

## **GRADES 7-8 PARENT-SCHOOL COMPACT**

It is important that families and schools work together to help students achieve high academic standards. Through a process that included administrators, teachers, and families, the following are agreed-upon roles and responsibilities that we, as partners, will carry out to support student success in school and in life.

### **REQUIRED SCHOOL-PARENT COMPACT PROVISIONS**

(Provisions bolded in this section are required to be in the Title I, Part A School-Parent Compact)

#### **School Responsibilities:**

**Rahway 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> Grade Academy will:**

- 1. Provide high-quality curriculum and instruction in a supportive and effective learning environment that enables the participating student to meet the State's student academic achievement standards.**
- 2. Hold parent-teacher conferences (at least annually) during which this compact will be discussed as it relates to the individual student's achievement.**
- 3. Provide parents with frequent reports on their children's progress.**
- 4. Provide parents with reasonable access to staff.**
- 5. Provide parents with opportunities to volunteer and participate in their child's class, and to observe classroom activities.**

#### **Family/Parent Responsibilities:**

**I agree to carry out the following responsibilities to the best of my ability:**

- Communicate the importance of education and learning to my child.
- Make sure that my child attends school every day, on time, and with homework completed.
- Provide a quiet time and place for homework.
- Monitor TV viewing and make sure that my child reads every day.
- Support the school's discipline and dress code.
- Monitor my child's progress in school.
- Make every effort to attend school events such as parent-teacher conferences, open house, and Back-to-School Night.
- Ensure that my child get adequate sleep, regular medical attention, and proper nutrition.
- Respect the school, staff, students, and families.

#### **Student Responsibilities:**

**I agree to carry out the following responsibilities to the best of my ability:**

- Come to school on time, ready to learn, and with assignments completed.
- Believe that I can learn and will learn.
- Read for at least 30 minutes, five days a week.
- Set aside time every day to complete my homework.
- Know and follow the school and class rules.
- Regularly talk to my parents and my teachers about my progress in school.
- Respect my school, classmates, staff, and family.

STUDENT'S NAME (Please print): \_\_\_\_\_

STUDENT'S SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_

TEACHER'S SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE \_\_\_\_\_