

What is a School – Parent Compact for Achievement?

A School–Parent Compact for Achievement is an agreement that parents, students and teachers develop together. It explains how parents and teachers will work together to make sure all our students reach grade–level standards.

Effective compacts:

- Link to goals of the school improvement plan
- Focus on student learning skills
- Describe how teachers will help students develop those skills using high–quality instruction
- Share strategies parents can use at home
- Explain how teachers and parents will

Jointly Developed

The parents, students and staff at Oakland Elementary developed this School-Parent Compact for Achievement. Teachers suggested home learning strategies, parents added ideas to make them more specific, and students told us what would help them learn. Meetings are held each year to review the Compact and make changes based on student needs.



Communication about Student Learning

Oakland Elementary is committed to frequent two-way communications with families about children's learning. Some of the ways you can expect us to reach you are:

- Weekly Homework folders
- Daily Agenda books
- Monthly progress notes or phone calls
- Updates on the school website and current grades on progress reports
- Class meetings on understanding student progress
- Parent-teacher-student conferences
- Parent workshops

Building Partnerships

There are many opportunities at Oakland for parents to volunteer and play a role in their child's education. Please consider joining us at some of the following events:

- Parent Mentor/Volunteer Program
- Student-Led Conferences
- Family Engagement Day
- Parent Resource Center

Our Parent Resource Center is open each school day from 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. After hours by appointment.

Parents are welcome to contribute comments at any time!

If you would like to volunteer or participate please contact:

Stacey Clark at stacey.clark@henry.k12.ga.us or 770-954-1901 or go to our school website and click on Academics and then Parent Involvement

Oakland Elementary 2023 – 2024 Title I School Parent Compact for Student Achievement

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Our Goals for Student Achievement

Henry County District Goals

PRIORITY OUTCOMES to measure success:

- We will advance opportunities, access, and outcomes for every student group in Literacy Proficiency at every grade.
- We will advance opportunities, access, and outcomes for every student group in Readiness to Learn at every level.
- We will advance opportunities, access, and outcomes for every student group in College, Career, and Life Ready Skills - post graduation.

Oakland Elementary Goals

Goal 1: Increase the percentage of students reading on or above grade level in 3rd grade from 43% to 55% as measured by the 2024 Spring MAP assessment.

Goal 2: Increase the percentage of students reading on or above grade level in 5th grade from 41% to 55% as measured by the 2024 Spring MAP assessment.

Goal 3: Increase the percentage of students in grade 5 scoring proficient and above on the 2024 Georgia Milestones Assessment in math from 16% (based on 2022-2023) to 24% in order to be on track to meet the 2026 PSO.

Goal 4: Establish, develop, implement and monitor a culture of celebrations, involvement, prevention, and restoration that decrease discipline events by 10% and increases parent and community involvement by 15% by May 2024 resulting in an increased STAR and PBIS rating.

Oakland Title I Students

Oakland students know that their education is important and it will help them to become the student of excellence that they are called to be. The students know that their parents want only the best for them and their teachers expect nothing but excellence from them. It is up to the students to produce high quality work. The students agree to:

Work diligently to excel in mastering the Georgia Standards of Excellence in all content including math and reading

Learn, understand and apply reading and math strategies that will help them to become a master student

Give 100% of their effort to ensure their academic success by:

- **Participate in classroom reading activities**
- **Read for 20 minutes each day**
- **Participate in Number Talks lessons and the Into Reading initiative**

In the School

The Oakland teachers understand the importance of the school experience to every student and their role as a teacher and role model. Therefore, the teachers agree to carry out the following responsibilities:

- **Inform families of the Georgia Standards of Excellence in all content areas including ELA.**
- **Set F & P goals to fit the individual student's reading level. These levels will be re-evaluated at the end of each grading period. Review these goals at parent conferences.**
- **Provide daily Read Alouds to model fluency, comprehension and phonemic awareness.**
- **Offer on-going Reading activities and workshops for families**
- **Provide Units of Study in Writing to build student proficiency.**
- **Set goals to fit the individual student's reading level. Review these goals at parent conferences**
- **Encourage Math fluency by conducting daily Number Talk lessons and incorporating the Into Math initiative**

Oakland Elementary offers ongoing events and program to provide parents and students with access to our staff.

Teachers may be contacted by phone (770)954-1901 or by email with any questions or concerns that the parents may have. Please visit the Oakland website at <http://schoolwires.henry.k12.ga.us/oe> to locate your child's teacher page and email address under the "Teacher" tab.

Student-Led Conferences are held in the fall and spring to discuss your child's progress and review the progress of the school-parent compact.



Parents and Students Working Together for Success

At Home

The Oakland parents realize that their child's school years are more than important. They also understand that they are their child's first teacher. Participation in their child's education will not only help his/her academic achievement, but will directly impact his/her growth and attitude. The parents agree to carry out the following responsibilities:

- **Read with their child at least 20 minutes each day**
- **Utilize the Parent Resource Room and its many ELA and Math resources available for checkout**
- **Attend PTO meetings, family nights, parent workshops, observe classes or volunteer opportunities**
- **Make Reading fun! Use Reading resources to encourage your child**
- **Engage your child in activities at home that put Math skills into practice**
- **Support the Into Math and Into Reading Programs at home**

For questions or additional information:

**Oakland Elementary School
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Parent & Family Engagement activities at OKE are a great place to learn new words, practice math and science and get great games to play at home!