

**MOUNT VERNON SCHOOL  
DISTRICT  
2024-2025 HOME-SCHOOL  
COMPACT**

GRAHAM SCHOOL AND THE PARENT OF THE STUDENTS PARTICIPATING IN ACTIVITIES, SERVICES, AND PROGRAMS FUNDED BY TITLE 1, PART A OF THE ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION ACT (ESEA) REAUTHORIZED AS THE EVERY STUDENT SUCCEEDS ACT (ESSA), AGREE THAT THIS COMPACT OUTLINES HOW THE PARENTS, THE ENTIRE SCHOOL STAFF, AND THE STUDENTS WILL SHARE RESPONSIBILITY FOR IMPROVED STUDENT ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT AND THE MEANS BY WHICH THE SCHOOL AND PARENTS WILL BUILD AND DEVELOP A PARTNERSHIP THAT WILL HELP CHILDREN ACHIEVE THE NEW YORK STATE STANDARDS.

THIS GRAHAM HOME-SCHOOL COMPACT WILL BE IN EFFECT DURING THE 2024-2025 SCHOOL YEAR AND WILL BE REVIEWED ANNUALLY.

**BUILDING  
PARTNERSHIPS**

**JOIN US  
THROUGHOUT  
THE YEAR:**

- BACK TO SCHOOL NIGHT
- PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES
- PTA MEETINGS
- PARENT WORKSHOPS
- OPEN HOUSE
- PARENT INVOLVEMENT DAY
- STUDENT PERFORMANCES

**Parent Agreement with the  
Home-School Compact**

**GRAHAM  
SCHOOL**

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BE RESPONSIBLE,  
RESPECTFUL  
AND  
READY TO LEARN...  
BE OF GREAT CHARECTER!



**DR. N. HUNTER-MCGREGOR  
PRINCIPAL**

**MRS. F. MENDOZA  
ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL**

**MRS, A. STROZZA  
TITLE 1 COORDINATOR**

## **THE FAMILY AGREES TO:**

ENSURE THAT THE STUDENT ATTENDS SCHOOL REGULARLY, IS ON TIME, PREPARED, AND DRESSED APPROPRIATELY.  
MONITOR HOMEWORK ASSIGNMENTS AND NOTIFY THE TEACHER IF PROBLEMS WITH COMPLETION ARISE.  
READ WITH THE STUDENT IN A REGULAR BASIS AND MONITOR ELECTRONIC USE AT HOME.  
PROMOTE A POSITIVE USE OF MY CHILD'S EXTRACURRICULAR TIME.  
VISIT AND COMMUNICATE WITH THE SCHOOL FREQUENTLY AND ATTEND MUTUALLY SCHEDULED PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES.  
VOLUNTEER OR ASSIST THE SCHOOL AS OFTEN AS POSSIBLE AND ASK FOR ASSISTANCE WHEN NEEDS ARISE.  
MONITOR THE AMOUNT OF TELEVISION AND OTHER SCREENS MY CHILDREN WATCH.  
PARTICIPATE, AS APPROPRIATE, IN DECISIONS RELATING TO MY CHILDREN'S EDUCATION.  
STAY INFORMED ABOUT MY CHILD'S EDUCATION AND COMMUNICATE WITH THE SCHOOL BY PROMPTLY READING ALL NOTICES FROM THE SCHOOL OR THE SCHOOL DISTRICT EITHER RECEIVED BY MY CHILD OR BY MAIL AND RESPONDING, AS APPROPRIATE.

## **SCHOOL RESPONSIBILITIES**

### **THE GRAHAM SCHOOL AGREES TO:**

PROVIDE A SAFE ENVIRONMENT CONDUCIVE TO LEARNING.  
PROVIDE HIGH-QUALITY CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION THAT ENABLES STUDENTS TO MEET HIGH STANDARDS.  
RESPECT AND VALUE THE WIDE VARIETY OF CULTURAL DIFFERENCES OF STUDENTS AND FAMILIES.  
COMMUNICATE EFFECTIVELY AND FREQUENTLY WITH STUDENTS AND THEIR FAMILIES REGARDING INDIVIDUAL STUDENT PROGRESS, AS WELL AS OPPORTUNITIES TO BE MEANINGFUL PARTNERS IN LEARNING.  
PROMOTE A FAMILY-FRIENDLY ATMOSPHERE WHERE VISITORS ARE WELCOMED AND ENCOURAGED TO BECOME ACTIVELY INVOLVED.

## **THE STUDENT AGREES TO:**

ATTEND SCHOOL REGULARLY, BE ON TIME, PREPARED AND DRESSED APPROPRIATELY.  
TRY THEIR BEST TO COMPLETE ALL ASSIGNMENTS AND TO ASK FOR HELP WHEN NEEDED.  
OBEY THE SCHOOL RULES AND SHOW RESPECT FOR ALL PEOPLE.  
REPORT DANGEROUS SITUATIONS OR PROBLEMS TO THE SCHOOL AND/OR FAMILY MEMBERS.  
LIMIT MY TV WATCHING, VIDEO GAME PLAYING, PHONE TIME AND INTERNET USAGE.

THE PARENTS AND STAFF GRAHAM SCHOOL DEVELOPED THIS SCHOOL-PARENT COMPACT FOR ACHIEVEMENT. MEETINGS ARE HELD ANNUALLY TO REVIEW THE COMPACT AND MAKE CHANGES BASED ON STUDENT NEEDS. PARENTS ARE WELCOME TO CONTRIBUTE AT ANY TIME.