

# MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

BETWEEN

**MANITOBA EDUCATION AND ADVANCED LEARNING**  
of the Province of Manitoba, Canada

AND

**MEITOKU GIJUKU HIGH SCHOOL (JAPAN)**

AND

**LOUIS RIEL SCHOOL DIVISION (MANITOBA, CANADA)**

**WHEREAS**, Meitoku Gijuku School of Kochi Prefecture, Japan and Louis Riel School Division of Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada want to work together in the spirit of friendship and cooperation to offer a Blended Program, which, upon completion of all credits and program requirements will lead to students graduating from Meitoku Gijuku High School with a Manitoba High School Diploma and a Japanese High School Diploma (hereinafter referred to as the Dual Diploma Program); and

**WHEREAS**, Manitoba Education and Advanced Learning (hereinafter called "Manitoba") is prepared to authorize Meitoku Gijuku High School to offer programming acceptable to Manitoba for purposes of Manitoba high school graduation, if the understandings outlined in Appendices I, II, III, and IV are fully met and continue to be duly followed; and

**WHEREAS**, as a component of the Dual Diploma Program the Louis Riel School Division will offer students the opportunity to complete the required Manitoba credits at any of its highschools as set out in Appendix III;

## **DESIGNATED CONTACT OFFICES:**

1. Each participant has designated an office that will ensure the integrity of this Memorandum and serve as the main point of contact for any questions or concerns arising from the Memorandum.
2. Communication regarding matters arising from the activities occurring under the provisions of this Memorandum will primarily occur between the three designated offices.

The designated office for Manitoba is:

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- 3. Manitoba, Louis Riel or Meitoku may change their designated contact office at any time by providing written notice to the other participants.

**THEREFORE**, the three parties have decided to bring into effect this Memorandum of Understanding dated and signed in triplicate.

**For Manitoba**

Original signed by

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Gerald Farthing  
Deputy Minister, Manitoba Education  
and Advanced Learning

Date Mar 31/15

Witness \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_

**For Meitoku Gijuku High School**

Original signed by

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Keiichi Yoshida  
Headmaster Meitoku Gejuko

Date Feb. 19, 2015

Witness \_\_\_\_\_

at Kochi, Japan

**For Louis Riel School Division**

Original signed by  
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Date March 18, 2015

Witness \_\_\_\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_