



GREENSBURG SALEM

Nicely Elementary

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*"It's amazing what we can accomplish
when we are in it together!"*

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Student Responsibilities

I will share the responsibility to improve my academic achievement and strive to achieve the State's high standards by:

- Coming to school prepared and ready to learn
- Following all school and class rules
- Giving paperwork to my family on time
- Being responsible for my own behavior
- Paying attention and doing my work
- Completing my homework
- Attending school regularly
- Reading every night

Parent/Guardian Responsibilities

We, as parents, will support our children's learning in the following ways:

- Ensure that my child arrives at school every day on time
- Be sure my child is well rested and nourished
- Establish a time and quiet place for homework and review it when it is finished
- Read to/with my child each day
- Monitor my child's screen time
- Review all communications and respond promptly
- Keep informed about my child's education and school related activities
- Attend parent-teacher conferences and maintain open communication with the school
- Whenever possible, participate in the various policy advisory groups such as Parent Advisory Council, PTO, etc
- Provide the school with updated contact information

School Responsibilities

Nicely Elementary School will:

1. 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:

- Provide ongoing professional development opportunities for teachers
- Provide technology access in each classroom for educational purposes
- Ensure implementation of rigorous academic standards set forth by the Pennsylvania Core State Standards for Math and English Language Arts and Pennsylvania Academic Standards

2. Hold parent-teacher conferences (at least annually in elementary schools) during which this compact will be discussed as it relates to the individual child's achievement.

Specifically, those conferences will be held:

- By classroom teachers and specialists at the end of the first nine week grading period for K through 5th grades

3. Provide parents with frequent reports on their children's progress. Specifically, the school will provide reports as follows:

- Report cards every 9 weeks for K through 5th grades
- Informational behavior charts on an as needed basis

School Responsibilities Cont.

4. Provide parents reasonable access to staff. Specifically, the staff will be available for consultation with parents as follows:

- Greensburg Salem School District website: www.greensburgsaalem.org
- Subscribe to Individual teacher webpages through the Greensburg Salem website
- Individual teacher email addresses which can be found on the Greensburg Salem website
- Phone conferences by calling the school office at 724-832-2865
- Nightly Take-home folders in all grades
- Student agenda books in certain grade levels
- Meet the Teacher / Open House
- Subscribe to the school messenger account by going to the Greensburg Salem website and selecting "Parents & Community" and then "Stay Connected"
- Subscribe to our social media content on Facebook, Twitter or Instagram @GSSDGoldenLions

5. Provide parents opportunities to volunteer and participate in their child's class, and to observe classroom activities. The following are some examples of the activities provided:

- PTO programs and activities
- Various Family Involvement Nights
- Holiday activities and parties
- Classroom volunteer opportunities
- Homeroom parents
- Field trip chaperones