

WEST BERTIE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Principal ~Teacher ~ Student ~ Family COMPACT

As the **WBES principal**, I agree to carry out the following responsibilities to the best of my ability:

- Get to know the student's family members and enlist their expertise to support the student's academic, social and emotional development.
- Provide ongoing two-way communication between teachers and families through family-teacher-student conferences and frequent reports to parents.
- Teach students skills that enable them to become life-long learners.
- Set high expectations for teachers, staff, students, and families by ensuring challenging curriculum, implementing programs targeted at increasing student achievement and committing to recruit, retain and train qualified staff.
- Respect the school, students, staff and families.

Principal Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

As a **WBES teacher**, I agree to carry out the following responsibilities to the best of my ability:

- Provide high-quality curriculum and instruction.
- Endeavor to motivate my students to learn.
- Have high expectations and help every child develop a love of learning.
- Communicate regularly with families about student progress.
- Provide a warm, safe, and caring learning environment.
- Participate in professional development opportunities that improve teaching and learning.
- Actively participate in collaborative decision making and consistently work with families and my colleagues to make WBES an accessible and welcoming place for all.
- Respect the school, students, staff and families.

Teacher Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

As a **WBES student**, I agree to carry out the following responsibilities to the best of my ability:

- Come to school ready to learn and work hard.
- Bring necessary materials, completed assignments, and homework.
- Know and follow the WBES matrix and class rules.
- Ask for help when I need it.
- Communicate regularly with my family and teachers about school experiences so that they can help me to be successful in school.
- Read every day before, during or after school.
- Respect the school, classmates, staff and families.

Student Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

As a **WBES family**, I agree to carry out the following responsibilities to the best of my ability:

- Provide a quiet time and place for homework and monitor TV viewing.
- Read to my child or encourage my child to read every day (K-2, 20 minutes, 3-5, 30 minutes).
- Communicate with the teacher or the school when I have a concern.
- Ensure that my child attends school every day, gets adequate sleep, regular medical attention, and proper nutrition.
- Regularly monitor my child's progress in school.
- Participate at WBES in activities such as school decision making, volunteering and/or attending family-teacher conferences.
- Communicate the importance of education and learning to my child.
- Respect the school, staff, students and families.

Family Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

WEST BERTIE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

"Home of the Panthers"