



**Brownsville Independent School District  
Skinner Elementary School  
School-Parent-Student Compact  
2024-2025**



**School**

In recognition that it is the school's responsibility to provide a high quality curriculum and instruction in a supportive and effective learning environment, the school agrees to:

1. Provide a high quality curriculum in a supportive and effective environment that enables the children served to meet the State's student performance standards.
2. Discuss with parents their responsibilities for supporting improved achievement.
3. Inform parents and students of the purpose of the curriculum and district timelines, student's performance standards, and the instruction the school will provide to enable students to achieve the State standards.
4. Schedule Parent/Teacher conferences.
5. Provide opportunities for encouraging parents to volunteer.
6. Train teachers and other staff on the latest instructional strategies and methodologies to maintain and improve a positive learning environment in the school.

**Parents**

In recognition that it is the responsibility of parents to support their children's learning, the parents of students attending BISD agree to:

1. Ensure that their children attend school and be on time every day.
2. Teach and model respect and responsibility at all times
3. Ensure that their children do their homework.
4. Encourage positive use of their children's spare time.
5. Participate in family reading in order to foster a love of reading.
6. Read at home for two purposes:
  - a. To increase their own knowledge; and
  - b. As an example to their own children.
7. Limit the use of electronic devices used by their children, i.e. TV, cell phone, and video games. Monitor the online platforms your children are using.
8. Participate in decisions relating to the education of their children; monitor academic progress through Home Access Center (HAC).
9. Attend Parent/Teacher conferences and parental involvement activities.
10. Provide appropriate nourishment and rest for the physical well-being of their children.
11. Healthy Choices: Only provide healthy snacks.

**Students**

In recognition that the students have the ultimate responsibility (privilege) of learning, the students of BISD agree to:

1. Be responsible for their own learning and behavior.
2. Come to school on time every day.
3. Encourage other students who need help.
4. Take their homework assignments home, complete them, and return them to the teacher on time.
5. Take pride in their school, individual work, and personal appearance.
6. Display respect for themselves, school staff, and others at all times.
7. Participate in family reading.
8. Display respect for themselves, school staff, and others at all times.
9. Hats, caps, and sunglasses are not allowed.
10. Refrain from engaging or initiation in any act of "bullying" or teasing.
11. Students must wear hunter green shirt or school uniforms, khaki pants and blue jeans are allowed.
12. Hair will be properly groomed. Distracting hairstyles and/or hair colors will not be permitted.
13. Follow student code of conduct.
14. Comply with BISD's Acceptable Use of an Electronic Device policy, including expectations for online etiquette.

Teacher Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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