

STOMP Teacher Contract

In order to create the best experience for you, your students and the STOMP Fellows, we have certain expectations we are asking of you.

STOMP Teacher Expectations:

- Communicate about testing dates, field trips, and holidays in advance.
- STOMP fellows should email you on a weekly basis, updating you with weekly lesson plans and/or curriculum ideas and changes. Please respond to STOMPPer e-mails in a timely manner (within 1-2 days). Please let your STOMPers know if you prefer to use a different method of communication (text, phone call, etc.).
 - You know your students best so please provide feedback on the ideas they send you, even if it is just a “Sounds great!”.
- Meet with your STOMP fellows to give them an outline about your expectations, classroom culture, and classroom management strategies.
- Get involved in the lessons! While we understand if you need to use the STOMP time as a ‘break’ or to plan other lessons, we would prefer your active participation in lessons. Involved teachers make the class so much more productive. You are more experienced as a teacher than our fellows who look forward to learning from you! We do not expect our teachers to know all of the engineering information that is taught in your classroom but there are other ways you can be involved.
 - Help with classroom management.
 - Learn alongside your students, and feel free to ask questions too!
 - Conference with small groups to see how their projects are coming along.
 - Insert connections from our lesson to other subjects they are learning.
- STOMP fellows can still go into your classrooms if you have a substitute teacher. However, please notify them that there will be a sub at your earliest convenience.
- Fill out the end of the semester survey that the STOMP Manager sends you. Our ability to improve the program and better train our members is contingent on receiving feedback from classroom teachers.
- Our STOMP fellows are held to their own contract (see attached). If they are not fulfilling their duties, please do not hesitate to email the STOMP Manager.

I agree to the above terms:

Signature

Printed Name

Date: _____

We look forward to working with you!