# Principal Commitment Contract

**Purpose**

State Thespians Officers are student leaders who exemplify and promote Texas Thespians over the course of their term. State Thespian Officers enhance the positive environment at Texas Thespian Festival by exhibiting leadership skills, respect for individual differences, building consensus, academic excellence, and modeling appropriate behaviors at all times, both in and outside of school and Texas Thespian events.

# Expectations of an STO

* To serve Texas Thespians for one year (February 14th - July 1st of the following year)
* To attend various meetings, workshops and festivals throughout the year
* Transportation costs and rooming arrangements are the responsibility of the student and school
* Must have the ability to stay in constant communication with fellow STO members, regional students, the adult board, and Thespians in general via email, video conference and social media
* Must meet bi-monthly deadlines and have good time management skills
* Must be proactive and responsible
* Must travel to surrounding schools to see shows and support the Thespian troupes in his/her region
* Must serve as an example of the ideal Thespian

On behalf of **,** a dedicated and talented student at , I express our enthusiastic support for their candidacy for the State Thespians Officer position within the Texas Thespians organization.

As the **of**  , I have had the privilege of witnessing

 grow and thrive as a Thespian, and I wholeheartedly believe that they possess the qualities and commitment necessary to excel in this role.

I endorse for the STO Candidacy and understand the commitments that the student must accomplish during the process.

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| **Candidate:** |  |
| Printed Name**Administrator/Principal:** | Signature | Date |
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