

## Paradise Elementary Title I Compact



**We are committed to your child's success in school and promise to work together to promote his/her achievement.**

**Paradise Elementary School will....**

*Provide high quality curriculum and instruction in a supportive and effective learning environment that enables the participating children to meet the State's student academic achievement standards as follows:*

- ❖ Learning facilitators will receive ongoing professional development on scientifically based research practices for the classroom.
- ❖ The curriculum will be written according to the State's standards.
- ❖ Hold parent/learning facilitator conferences two times a year (Fall and Spring) during which time this compact will be discussed as it relates to the individual learner's achievement.
- ❖ Provide parents/ care givers with reports on their child's progress at the end of each trimester. (3x a year)
- ❖ Provide parents/ care givers with reasonable access to staff. Staff will be available to speak with parents/ care givers at scheduled conferences as well as before and after school as requested.
- ❖ Provide parents/ care givers opportunities to volunteer, participate, and observe classroom activities. Parents/ care givers may request to come observe classroom activities at any time. Parents/ care givers, with necessary clearances on file, may volunteer their time before, during and after school.

**As a learning facilitator at Paradise Elementary School....**

*I will provide high quality curriculum and instruction in a supportive and effective learning environment that will enable success for every learner and:*

- ❖ Will treat each child with dignity and respect.
- ❖ Strive to address the individual needs of each learner.
- ❖ Acknowledge that parents/ care givers are vital to the success of Paradise Elementary School and its learners.
- ❖ Provide a safe, positive and healthy learning environment to allow each learner to achieve to his/her fullest extent.
- ❖ Will assure each learner access to quality learning experiences appropriate to his/her development.
- ❖ Will assure that Paradise Elementary School staff communicate clear expectations for performance to both learners and parents/ care givers.
- ❖ Will assure appropriate participation of parents/ care givers in the decisions relating to the education of their child.
- ❖ Acknowledge that each child develops in her/her own way and at his/her own speed.
- ❖ Promote a Growth Mindset philosophy for learners.
- ❖ Strive to build a strong relationship with each parent/ care giver.

**As a learner at Paradise Elementary School...**

*I realize that my education is important. I know that I am responsible for my own success. Therefore, I agree to carry out the following responsibilities to the best of my ability:*

- ❖ Develop a positive attitude about school.
- ❖ Return completed homework on time.
- ❖ Be a cooperative learner and carry out instructions and directions from my learning facilitators.
- ❖ Foster a growth mindset and ask for help when needed.
- ❖ Be respectful, responsible, and safe.
- ❖ Take responsibility for my own behavior.
- ❖ Participate in appropriate extra-curricular activities.
- ❖ Share school activities with my parents/ care givers on a daily basis.

**As a parent/ care giver in the Pequea Valley School District...**

*I realize the importance of working cooperatively with the school. I understand that my participation in my child's education will help his/her achievement and attitude. Therefore, I join with Paradise Elementary School by carrying out the following responsibilities to the best of my ability:*

- ❖ Promote a positive attitude about Paradise Elementary School and appreciate the value of a good education.
- ❖ Create an atmosphere that supports learning by encouraging reading and other learning activities.
- ❖ Send my child to school regularly, on time, well fed and well rested.
- ❖ Monitor assignments and encourage homework completion.
- ❖ Review all school communications and respond promptly.
- ❖ Attend school functions and conferences.
- ❖ Encourage my child to demonstrate respect, responsibility, and safety.
- ❖ Participate in decisions relating to the education of my child.
- ❖ Review my child's progress with him/her and plan strategies for improvement as well as celebrate growth.
- ❖ Work to nurture a strong relationship with the school.
- ❖ Encourage my child to have a growth mindset and continually try his/her best.
- ❖ Model the character traits that I expect in my child.

**As a principal at Pequea Valley School District...**

*I am committed to providing a safe and orderly environment that is conducive to learning. As the instructional leader of the school, I will support the learning facilitators at Paradise Elementary School in their effort to educate all learners. Opportunities for the establishment and attainment of high expectations will be made available to all learners. Together we will create an environment that inspires each learner to excel to their First Choice post-secondary option.*

