brings drugs, including alcohol, into my home and/or arrives under the influence of drugs, including alcohol, I promise I will ask the teen to remain in my home and immediately notify his or her parents requesting further instruction.
4. I promise I will prohibit any use of alcohol that may already be in my home for adult consumption, and promise no access is granted to the alcohol.
5. I promise I will welcome calls from other parents who have concerns or questions when my teen hosts an activity or party at my home.
6. If my teen is going to an activity or party, I promise I will not hesitate to phone the host's parents to confirm the nature of the party and/or answer any further questions or concerns I might have about the activity or party.
7. If I go out of town overnight and my teen will be home, I promise I will provide supervision and/or notify my neighbors or other responsible adults to check my home as often as necessary and to be available to my teen for support needed.
8. I promise I will discuss the Parent to Parent Promise with my son and/or daughter.
9. I promise I will provide prayerful support to parents whose son and/or daughter are struggling with drugs, including alcohol.

*Signed after prayerful consideration:* \_\_\_\_\_

*Please print name:* \_\_\_\_\_

*Student(s) Names/Grades:* \_\_\_\_\_

*Date:* \_\_\_\_\_