



Greetings Families! We hope you had a wonderful break with family and friends. Welcome back to the second half of the 2021-22 school year. We are officially half way through this year. Please note a few reminders below as we kick off the second half!

### **Family- Teacher- Student Compacts**

During the beginning of the school year Family, Teacher, Student compacts were sent home with all students. This compact outlines how the teacher, family and student will work together as partners to achieve academic goals for the 21-22 school. This compact was signed by the student, teacher and guardian. Please remind your student of this agreement to make sure they are holding up their part of the compact. I have attached a copy of the compact to review with your student.

### **Is your child getting enough sleep?**

As school begins again, please remind your child(ren) that getting the correct amount of sleep is very important. Please make sure your child is going to bed on time and receiving the correct amount of rest for their age group. Students may sometimes go to bed and then log on to electronic devices. Please make sure your child is unplugged and receiving enough rest to ensure they can be successful at school each day. Please refer to the information below to find the suggested amount of sleep for your child's age group.

- Pre-School 3-5 years 10-13 hours per 24 hours**
- School Age 6-12 years 9-12 hours per 24 hours**
- Teen 13-18 years 8-10 hours of sleep per 24 hours**

If you need additional academic resources please don't hesitate to contact our Family Engagement Coordinator, Yolondias Colquitt at [Yolondias.Colquitt@socialcircleschools.org](mailto:Yolondias.Colquitt@socialcircleschools.org) or via phone at 770-464-2664 or 770-464-1411.

### **Upcoming Important Dates:**

- Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday January 17
- Report Cards January 19
- Winter Break Holiday February 18-22
- Coffee and Conversation Request for Input March 2022
- Parent and Teacher Conferences March 2022
- End of Third Quarter March 18
- Early Release Day March 18
- Spring Break April 4-8
- Last day of school and Early Release May 27



Saludos Familias! Esperamos que haya tenido un maravilloso descanso con su familia y amigos. Bienvenidos de nuevo a la segunda mitad del año escolar 2021-22. Estamos oficialmente a mitad de camino a través de este año. ¡Tenga en cuenta algunos recordatorios a continuación cuando comencemos la segunda mitad!

### **Pactos de-Estudiante**

Familia-Maestro Durante el comienzo del año escolar se enviaron a casa pactos de Familia, Maestro, Estudiante con todos los estudiantes. Este pacto describe cómo el maestro, la familia y el estudiante trabajarán juntos como socios para lograr las metas académicas para la escuela 21-22. Este pacto fue firmado por el estudiante, el maestro y el tutor. Por favor, recuérdelo a su estudiante este acuerdo para asegurarse de que cumpla con su parte del pacto. Adjunto una copia del pacto para revisar con su estudiante.

### **¿Su hijo está durmiendo lo suficiente?**

A medida que la escuela comienza de nuevo, por favor recuérdelo a su(s) hijo(s) que es muy importante dormir lo suficiente. Asegúrese de que su hijo se vaya a la cama a tiempo y reciba la cantidad correcta de descanso para su grupo de edad. Los estudiantes a veces pueden irse a la cama y luego iniciar sesión en dispositivos electrónicos. Asegúrese de que su hijo esté desconectado y descanse lo suficiente para garantizar que pueda tener éxito en la escuela todos los días. Consulte la información a continuación para encontrar la cantidad sugerida de sueño para el grupo de edad de su hijo.

**Preescolar 3-5 años 10-13 horas por 24 horas**

**Edad escolar 6-12 años 9-12 horas por 24 horas**

**Adolescente 13-18 años 8-10 horas de sueño por 24 horas**

Si necesita recursos académicos adicionales, no lo haga No dude en comunicarse con nuestra Coordinadora de participación familiar, Yolondias Colquitt en [Yolondias.Colquitt@socialcircleschools.org](mailto:Yolondias.Colquitt@socialcircleschools.org) o por teléfono al 770-464-2664 o 770-464-1411.

### **Próximas fechas importantes:**

Día festivo de Martin Luther King Jr. 17 de enero

Boletas de calificaciones 19 de enero

Día festivo de vacaciones de invierno 18-22 de febrero

Café y conversación Solicitud de aportes Marzo de 2022

Conferencias de padres y maestros Marzo de 2022

Fin del tercer trimestre 18 de

marzo Día de salida temprano 18 de marzo

Vacaciones de primavera 4-8 de abril

Último día de clases y salida temprana 27 de mayo



# Social Circle City Schools

*Serving Community • Cultivating Success*

## Our Goals for Student Achievement

District's Goal: Increase Student Achievement

Social Circle Elementary School has studied and reviewed students' performance data to decide the most important areas of improvement for our school.

Academic Goals:

- Students will improve knowledge and skills in literacy.
- Improve students' knowledge and skills in mathematics.
- Improve the social, emotional, and the mental well-being of staff and students.

We are ONE TEAM! Working together for Academic SUCCESS!  
We are **CHAMPS!**

### SCES will....

- provide parents with math and literacy resources that are accessible daily, during family workshops, and parent conferences
- Provide academic workshops where teachers demonstrate strategies and provide hands on activities to build family knowledge in literacy and math
- Demonstrate S.E.L. and build relationships with all of our students, families and our community daily

### Families will...

- Utilize the resources to assist their children at home, during family workshops and during conferences
- Attend academic workshops where teachers demonstrate strategies and practice the activities to build family knowledge in literacy and math
- Support S.E.L. and build relationships with my child's teacher and keep the lines of communication open with SCES

### Students will....

- Utilize all the resources and strategies that my teachers and family demonstrate to help build my literacy and math skills.
- Encourage my family to attend the academic workshops offered by my school that will help build literacy and math skills.
- Will work with my teacher and SCES by using the strategies and resources provided to me to build my S.E.L. in the classroom and at home.






