



2024-25 SCHOOL-PARENT AND FAMILY COMPACT



What is a School-Parent and Family Compact?

A School-Parent Compact for Achievement is an agreement developed jointly by parents, students and teachers that follows the federal guidelines as stated in the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA). The compact explains how parents and teachers will collaborate to make sure all students reach or exceed grade-level standards.

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COMMITMENT FROM OUR SCHOOL

We are committed to:

- Helping parents understand what children are learning and doing in their classrooms by:
sharing grade level standards for growth and proficiency.
- Ensuring that the language and format of the School-Parent Compact and other information regarding school activities are family-friendly by:
providing translated documents into needed languages.
- Supporting parent participation in learning activities by:
responding respectfully and in a timely fashion to expressed concerns.
- Providing parents the opportunity in developing and revising the school compact by:
working with the Leadership Team to ensure that the Improvement Plan and the Compact reflect parents' priorities, needs, and ideas.
- Providing several methods for regular teacher-parent communication, so that parents are kept up-to-date on their child(ren)'s progress by:
phone calls, Blackboard Connect-Ed messages, Class Dojo messages and weekly information in student folders.
- Building the capacity of school staff to support parent and family engagement by:
holding faculty and staff inservices that focus on parent-family needs.
- Providing regular tips on home learning with the support of Guilford County School's Guilford Parent Academy by:
sharing tips in weekly folders and announcements.
- Other:
Allow for comments on plan: Parent feedback will be gathered through surveys, meetings, and interviews.

COMMITMENT FROM PARENTS AND FAMILY

As parents and family members invested in the education of our children, we promise to:

- Be responsible for supporting our children's learning at school by: being involved in the PTA, attending parent conferences, being available for teachers to contact, and asking questions when needed.
- Be responsible for supporting our children's learning at home by: encouraging daily reading, practicing math facts, and having your scholar attend school regularly and on time.

COMMITMENT FROM STUDENTS

As students we promise to:

- Be responsible and take ownership of learning at school by: attending school regularly. Actively participate in all lessons while exhibiting respectful behavior.
- Be responsible and take ownership of learning at home by: reading at least 20 minutes daily (even on the weekends) and by practicing math facts daily (even on the weekends).

PARENT AND FAMILY ENGAGEMENT ACTIVITIES

We value our partnerships with all stakeholders and are proud of the many opportunities available for parents to be actively involved in the school and activities to support their child. This year, families will be invited to:

Attend Open House prior to the start of the school year which will provide opportunities for families and staff to build partnerships in support of students' achievements. Participate in Parent/Family informational/learning presentations that provide strategies to help parents support their children's academic growth and success in reading, math and

Attend our mid-year "State of the School" event to receive an update on our progress as a school community.

Be a part of reading support and enrichment programs by creating time and space at home for reading and completing reading logs. Contribute to the school's success by taking advantage of volunteer opportunities in the classroom and through PT

MISSION STATEMENT

Ronald E. McNair Elementary School is a diverse community dedicated to providing a safe, supportive, learning environment to develop 21st Century, life-long learners through curiosity, inquiry, and a passion for learning that leads to success for all.