

Cartersville Middle School School-Parent Compact



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Building Partnership Activities

CMS Open House August 3, 2026
CMS Back to School Parent Night August 25, 2026
**Fall Family Engagement and Title I Annual
Presentation October 27, 2026**
School Improvement November 2026
Family Engagement Survey March 2027

WHAT IS A SCHOOL-PARENT COMPACT?

A School-Parent Compact for Achievement is an agreement that parents, students, and teachers through collaboration and feedback develop together.

It explains how parents and teachers will work together to ensure all our students reach academic excellence. Meetings (in person or virtual) are held each year to review the compact and make changes based on the students' needs.

COMMUNICATION ABOUT STUDENT LEARNING

- CMS Website
- School App
- Blackboard Messaging
- Student Agendas
- Parent/Teacher Conferences
- Report Cards
- Infinite Campus
- Schoology
- SLDS Parent Portal
- CMS Hurricane Watch Newsletter

Our Goals for Student Achievement 2026-2027

- CMS will improve reading comprehension and vocabulary through targeted strategies to foster active, meaningful learning experiences.
- CMS will provide dedicated Instructional time to meet the diverse needs of all students through targeted intervention, remediation, grade-level support, acceleration, and enrichment opportunities.
- CMS is committed to fostering positive relationships through Capturing Kids' Hearts to create a safe, supportive, and engaging environment where every student is known, valued, and empowered to grow academically, socially, and emotionally.

Teacher/School Responsibilities

We agree to the following to support the academic growth of all students:

- Provide high quality curriculum and instruction in a supportive and effective learning environment
- Hold parent--teacher conferences
- Provide parents with frequent reports on their child's progress
- Provide parents reasonable access to staff
- Provide parents workshops to support student achievement.
- Publish information about school meetings and events in a variety of ways and in a timely fashion

Student Responsibility

I promise to do the following, so I will grow academically and be successful:

- Follow the "Canes" Code
- Complete all assignments daily
- Come to school with the necessary tools for learning, such as paper, pencil, pens, and books
- Listen, participate, and ask questions in class
- Complete homework, reading, and study assignments outside the classroom daily
- Come to school on time

Family Responsibilities

I (we) agree to the following to support our child:

- Ensure my child is on time, and attends school regularly
- Completes all assignments, and comes to school with the necessary tools for learning
- Establish a place and time for assisting my child in studying and completing homework/projects
- Read/Discuss progress reports with my child
- Participate in parent - teacher conferences
- Reinforce with my child the "Canes Code"