What is a School-Family Compact?

Our School-Family Compact is a simple agreement between Animas Elementary, families, and students. It explains how we'll work together to support learning and help every child grow and succeed.

Information Resources

Year at a Glance Calendar

Community Input Form

Animas Elementary Website

Animas Elementary Facebook

Parent's Right to Know

District Family Engagement Policy

Parent Engagement Policy

Title I Requirement, Section 1118, Parent Engagement

In order to ensure that the parents of Animas Elementary students have adequate opportunity to participate in the design and implementation of the Title I program, Animas Elementary has adopted the following policies:

1) The Parent Advisory Committee, to include parents and staff, will meet in the Fall and the Spring to:

- a. Provide parents with information about Title I requirements and the School Wide Program
- b. Evaluate and revise the Parent Engagement Policy and Family/School Compact
- c. Review the 90-Day Plan

2) To explain Title I programs, meetings and parent activities will be held throughout the school year:

- a. Three Academic Parent Teacher Team meetings and one Individual Parent/Teacher Conference will be held to address grade level curriculum, proficiency scales, assessments and how parents can assist their children.
- b. The Title I Policy and Family/School Compact will be discussed during the first Academic Parent Teacher Team meeting.
- c. Ready! for Kindergarten will be promoted throughout the year to address readiness skills.

3) Home and school connection resources:

- a. Teacher's email address will be provided to enhance communication between home and school.
- b. The school will utilize "School Status", the school website, newsletters and social media to inform parents of important school news.
- c. Teaching materials are available for parents to help promote and supplement each student's education at home.
- d. Progress reports will be emailed every three weeks and report cards will be emailed every 9 weeks.
- e. Opportunities for parents to work together with teachers will be provided.
- f. With prior notice, opportunities for parents to volunteer or observe in classrooms will be welcomed.

4) Translation services will be provided when needed.

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Our Vision

To provide a safe and inclusive environment where all students are given multiple opportunities to learn and grow academically, socially, and emotionally.

Teacher's Name:_____

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🐴 We are PROUD to be a Mustang! 🐴

👩‍🏫 Teachers are PROUD!

- **Prepared**: Come prepared each day with engaging, standards-based lessons that meet students' individual learning needs.
- **Respectful**: Treat every student and family with respect and communicate in a positive, professional, and welcoming way.
- **On Task**: Maximize instructional time and keep students actively engaged and focused on learning.
- **Understanding & Kind**: Build caring relationships, create a safe and supportive classroom, and respond to students with patience, understanding, and kindness.
- **Do Your Best**: Give our best effort every day to help every student learn, grow, and succeed.

👩 Students are PROUD!

- **Prepared**: Come to school ready to learn with the materials and attitude needed for success.
- **Respectful**: Treat classmates, teachers, staff, and school property with respect.
- **On Task**: Stay focused, follow directions, participate, and use learning time wisely.
- **Understanding & Kind**: Show kindness, include others, and use words and actions that help everyone feel safe and valued.
- **Do Your Best**: Give your best effort, keep trying when learning is challenging, and take pride in your growth.

👨‍👩‍👧 Families are PROUD!

- **Prepared**: Help my child come to school on time, ready to learn, and prepared for the day.
- **Respectful**: Communicate respectfully and work in partnership with teachers and school staff.
- **On Task**: Stay informed about my child's learning, attendance, and school activities.
- **Understanding & Kind**: Encourage my child, celebrate their growth, and support positive relationships with others.
- **Do Your Best**: Do my best to support my child's learning at home and partner with the school to help my child succeed.

School Commitments

At Animas Elementary, we deeply value strong partnerships with our families and community. Together we can support every child's success. Our School will:

- Provide high-quality teaching and curriculum.
- Share clear information on student progress and expectations.
- Host academic meetings and family activities throughout the year.
- Invite families to join advisory committees to participate in improving school programs.
- Welcome parents to volunteer or observe in class.
- Offer resources and workshops to support learning at home.
- Encourage open, two-way communication.

🌟The Animas Way – **PROUD** like a Mustang! 🌟

P is for **Prepared**
R is for **Respectful**
O is for **On Task**
U is for **Understanding & Kind**
D is for **Do your Best**

Our Mission

At Animas Elementary we:

- Create a safe, welcoming place where everyone is respected.
- Provide meaningful opportunities for all learners to grow.
- Value collaboration, reflection, and a growth mindset.
- Honor our school systems and shared responsibilities.
- Communicate openly, act with kindness, and take ownership.
- Celebrate diversity, build positive relationships, and strengthen our school culture together.



Meet Amanda Wilder

What is a Community School?

Community schools are a whole-child, comprehensive strategy to transform schools into places where educators, local community members, families, and students work together to strengthen conditions for student learning and healthy development. As partners, they organize in-and-out of school resources, supports, and opportunities so that students and families thrive.