

What is a School Parent-Compact?

A school-parent compact is a way to create a partnership between the school and home that focuses on helping students be successful. This compact will help explain how parents and teachers will work together to make sure all of our students reach grade level expectations.

Effective Compacts:

- Link to school improvement plan goals
- Focus on student learning
- Explain how teachers and parents will communicate about student progress
- Provide strategies that students and parents can use and support at home
- Describe opportunities for how parents can be involved in their child's education

Jointly Development

The parents, students, and staff worked together and shared ideas to develop the school-parent compact. During our annual Title I committee meeting and our campus educational improvement committee meetings, the school-parent compact is discussed, reviewed, and revised based on the school's academic goals and student's needs.

Parent input and feedback are welcome at any time. All feedback will be collected and reviewed during our annual revision meeting with parents.

Building Partnerships

There are opportunities for parents to be involved and support your child's education. Please consider joining us by participating in some of the following events and programs.

- Parent workshops offered by our parent engagement liaison
- Participating in evening events provided by the campus and/or PTA
- Becoming a PTA member and joining the PTA board.
- Attending parent orientation in the fall
- Meeting with your child's teacher for parent conferences

Communication about Student Learning

- Current grades are available through Home Access Center
- Parent-Teacher conferences in the fall
- Progress reports available through Home Access Center every three weeks
- Emails and phone calls from your child's teacher

To make an appointment with your child's teacher please call 817-744-6500

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School-Parent Compact



Working Together to Learn and
Grow Beyond Our Dreams...

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Our Goals for Student Achievement

School Goals and Focus Areas

Goals:

Reading:

Meet or exceed 60% of students making one year or more growth on STAAR

Math:

Meet or exceed 60% of students making one year or more growth on STAAR

Writing:

Increase the percent of students reaching the master's grade level expectation from 14-20% on STAAR

Focus Areas:

- Reading Fluency
- Math Problem Solving
- Authentic writing with revising and editing

Teachers, Parents, and Students Working Together!

Teachers

- Provide high quality instruction in a supportive and effective learning environment
- Provide you with timely reports on your child's progress
- Provide you with academic information in relation to how you can support your child at home
- Holding high expectations for your children and believing in their ability
- Holding parent teacher conferences with you

Parents

- Be actively involved in my child's education
- Initiate and respond to communication with my child's teacher
- Set aside a specific time and place for homework and review it daily
- Look for the class/grade level newsletter each week/month

Students

- Will keep a reading log of minutes read each week
- Be an active participant in my learning
- Use data to track my progress
- Set academic goals and determine action steps to achieve those goals
- Be able to discuss and share academic progress and performance with my teachers and parents
- Put forth my best effort each and every day