

**BRITTEN SCHOOL  
AUGUST 2020-AUGUST 2021  
STUDENT SUPPORT AREA AND PHYSICAL INTERVENTION**

Britten School faculty utilize behavior management techniques derived from the Mandt System and CPI's Nonviolent Crisis Intervention program. All faculty members attend mandatory training of approved intervention techniques, and they are certified annually. Students are given choices each step of the way to reinforce positive decision-making skills. The Mandt System uses a relational-based trauma-informed system of gradual and graded alternatives for de-escalation. Then Mandt System is an effective strategy for managing challenging behaviors that is based in prevention, early interaction and de-escalation before behavior escalates. The Nonviolent Crisis Intervention derived from the Crisis Prevention Institute (CPI) program is to learn strategies and principles for decelerating and de-escalating crisis situations while maintaining the values and philosophy of providing the best possible care and welfare, while maintaining safety and security.

I also understand that the procedures followed at Britten School are in keeping with Public Law 91-600 and Title 89 Illinois Administrative Code III, sec. 384.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, authorize the faculty of Britten School to utilize physical intervention procedures as taught in Mandt and CPI's Nonviolent Crisis Intervention to promote the best possible Care, Welfare, Safety, and Security for all involved in a crisis situation.

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**Signature of Guardian**

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**Date**