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## School-Family Compact 2020-2021

The School-Family Compact outlines how the learning community will work together to ensure successful learning for all.

Please review and discuss with your child.

SCHOOL	PARENT	STUDENT
<p>As a <b>school</b>, we are responsible for:</p> <p><b><u>School/Climate Communication:</u></b></p> <p><b>Provide</b> a caring and nurturing environment with high expectations for all students.  <b>Respect</b> the difference and individuality of students and families.  <b>Encourage</b> parent participation in making decisions about school policies and academic priorities through Parent Advisory Committee (PAC), School Improvement Team (SIT), Parent Teacher Association (PTA), and volunteering.</p> <p><b><u>Academic</u></b></p> <p><b>Provide</b> quality instruction that will promote learning and academic success across all content areas, emphasizing reading and math.  <b>Use</b> student data and family feedback to enhance student achievement.  <b>Provide</b> homework that allows students to reinforce/practice skills that are taught in class.  <b>Communicate</b> regularly through newsletters, conferences, notes and calls with families about student progress and give families necessary assistance to help their child become a successful learner.</p> <p><b><u>Attendance</u></b></p> <p><b>Encourage</b> attendance by recognizing good and perfect attendance at Quarterly Award Recognition Assembly.  <b>Maintain</b> contact with families to emphasize the importance of daily attendance.  <b>Alert</b> parent when their child has been absent.</p>	<p>As a <b>parent</b>, it is my responsibility to:</p> <p><b><u>School Climate/Communication</u></b></p> <p><b>Review</b> and sign the School Parent Compact with my child and revisit at Parent-Teacher Conferences and as needed.  <b>Attend</b> Parent-Teacher Conferences, parent workshops, and as many PTA meetings as possible.  <b>Check</b> my child's bookbag for information from school and teachers.  <b>Volunteer</b>, when possible.</p> <p><b><u>Academic</u></b></p> <p><b>Provide</b> a quiet place for my child to do homework and review when finished.  <b>Read</b> together with my child at home and discuss what we read.  <b>Participate</b> in a variety of "Take Home" programs.  <b>Review</b> math facts at home on a regular basis.</p> <p><b><u>Attendance</u></b></p> <p><b>Provide</b> written notification when my child has been absent.  <b>Schedule</b> appointments before and/or after school when possible in order to maximize instructional opportunities.  <b>Ensure</b> that my child attends school regularly and on time.</p>	<p>As a <b>student</b>, it is my responsibility to:</p> <p><b><u>School Climate/Communication</u></b></p> <p><b>Follow</b> school and classroom rules.  <b>Come</b> to school prepared with: bookbag, completed homework and pencils.  <b>Show</b> a positive attitude and try my best everyday.</p> <p><b><u>Academic</u></b></p> <p><b>Become</b> a better reader by reading at home daily.  <b>Practice</b> my math facts.  <b>Do</b> my assigned homework.  <b>Ask</b> for help if I don't understand a skill.</p> <p><b><u>Attendance</u></b></p> <p><b>Come</b> to school prepared and on time.</p>

\_\_\_\_\_ Parent's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_ Student's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_ Teacher's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_ Principal's Signature