

What is a School-Parent Compact?



A School-Parent Compact for Achievement is an agreement that parents, students, and teachers develop together. It explains how parents and teachers will work together to make sure all of our students reach grade level standards.

Our Compact will benefit everyone!

Jointly Developed

The parents, students, and teachers of Berta Weathersbee Elementary developed this School-Parent Compact for Achievement. Teachers suggested home learning strategies, parents added ideas to make them more specific, and students told us what would help them learn. Meetings are held each year to review the compact.

Parents are welcome to contribute comments at any time!

If you would like to volunteer, please contact our Family Liaison-Tenishia Ransom - by calling the school.

Activities to Build Partnerships

Anytime parents visit BWES- from lunches to academic workshops- our partnership is strengthened! Please check the student handbook/ calendar for all events. If you would like to volunteer or mentor at the school, please call us!



Communication and Student Learning

BWES is committed to frequent two-way communication with our families about student learning. Here are some ways we communicate:

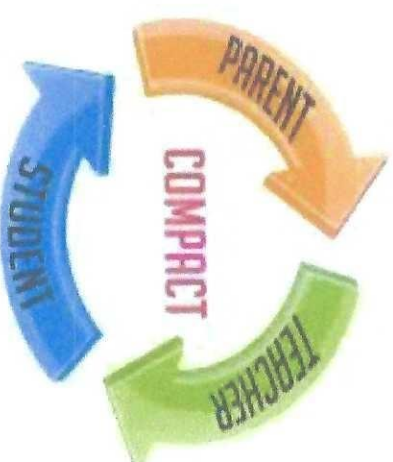
- Daily folders
- Classtag Announcements
- Updates on our school Facebook page
- Home visits
- Parent Conferences
- Board in the front of the school
- Remind messages



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2023-2024

Kindergarten Grade Focus for Student Success



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Our Goals for Student Achievement



District Goals:

1. Improved Lexile Levels, College & Career Readiness Index Scores (CCRP), & Georgia Milestone Assessment (GMAS) scores

*reading on grade level and mathematical competency

2. Observation of more rigorous instruction, increased implementation of STEAM and project based learning activities

*problem solving & critical

thinking



BWES Kindergarten Goals:

1. Goal: 85% of Kindergarten students will be fluently reading decodable texts.

2. Goal: 85% of Kindergarten students will be fluently reading kindergarten word lists.

3. Goal: 85% of Kindergarten students will be adding and subtracting within 10.

Teachers, Parents, Students- Working Together for Success

In the Kindergarten Classroom

The Kindergarten teachers will work with students and their families to support student success in reading and math. Some of our key connections with families will be:



The teachers will provide a weekly newsletter stating the current topics in Reading and Math.



Send home reading and math practice.



Send home kindergarten word lists.

At Home

BWES parents joined staff to develop ideas about how families can support student success in Reading and Math.



Practice kindergarten word lists at home using a variety of activities.



Limit technology and screen time for content that is not educational.



Complete homework packets for extra practice and support..



Soaring Eagle Students

Students joined staff and parents to develop ideas about how they can succeed in school. Students shared the following ideas:



Listen to the teacher and follow directions the first time.



Take pride and work hard to do my best in school.



Get plenty of rest and get to school on time.



Teachers, Parents, and Students believe these additional key points will create success for our Kindergarten class this year:

- Reteach what has been taught in school.
- Read more books and discuss what you have read - every book that you read helps.
- Students should be counting at home and in school.
- Attendance –make sure students are coming to school and arriving on time unless they are sick.