GUILFORD County Schools
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2025-26 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 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.

Dean B. Pruette SCALE Academy

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COMMITMENT FROM OUR SCHOOL

We are committed to:

- **Providing high-quality curriculum and instruction, and doing so in a supportive and effective learning environment by:**

  helping parents understand what students are learning and doing in their classrooms by conducting virtual and/or face-to-face conferences, sending home progress reports three times a quarter, and holding parent nights and curriculum nights.

- **Providing several methods for regular teacher-parent communication to review this Compact so that parents are kept up-to-date on their child(ren)'s progress by:**

  making phone calls, home visits, sending emails, and providing consistent timely feedback to parents regarding their students success.

- **Providing parents with frequent reports on their child's progress by:**

  making phone calls, home visits, sending emails, and providing consistently timely feedback to parents regarding their students success.

- **Providing parents with school's protocol to contact staff by:**

  giving them an updated copy of the school's code of conduct.

- **Providing parents with the school's process to volunteer and participate in their child's class, and to observe classroom activities by:**

  supporting parent participation in learning activities by conducting meetings when possible at a time and location that is convenient for the families we serve.

- **Ensuring regular two-way, meaningful communication between family members and school staff that is in a language that family members can understand by:**

  ensuring that the language and format of information regarding school activities are family-friendly by communicating with families in their first language when possible.

- **Building the capacity of school staff to support parent and family engagement by:**

  providing professional development aimed at improving parent/teacher relationships and communication.

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:**

  ensuring my child attends school regularly and by being available, as needed, to address academic concerns.

- **Be responsible for supporting our children's learning at home by:**

  - providing support, as needed, and contacting the school when extra support is needed to ensure student success.

  - completing homework and getting my child the necessary rest to regularly attend school and and engage in the learning process.

COMMITMENT FROM STUDENTS

As students we promise to:

- **Be responsible and take ownership of learning at school by:**

  being engaged in my own learning and realizing my true potential.

- **Be responsible and take ownership of learning at home by:**

  completing homework and getting the necessary rest to regularly attend school and engage in the learning process.

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 several parent and family engagement events. On September 16, 2025 we will have our Annual Open House Meeting. Students and parents will come in or meet virtually for an individual meeting with our Principal and support staff to discuss program outcomes, academic planning, and a personalized education plan that will align with student needs. Students and their families will also be given an opportunity to meet with teachers and discuss classroom expectations.

The school will receive the support of Guilford County School's Guilford Parent Academy by:

providing regular strategies for virtual learning with the support of Guilford County Schools' Guilford Parent Academy and Blended Learning Departments by sending home quarterly newsletters and conducting curriculum nights.

MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of Dean Pruette SCALE Academy is to empower students to develop the skills necessary for re-entry into a traditional school setting, maximize their individual academic potential and continue their life-long learning.