

# Sample Tutorial Contract

---

**DO NOT USE THIS WORD FOR WORD!!  
USE YOUR OWN NAME AND YOUR ADVISOR'S NAME!!**

## OXFORD TUTORIAL CONTRACT

Dr. Victor Frankenstein – Tutor  
Eager McLearner – Honors Scholar

In order to fulfill the responsibilities of advisor and scholar in the Oxford Tutorial, we propose the following:

- I. That we will meet once a week during the **WHICH** semester of **WHAT YEAR, SPECIFY DAY OF WEEK AND TIME**
- II. That we will pursue a study of the possibility of creating a sentient being out of recycled human elements, during which the student will attempt to gain an understanding of and insight into the ethics of such attempts, giving special attention to the responsibilities of the scientist towards the being that she has animated, **BE SPECIFIC ABOUT THE SUBJECT OF YOUR STUDY, YOUR PRIMARY AVENUES OF INQUIRY AND YOUR GOALS**
- III. That the student will read works suggested by the tutor and other works that the student may find relevant to the study, **BE AS EXPLICIT AS YOU CAN ABOUT THIS READING LIST**
- IV. That during weekly discussions the student will relate understandings, opinions, and elaborations on readings done during the tutorial; the tutor will question, clarify, and criticize the student's efforts, **BE PRECISE REGARDING WHAT THE TUTOR EXPECTS FROM YOU AND WHAT YOU NEED FROM YOUR TUTOR**
- V. That our goal in the Oxford Tutorial will be for the student to develop a thesis, a possible outline, and a research proposal with annotated bibliography in preparation for the Honors Thesis. **BE SPECIFIC ABOUT ANY OTHER GOALS YOU AND YOUR TUTOR SET**

Tutor \_\_\_\_\_  
Name Date

Scholar \_\_\_\_\_  
Name Date