WHAT IS A SCHOOL COMPACT

What is a School-Family Compact? Esperanza Elementary-Student-Family Compact is an agreement between the school, the parents/guardians, and attending children, which outlines how we as a community will share responsibility for improved student achievement. We write this agreement to inspire each of us to help students reach the highest potential for intellectual and emotional growth.

PARENT'S RIGHT TO KNOW LINK:

https://www.farmingtonschools.us/o/sfss/page/title-i-part-a-economically-disadvantaged

DISTRICT TITLE ONE FAMILY POLICY LINK:

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1QakcDOHgMplChgsfqFyIlZEbUI3xHwRf3JfLOpXtyb8/edit?tab=t.0

BUILDING PARTENERSHIPS

Esperanza holds a Fall PAC meeting (Parent Advisory Committee) to review:

- 90 Day schoolwide plan
- Family engagement plan
- Share the Title I requirements and the rights of parents to be involved

During our Spring PAC meeting, we will:

- evaluate the parent and family engagement policies
- develop a written policy, and create a compact that outlines how parents/guardians, students, and staff will share the responsibility for improving achievement and how parents/guardians and teachers will communicate

The School Commitment

BIG GOALS

- **Every student in our school is grade level ready**
- **All staff, students, and families will be actively involved and take pride in the successes of the Esperanza community**

DISTRICT FAMILY ENGAGEMENT EXPECTATIONS

- **The district will offer and support programs and procedures to engage parents and families in schoolwide programs**
- **Provide training and support with programs such as Academic Parent Teacher Teams (APTT), Parent Liaison Program, and READY! For Kindergarten Parent Program**
- **The district will support schools in providing opportunities for the participation of parents and families with diverse needs including providing information in a format and language parents and families understand**

ESPERANZA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Rising to Excellence in Every Pursuit

2026-2027 SCHOOL/FAMILY COMPACT

MISSION

We provide a safe, learning environment where all students are encouraged to build character, be self-motivated, learn with curiosity, and grow through meaningful relationships, high expectations, and family engagement.

VISION

"Inspiring leaders by nurturing purpose, pride, and a passion for learning in every child"

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JANA BEGAY- ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL

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FAMILY EXPECTATIONS

- Make sure my child attends school every day, arriving on time and staying until dismissal; unless ill
- Notify office if my student is absent
- Stay informed by monitoring my student's backpack, agenda, and/or Remind app for messages
- Read at home and checking homework
- Reviewing my child's progress and reaching out to the teacher with any problems and/or concerns
- Attend APTT meetings to discuss my student's progress and learn how I can support their success
- Connect with teachers through open communication
- Attend school-wide events

SCHOOL EXPECTATIONS

- Faculty will build a relationship with students and their families
- Be available during planning time, before and right after school for questions about your child's progress and needs
- Provide a secure and safe environment conducive to learning
- Hold high expectations for all students
- Continuously review student data to provide targeted and individualized instruction
- Be aware of students' social-emotional well-being and offer available support

STUDENT EXPECTATIONS

- Have good school attendance, be on time for class, and be ready to work every day
- Be prepared
- Follow school rules and expectations
- Develop goals and monitor tracking of those goals
- Remind family to attend and play APTT games
- Ask for help from my family and teachers when I don't understand and need help
- Read Daily

Student's have the opportunity to participate in:

- ◯ Student Council
- ◯ Equity Council
- ◯ _____
- ◯ Spelling Bee
- ◯ Science Fair
- ◯ AND MORE!!

FAMILY SUPPORT

Esperanza will take the following actions to support our families and staff. We will form strong partnerships that will lead to improved student achievement.

- Assist families in understanding Title I requirements, how to monitor their child's progress, and how to build ties with schools through:
  - ↳ Training and support with programs such as Academic Parent Teacher Teams (APTT), Parent Liaison Program, and READY! For Kindergarten Parent Program
  - ↳ Resources, information, and support on state standards, state provided resources, and district programs

Esperanza will....

carry out programs and procedures in accordance with the following definition of parent and family engagement:

Parent and family engagement means the participation of parents and families in regular, two-way, and meaningful communication involving student academic learning. This includes ensuring that parents and families play an integral role in their child's learning, are encouraged to be actively involved and full partners in their child's education, and are included in decision-making and on advisory committees to assist in the education of their child.

Families have the opportunity to participate in:

- ◯ PTO
- ◯ PAC
- ◯ and MORE!

SCHOOL RESOURCES

SECOND STEP

Students learn empathy, emotional management, friendship, and problem solving; which help students be successful in and out of the classroom during social interactions.