

What is a Family School Compact?

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

Developed with Parents & Students

The parents, students, and staff at BCMS developed this Compact for Achievements. School-wide meetings are held each year to update the Compact. Parents are welcome to contribute comments at any time. For more information on the BCMS Compact, please contact See Vang, Family Liaison, at 651-744-7072.



*Teachers, Parents, and Students
Together for Success*

Activities to Support Partnership

Conferences

Wednesday, October 11, 2023
Wednesday, December 13, 2023
Wednesday, February 28, 2024

Communication Assistance

BCMS will hold information sessions about Schoology, iUpdate, and Parent Portal during the BCMS kick-off and conferences.

Classroom Visits

We welcome classroom visits during our Open House in August! Also, all BCMS parents and guardians are welcome to attend school with their students during NAAPID. Visits can be arranged anytime during the school year by calling the office.

Communication and Learning

BCMS is committed to communicating regularly with families about student learning. Some of the ways you can expect us to communicate are:

- Flyers and handouts send home with students
- iUpdate and Schoology websites, as well as BCMS social media platforms: Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram.
- Direct phone calls, emails, and texts from individual teachers and administrators.

Families can ask for conferences with a teacher at any time. Families can ask for interpreters at any school meeting and for translated materials.

FAMILY-SCHOOL COMPACT FOR ACHIEVEMENT

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School Year
2023-2024



BCMS Students

BCMS students developed ideas about how all Panthers can succeed in school. Students thought of the following ideas to make connections between learning at home and school.

- Attend school every day, bring materials, be on time to class, and add positivity to the learning environment.
- Talk about issues before reacting and ask adults for help when you need it. They are here to help you.
- Keep a positive outlook and treat others the way you want to be treated.
- Participate in extracurriculars, clubs, and Foundations.

In the Classrooms

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

- Provide parents with accurate information on iUpdate, Parent Portal, and Schoology, and communicate when issues arise.
- Reply promptly to messages from families.
- Provide Daily math review and Silent reading time for all students.
- Ensure students who need extra help are enrolled in a support class or tutoring program.
- Make and provide time for teachers to plan collaboratively, assess student work, and call parents and guardians.

At Home

BCMS parents and guardians joined staff to develop ideas about how families can support students' success in reading and math. Families may have other ideas to add to this list.

- Check the Parent Portal and Schoology frequently and follow up concerns by contacting the school or teachers.
- Attend conferences or schedule at other times.
- Call or email teachers with questions or concerns.
- Keep family contact information current by using iUpdate and/or contacting BCMS.
- Look for our bi-weekly newsletter from the school. Discuss school life with your student and support him/her /them by using the 3 Ps that Panthers strive to achieve, be Punctual, be Prepared, be Polite.



District Goals

more at [spps.org/strategic plan](http://spps.org/strategic-plan)

SPPS Achieves Long Term Outcomes:

- Decrease disparities in achievement based on race, ethnicity, culture, and identity.
- Increase achievement of English Learners.
- Increase achievement of students receiving special education services
- Improve kindergarten readiness.
- Increase academic growth in reading and math for all students.
- Prepare all graduates for college, career, and life.

Important

Translations are available. Please call the school office 651-293-8960.

HMONG – Cov ntawv no peb muaj txhais ua lwm hom lus. Yog xav tau, hu rau tsev kawm ntawv.

SPANISH – Traducciones disponibles. Por favor llame a la oficina.

SOMALI – Macluumaad turjuman ayaa la helayaa. Fadlan wac xafiiska iskuulka.

KAREN – နမ့်ဆံင်ဒီးမေးလကညီကိုင်န့်, ဝံသးစူကီးဘင်ကိုင်ဝဲဒေးဖဲ ၆၅၁-၂၉၃-၈၉၆၀