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TITLE I SCHOOL-PARENT COMPACT

ESSA, Section 1116(d)

Any school receiving Title I funds must have a School-Parent compact. A compact is a voluntary agreement between groups of people and is a component of the school-level parent involvement policy. It outlines how parents, school staff, and students will share the responsibility for improved student academic achievement.

School responsibilities:

- Provide high-quality curriculum and instruction;
- Provide a supportive and effective learning environment; and
- Enable children to meet the challenging academic state standards.
  ESSA, Section 1116(d)(1)

Parent's responsibilities:

- Volunteer in their child's classroom;
- Participate, as appropriate, in decisions relating to the education of their children; and
- Monitor the positive use of extracurricular time.
  ESSA, Section 1116(d)(1)

Communication between teachers and parents on an ongoing basis:

- Conduct parent-teacher conferences in elementary schools, at least annually, during which the compact should be discussed as the compact relates to the child's achievement;
- Provide frequent progress reports to parents on their children's progress; and
- Provide reasonable access to staff, opportunities to volunteer and participate in their child's class, and observation of classroom activities.
- Ensuring regular two-way, meaningful communication between family members and school staff, and, to the extent practicable, in a language that family members can understand.

ESSA, Section 1116(d)(2)(A)(B)(C

BETHEL HIGH SCHOOL
SCHOOL-PARENT COMPACT FORM

Schools, families, and students benefit when they all take collective responsibility for quality education. When a partnership exists and each partner fulfills his/her responsibilities, student learning improves. The term school community refers to teachers, students, families, other school staff and community members. The signatures below indicate our support of and commitment to the following responsibilities:

Administrative Responsibilities	***Teacher Responsibilities***	***Family Responsibilities***	***Student Responsibilities***
1. Through collaborative decision making, create with the involvement of staff, families, students and the community, a compelling school vision and quality educational program with high standards that are widely understood and embraced by the school community.	1. Through collaborative decision making with colleagues, families and students, create a school vision and quality educational program with high standards that are widely understood and embraced by the school community.	1. Through collaborative decision making, participate with school staff and students in creating a compelling school vision and quality educational program with high standards that are widely understood and embraced by the school community.	1. Through collaborative decision making, participate with parents and school staff in creating a compelling school vision and quality educational program with high standards that are widely understood and embraced by the school community.
2. Provide instructional leadership to ensure appropriate instructional practices, high academic standards, student support, and the delivery of a quality core curriculum to all students.	2. Endeavor to motivate my students to learn. Provide appropriate and varied classroom instruction that actively involves students, and maintain high standards within each subject.	2. Communicate the value of education, and provide home support and monitoring of student academic work and progress in school.	2. Produce quality work that meets the high standards of each class.
3. Provide a safe, orderly and positive teaching/learning environment.	3. Provide a safe, orderly, and caring classroom environment conducive to learning.	3. Establish a schedule with my child for study time, television viewing, peer activities and out-of-school time.	3. Attend school regularly, on time, and with completed homework. Follow agreed schedule and home/school rules.
4. Provide appropriate professional development for staff, families and students to improve teaching and learning and to support collaborative partnerships with families and the community.	4. Participate in professional development opportunities that improve teaching and learning and support the formation of partnerships with families and the community.	4. Participate in training opportunities with staff that help to improve teaching and learning both at home and at school.	4. Participate in school activities with my parents and teachers that help to improve teaching and learning both at home and at school.
5. Maintain open two-way communication between the home and school.	5. Establish two-way communication with families about student progress in school.	5. Communicate regularly with the school.	5. Tell parents honestly what is happening at school and help to maintain two-way communication.
6. Respect the school, students, staff and families.	6. Respect the school, students, staff and families.	6. Respect the school, staff, students, and families.	6. Respect the school, staff, students, and families.

Signatures

Principal Teacher Parent/Guardian Student

Returned and filed at school this _____ day of _____, 20____.

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