



San Jacinto Valley Academy
INDEPENDENT STUDY CONTRACT (Secondary)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Duration of Agreement: \_\_\_\_\_ Beginning Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Ending Date: \_\_\_\_\_

School Responsibilities:

- This master agreement is in effect for the \_\_\_\_\_ semester for the \_\_\_\_\_ school year.
The major objective for the duration of this agreement is to enable the child to keep current with \_\_\_\_\_ grade studies for the period covered by this agreement.
This agreement is to enable the child to successfully reach the objectives and complete the assignments identified in the Assignment and Work-Record Form(s) that will be a part of this agreement.
For Independent Study in grades \_\_\_\_\_, no more than \_\_\_\_\_ weeks or \_\_\_\_\_ school days may elapse between when an assignment is made by the teacher and the date it is due unless an exception is made in accordance to Ed Code 51747.
San Jacinto Valley Academy will provide the teacher services, instructional materials, and other necessary items and resources as specified for each assignment.
The child will complete, during the term of this agreement, the course work listed below.
Independent Study is a voluntary optional alternative in which no pupil may be required to participate; a classroom option will always be available to the child.
The child's work will be evaluated by the method specified in the Assignment and Work-Record Form(s).
The child agrees to meet with or report to the teacher regularly, in accordance with the frequency, date, time, and location specified in the Assignment and Work-Record Form(s).

Student Responsibilities:

I understand that:

- Independent Study is a form of education that I have voluntarily chosen and I will continuously have a classroom option available to me should I choose to no longer participate in Independent Study.
I am entitled to textbooks and supplies, supervision by a certificated teacher, and all the services and resources received by other children enrolled in my grade.
I have the same rights as other students in my grade at my current school.
I must follow the discipline code and behavior guidelines of the school, in accordance with school policy.
If I do not complete \_\_\_\_\_ consecutive assignments, my incomplete work will result in an evaluation to determine if I should remain in independent study or be immediately returned to a classroom at my last school of enrollment.

I agree to:

- Be supervised by and meet regularly with the assigned Independent Study teacher and/or approved resource personnel responsible for my educational studies as outlined on page one of this agreement.
Complete my assigned work by its due date, as explained by my teacher or teachers and described in my written assignments.

Parent/Guardian/Caregiver Responsibilities:

- I understand that Independent Study is an optional educational alternative for my child that I have voluntarily selected. I agree to the conditions listed under "Student." I also understand that:
Learning objectives are consistent with and evaluated in the same manner that they would be if my child were enrolled in a traditional school program at his/her current school.
If my child has an individualized educational program (IEP), the IEP must specifically provide for his or her enrollment in Independent study.
Unless otherwise indicated, the supervising teacher who signs this agreement will meet with my child on a regular basis as specified on page one of this agreement.
I am responsible for supervising my child while he or she is completing the assigned work and for ensuring the submission of all completed assignments necessary for evaluation by dates due.
I am liable for the cost of replacement or repair for willfully damaged books and other school property checked out to my child.
It is my responsibility to provide any needed transportation for my child's scheduled meetings and any other travel covered by this agreement.
I have the right to appeal to the school administrator any decision about my child's placement or school program in accordance with the San Jacinto Valley Academy's policies and procedures.

AGREEMENT:

We have read this agreement, including the Assignment and Work Record form(s) and hereby agree to all the conditions set forth within.

Student \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian/Caregiver \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Independent Study Supervising Teacher \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher(s) Signature(s) & Date: \_\_\_\_\_