 **D.A.R.E. ARKANSAS**

**SCHOOL PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT**

We, the undersigned, agree, if selected, to participate in the Drug Abuse Resistance Education (D.A.R.E.) Program. We understand the D.A.R.E. program is targeted for delivery to fifth/sixth grade students (Elementary curriculum), seventh/eighth grade students (Middle School curriculum) &/or ninth-twelfth grade students (High School curriculum). A uniformed law enforcement officer will teach at least one of the 10-week curricula and/or the 4-week high school curriculum of drug abuse resistance strategies that will emphasize Responsible & Healthy Decision Making, awareness, peer pressure resistance and communicating confidently.

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| **Chief/Sheriff**    Name: | **School Superintendent**    Name: |
| Department: | School System: |
| Address: | Address: |
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| As chief/sheriff, I agree to make my officer available to instruct the D.A.R.E. curriculum in the school district named within this application. I will, bar emergencies, attempt to limit the officer’s absence from the D.A.R.E.  classroom on his/her designated day(s) of instruction. I agree to provide time for officer(s) to complete the selection process, and 80 classroom hours of certified D.A.R.E. officer training. I also agree to allow the officer(s) to attend any curriculum update trainings that are mandated. | As a school superintendent, I agree to provide classroom space and allot at least 45 minutes per lesson each week to the targeted class for delivery of the D.A.R.E. program. I understand a teacher must be present in the classroom while the law enforcement officer presents the D.A.R.E. instruction. The classroom teacher will assist, if necessary, in the collection of assigned homework. The school Principal or I will assist the officer in compiling a schedule each semester indicating school, classes, and number of students. |
| Signature: | Signature: |
| Date: | Date: |

**PROPOSED SCHOOL(S) FOR PARTICIPATION**

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| Schools-Indicate 5/6, 7/8, and/or 9-12 grade level | Number of Classes | Number of Students |
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