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## Social Circle Elementary School Family-School-Student Compact 2021-22

*Academic Goals: Students will improve knowledge and skills in literacy.*

*Improve students' knowledge and skills in mathematics.*

*Improve the social, emotional, and the mental well-being of staff and students.*

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| <p>Social Circle Elementary School<br/>240 West Hightower Trail Social Circle,<br/>Ga 30025<br/>770-464-2664<br/><a href="http://www.socialcircleschools.com">www.socialcircleschools.com</a></p> <p>Dr.Maria Hargrove Principal<br/><a href="mailto:Maria.Hargrove@socialcircleschools.org">Maria.Hargrove@socialcircleschools.org</a></p> <p>Dr.Ryan Clark<br/>Assistant Principal<br/><a href="mailto:Ryan.Clark@socialcircleschools.org">Ryan.Clark@socialcircleschools.org</a></p> | <p><b>Vision:</b><br/>Social Circle City Schools ensures that every child we serve has access to the knowledge and skills needed to become mindful, productive, and empowered citizens.</p>                              | <p><b>Mission:</b><br/>Social Circle City Schools empowers students with an excellent and equitable education</p>   | <p>This compact outlines how parents, the school staff and the students will share the responsibility for improved student achievement. The school and parents will build and develop a partnership that will help our students achieve the state's high standards for the school year.</p> | <p><b>What is a Family -Teacher-Student Compact?</b></p> <p>A compact is an agreement that families, students, teachers, and administrators develop jointly together. It explains how everyone will work together to make sure all students receive the individual support they need to reach and exceed grade level standards.</p> |
| <p>We will support learning in the following ways:</p>  | <p>School Responsibilities</p>   | <p>Parent Responsibilities</p>  | <p>Student Responsibilities</p>   | <p>SCES will communicate in multiple ways:</p>  |
| <p>C=Cooperative</p>    | <p>SCES will cooperate with parents and students by providing the resources they need to ensure academic success by hosting academic events throughout the year to ensure parents know how to assist their children.</p> | <p>Parents will cooperate with the school by assisting their children with academics to ensure school success, attending academic school events, parent conferences, checking folders, backpacks etc...</p> | <p>Students will cooperate with teachers and family members by setting goals and taking full responsibility for achieving educational goals. Students will encourage family members to attend academic events to receive academic resources. .</p>  | <p>Class DOJO<br/>Weekly Folders<br/>FaceBook Twitter<br/>School Website<br/>Phone Calls<br/>Parent Portal<br/>Progress Reports<br/>Report Cards<br/>Newsletters</p>  |
| <p>H=Honest</p>    | <p>SCES will promote and encourage honesty</p>   | <p>Parents will promote and encourage honesty with their child at school and home.</p>  | <p>Students will demonstrate honest behavior in all areas of school and family life.</p>  | <p>Teachers are available by email, phone calls, or by Class DOJO daily during school hours. .</p>  |
| <p>A=Accountable</p>   | <p>SCES will hold ourselves accountable in our daily teaching of all students to ensure that they are achieving at the highest level possible</p>  | <p>Parents will promote accountability at school and home by making sure students attend school daily, arrive on time, check folders, backpacks, agendas and stay up to date on school news.</p>            | <p>Students will hold themselves accountable for their everyday learning, setting goals, and reaching those academic goals.</p>   | <p>Partnerships:<br/>Parent conferences are held twice a year in the fall and in the spring. Conferences are also available at any time by teacher by parent request. Parents are also welcome to be a part of our Parent Advisory Council, School Council, PTO, and to volunteer in our school.</p>                                |
| <p>M=Motivated</p>    | <p>SCES will be 100% motivated everyday to make a difference in all of our students' lives</p>   | <p>Parents will be 100% motivated everyday to encourage their child to read and practice math daily</p>   | <p>Students will be motivated to achieve their goals by reading 20 minutes each day and practicing math daily.</p>  | <p>Please make sure to keep a positive attitude about school. This will help motivate your child to do their best.</p>  |
| <p>P=Prepared</p>    | <p>SCES teachers will be 100% prepared everyday to teach with fidelity to ensure that every student can learn.</p>   | <p>Parents will make sure that students arrive to school everyday prepared to learn with all necessary supplies</p>   | <p>Students will come prepared everyday with all of their supplies, homework and ready to learn.</p>  | <p>Please keep lines of communication open with the school and respond to all correspondence. Communication is meaningful two way communication.</p>  |

The SCES school compact is jointly developed and reviewed throughout the school year using feedback gathered from families, student and teacher surveys. We also use information from Title 1 parent meetings, School Council, Leadership, and PTO. The compact is revised yearly; however, feedback is welcomed at any time during the school year. Copies of the compact are available in the front office, and on the school website. Compacts are also posted in every classroom.

SCES values all of our families and partnerships. How can you be more engaged?

- Read with your child at home and practice math daily
- Participate in family engagement activities
- Check your child's backpack, agendas, and Wednesday folders

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