

Della Icenhower Intermediate School -Parent Compact

2026-2027



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What is a School-Parent Compact?

A school-parent compact serves as a conduit for conveying shared goals, expectations, responsibilities, visions, and best practices between teachers and families. By establishing a binding agreement between the school and home, the compact fosters a collaborative environment to work harmoniously towards the betterment of each child.

Our Vision

It is the mission of Della Icenhower Intermediate School to provide a safe and secure learning environment for all members of the school community. Working together for the success of every student, excellence will be achieved by maintaining high expectations, accountability, a positive school climate, a high regard for the unique characteristics of individuals, cultural appreciation, a commitment to building relationships with students, families and community, and a focus on life skills and life-long learning. We, the Icenhower School Community, establish this compact in order to foster the core values of honesty, integrity, respect, trust, high expectations, equity, and responsibility and to support the success of Icenhower students. **Our Vision for everyone who enters this school is to "Walk in Willing, Walk Out Ready!"**

Activities to Build Partnerships

At Della Icenhower, we continuously organize various events and programs, ensuring that parents/guardians and students have ample opportunities to connect with our staff. Please refer to the school website or the PFE Policy for more information. A few of these events are:

- 8/6/26: Schedule Pick Up
- 8/27/26: Meet the Teacher Night
- 10/8/26: Parent-Teacher Conferences
- 10/9/26: Parent-Teacher Conferences
- 10/20/26: Literacy Night
- 10/24/26:THS Feeder Pattern Trunk or Treat
- 11/3/26-Math and Science Night
- 12/2/26: Toys for Tots
- 3/11/27-Culture Fair
- 4/1/27-3 on 3 Staff/Student BB Tournament
- 4/30/27-We Are...MAMA Strong!
- 5/7/27:-6th Grade Formal

Student Goals:

2 of my goals this year are:

To achieve these goals, I need:

As a student I will . . .	As a parent/guardian who believes in my child, I will . . .	Our Goals for Student Achievement
- Communicate respectfully with adults and peers. - Follow all of my classes' social contracts. - Take responsibility for my academics. - Complete all work to the best of my ability. - Exhibit positive and appropriate behavior. - Show respect and tolerance for others. - Maintain high expectations of myself and my peers. - Ask for help. Communication About Learning - Parent-Teacher Conferences - Progress reports every three weeks - Positive Phone calls - Methods of communication include: - Phone calls - Emails - Parent Square messages - Website - Weekly Huskies in the Know Newsletter (sent every Sunday at 4:00pm)	- Partner with the staff and my child in their education by respectfully communicating with each other. - Ensure my child has a set place and time to complete homework. - Model respect and tolerance. - Monitor my child's academic and emotional progress through Xello, Skyward, and School Messenger apps - Maintain high expectations of my child and of the school. - Support the school and my child by developing positive behaviors. - Ask for help. - Attend at least one parent and family engagement activity As a staff member who believes in every child, I will . . . - Partner with the parents and students in their education by respectfully communicating with each other. - Provide a safe and positive learning environment that addresses the needs of all students. - Lead by positive example by teaching and modeling respect and tolerance. - Maintain high expectations of every student, of myself, and of the school. - Consistently communicate with parents regarding students' academic progress and SEL needs. - Ask for help.	District Goals - Students will read on level or higher by the beginning of third grade and will remain on level or higher as an MISD student. - Students will demonstrate mastery of Algebra II by the end of eleventh grade. - Students will graduate life ready. - Students will graduate college and/or career ready. School Goals - Increase parents' involvement in their children's education. - Establish effective communication channels between the school and parents/guardians. - Foster strong family-school partnerships for shared responsibility. - Provide parent education and support to enhance their involvement in their children's education. - As a Low teachers will plan and deliver engaging and rigorous instructional strategies to ensure that all students learn the curriculum at or above grade level.

