

Watauga Elementary

2026-2027 School-Parent Compact

What is a School-Parent Compact?

A *School-Parent Compact for Achievement* is an agreement that parents, scholars, and teachers develop together. It explains how parents and teachers will work together to make sure all our scholars reach or exceed grade-level standards.

The Watauga Elementary School-Parent Compact will:

- Link to goals of the school improvement plan
- Focus on scholars learning skills
- Describe how teachers will help scholars develop those skills using high-quality instruction
- Share strategies parents can use at home
- Explain how teachers and parents will communicate about scholar progress
- Describe opportunities for parents to volunteer, observe, and participate in the classroom

Jointly Developed

The families, scholars, and staff of Watauga Elementary developed this school-parent compact. Teachers suggested home learning strategies, families added ideas to make them more specific, and scholars told us what would help them learn. Meetings and events are held each year to review the compact and make changes based on scholar and family needs.

Watauga Elementary families are welcome to contribute suggestions at any time.

Building Partnerships

- Annual Meeting
- Family Engagement Nights
- House Council Events
- Family Friday Lunches
- School Support Events
- Parent-Teacher Conferences

Communication About Student Learning

Watauga Elementary is committed to frequent two-way communication with families about student learning.

- PowerSchool
- Weekly newsletters
- