

# What is a Family-School Compact?

A Family-School Compact for Student Success is an agreement that parents, students and teachers develop together. It explains how parents and teachers will work together to make sure all students get the individual support they need to reach and exceed grade level standards.

## District Goals

*The Board of Education of the Stamford Public Schools has established the following five goals:*

- The Stamford Public Schools will increase academic achievement of all students
- The Stamford Public Schools will address the Achievement Gap
- The Stamford Public Schools will increase the meaningful engagement of all families and the community
- The Stamford Public Schools will provide all students with a world-class professional staff
- The Stamford Public Schools will maintain efficient and effective operations

*We ask that you carefully read and review the compact with your child and sign your names as a pledge that each of us will do all we can to actively enhance the education of our children at Stillmeadow School.*

### As a STUDENT,

#### I will do my personal best to.....

- Do my best work at all times including homework
- Ask for help when I do not understand something
- Respect other people, the community, and myself
- Help make the school safe by following classroom and school rules
- Read every day
- Take responsibility for my learning and behavior

#### As a STUDENT, I need.....

- Teachers and school staff who care about me
- People who believe I can learn
- Respect from others
- Schools that are safe
- A family and community that support me
- Time with caring adults

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_



### As a PARENT/Guardian,

#### I will do my personal best to.....

- Send my child to school, rested, in good health, well fed and ready to learn
- Check my child's homework and make sure it is complete
- Monitor my child's TV viewing and limit screen time on personal electronic devices
- Set aside time to take my child to outside learning activities
- Provide an appropriate place for my child to do school work
- Read to my child or have my child read to me every day
- Support school efforts to develop and maintain discipline
- Demonstrate my own commitment to high standards of learning, behavior and family values
- Meet with teachers for conferences
- Talk to my child each day about what happened in school
- Volunteer at school, whenever possible.

#### As a PARENT/Guardian, I need.....

- Clear and frequent communication with the school.
- Teachers and staff who respect my role as a parent/caring adult.
- Respect for myself, my culture, and my children as individuals
- Support from other caring adults

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Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**As an EDUCATOR, I will do my personal best to .....**

- Provide a safe, caring and supportive learning environment
- Take into account individual strengths in each child
- Help your child follow the classroom and school rules
- Provide a high quality learning experience for every child
- Communicate regularly with the family to support student learning and share your child's progress
- Monitor homework and provide positive feedback
- Be flexible in meeting with you about your child
- Set high standards for students' learning and behavior
- Continue to evaluate my teaching methods and provide for individual students' needs
- Utilize parents and community members as resources to support student learning
- Provide experiences that encourage an interest in learning

**As an EDUCATOR, I need...**

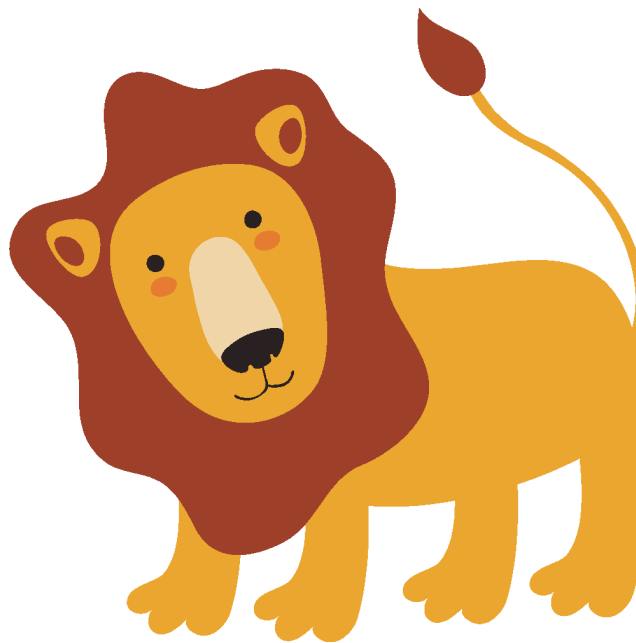
- Family members who respect my role as an educator
- Families who have a commitment to work with the school
- Clear and open communication with the home
- Support from other caring adults
- Students coming to school ready to learn

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_



**Together, we will do  
GREAT things!**



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