

Parent and Family Engagement Policy

2020-2021 School Year

The faculty and staff at Hamilton Elementary School are determined to effectively communicate and involve parents, community partners and all stakeholders in an effort to better serve our students. We want to create a consistent set of expectations for success. Education is a shared responsibility of parents, students, and teachers. Together we can make a positive difference. Hamilton Elementary School's Parental Involvement Plan is as follows:

1. Title I requirements will be made available to each parent. Parents will receive the parenteral involvement policy, school-parent compacts, resolution, procedure, school choice, supplemental educational services, and parent's right to know. Hamilton Elementary School will communicate with parents through the school handbook, monthly newsletters, parent meetings, e-mails and phone calls. Parent/teacher conferences will be scheduled October 21st and October 22nd 2020 and March 16th and March 17th, 2021.
2. A school parent compact was written and will be sent home with each student. The compact defines the goals and expectations for this school and our parent's, as we partner in an effort to improve student academic achievement and positive behavior. The compact provides the opportunity for developing a strong home and school partnership. We want to promote an atmosphere that shares responsibility for the high performance of students. Parents will be responsible for supporting their child's attendance, academic achievement, homework completion, positive behavior, volunteering and observing in the classroom.
3. Training and resources will be provided to parents on a monthly basis. Along
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? with an opportunity to receive assistance in understanding State assessments, academic content standards, student academic proficiency standards and how to work with the school to improve academic achievement.
5. Parents will adhere to the school attendance goal of meeting or exceeding the student attendance percentage of 95% or above.
6. Parents will adhere to the SLPS guidelines in the Parent Information Guide & Student Code of Conduct.

PARENT SCHOOL COMPACT
(Creating a consistent set of expectations for Success)
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PARENT/GUARDIAN AGREEMENT

- 🐾 I will ensure that my child comes to school every day ready to learn.
- 🐾 I will make sure my child is in uniform unless indicated.
- 🐾 I will encourage positive behavior and adhere to the Student Code of Conduct policies.
- 🐾 I pledge to support my child's efforts in reading.
- 🐾 I commit to establishing a time for homework and making sure it is completed.
- 🐾 I will establish positive communication with teachers and staff.
- 🐾 I pledge to be a responsible advocate for my child.

STUDENT AGREEMENT

- 🐾 I promise to come to school every day ready to learn
- 🐾 I will wear my uniform each day.
- 🐾 I will attempt to display positive behavior daily.
- 🐾 I will come to school prepared to learn with all my school supplies.
- 🐾 I will make sure my homework is completed.
- 🐾 I will follow all class rules (P.R.I.D.E. Matrix)
- 🐾 I pledge to work to my full potential and always do my best.

TEACHER AGREEMENT

- 🐾 I commit to building a positive, creative atmosphere for students to learn.
- 🐾 I will make academic activities meaningful and enjoyable.
- 🐾 I will provide parents with information about their students' progress.
- 🐾 I will teach lessons that support the grade level curriculum.
- 🐾 The homework will extend and reinforce learning in the classroom.
- 🐾 I will make every effort to listen to my students and contact parents when/if necessary.

ADMINISTRATIVE TEAM AGREEMENT

- 🐾 Will create a safe and secure environment in which teachers can teach and students can learn
- 🐾 Communicate, monitor and encourage attendance expectations.
- 🐾 Monitor students and teachers for progress.
- 🐾 Provide professional development and mentor opportunities to teachers and staff.
- 🐾 Collaborate with teachers to maintain high curriculum standards.
- 🐾 Will maintain communication with all stakeholders.

Principal Signature_____ Date_____

Teacher Signature_____ Date_____

Parent Signature_____ Date_____