

Student Success is a Shared
Responsibility among
Students, Teachers and
Parents

What is a Family-School Compact?

A Family-School Compact for Achievement outlines how parents, students and teachers partner to ensure that all children receive the support they need to grow academically.

Effective compacts:

- Begin with standards
- Focus on student learning
- Respond to school data
- Define everyone's responsibilities

Resources

- Abcyah.com
- Starfall.com
- pbskids.com

Vision Statement

Our vision is for children to learn in a caring environment in which they are held to high expectations and supported academically and emotionally in order to reach their greatest potential.

Mission Statement

Our mission at David E. Sprague Elementary School is to inspire and prepare every child to be successful.

Sprague Eagles S.O.A.R.

We are **SAFE**
ORGANIZED
ACHIEVE
RESPECTFUL



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Kindergarten Teachers

- Share learning targets and success criteria to establish a purpose for daily lessons.
- Create a welcoming learning environment that engages all learners.

Sprague Elementary School

2023-2024

Family – School Compact
For
Student Achievement

Kindergarten

Communication about Student Learning

Sprague School is committed to communicating regularly with parents regarding students' learning. Here are some ways we will communicate:

- Daily folder
- Phone calls
- Notes
- Parent Square
- Parent Conference Nights

You can always contact us by phone or email:

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Kindergarten Teachers

- Reinforce S.O.A.R. expectations by recognizing positive behavior with Eagle coupons.
- Differentiate instruction to meet the needs of all learners.
- Meet and communicate with parents throughout the year.

Kindergarten Students

- Feed Your Imagination by reading each night for 20 minutes.
- Be prepared for and engaged in classroom lessons. Ask for help when you don't understand something.
- Follow S.O.A.R. expectations daily.
- Talk to a staff member when something is bothering you.
- Be prepared with materials for class.

Families - At Home

- Support your child by checking homework folders/calendars nightly.
- Be sure your child has a quiet place to read or be read to for 20 minutes nightly.
- Support your child in following S.O.A.R. expectations daily.
- Communicate with your child's teacher if you have concerns.

Attending school regularly helps children feel better about school and themselves. Good attendance will help children do well in high school, college, and at work.

ATTENDANCE MATTERS

- Missing 2 days every month in school (20 days total) will make it difficult to learn new material and keep up with classmates.
- Students can still fall behind if they miss just a day or two days every few weeks.
- Being late to school may lead to poor attendance.