

What is a School-Parent Compact?

A compact explains how parents and teachers will work together to make sure all our students reach grade-level standards. This compact is a voluntary agreement between Burgess Elementary staff, Burgess Elementary students and their parents to work together in an effort to improve student achievement, foster parental involvement and assure student success.

Communicating about Student Learning

Burgess Elementary is committed to two-way communication with families about their child/children's learning. The following are some ways of communicating throughout the year:

- ❖ Email teachers/staff
- ❖ Parent-teacher conference
- ❖ ParentSquare
- ❖ Telephone calls
- ❖ School Website and Social Media Sites
- ❖ ClassDojo

Burgess Elementary

SCHOOL-PARENT COMPACT

2025-2026

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Mission:

*The mission at **Burgess Elementary** is to create a safe environment conducive to student focused instruction by collaborating, illuminating positivity, and encouraging a love of learning.*

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School Goals:

Reading - Achieve a Growth score or higher and increase the percentage of students scoring at the Meets level to 30%.

Math - Achieve a Growth score or higher and increase the percentage of students scoring at the Meets level to 30%.

Do you have questions about your child's progress?

Contact your child's teacher by calling (940) 235-1136, ParentSquare, or e-mail. E-mail addresses are on the school website at <https://burgess.wfisd.net/>

Building Partnership

If you would like to volunteer at Burgess Elementary, please e-mail our secretary at merodriguez@wfisd.net

Students, Teachers, Parents- Working together for SUCCESS!

As a student at Burgess Elementary, I agree to:

- ❖ Come to school ready to learn with the necessary supplies.
- ❖ Take part in class discussions without being disruptive.
- ❖ Complete class work and homework neatly and to return it to the teacher on time.
- ❖ Allow the teacher/staff to help me work through my problems.
- ❖ Share papers with my parents and return signed papers to my teacher.
- ❖ Ask for help when I don't understand.
- ❖ Be respectful of myself and everyone at Burgess Elementary

As a teacher at Burgess Elementary, I agree to:

- ❖ Hold Back-To-School Event for parents to meet with the teachers and staff.
- ❖ Help to determine the educational needs of your child.
- ❖ Try to adjust the instructional program to meet the academic needs of your child.
- ❖ Provide frequent assessment and continuous feedback on how your child is progressing academically.
- ❖ Seek your cooperation as parents to work as partners in the school.
- ❖ Provide a safe and orderly school environment.
- ❖ Schedule Parent/Teacher conferences.

As a parent of a student at Burgess Elementary, I agree to:

- ❖ Make sure my child is on time and prepared every day for school.
- ❖ Know how my child is doing in school by communicating with teachers.
- ❖ Schedule a conference with the teacher about concerns with schoolwork and behavior.
- ❖ Help my child to accept consequences for negative behavior.
- ❖ Monitor my child's homework and make sure study time is in a quiet place.
- ❖ Limit TV viewing and read together daily with my child.
- ❖ Check with my child daily for information sent home from school.



Signature / date :

Student: _____

Teacher: _____

Parent: _____

Parent #: _____

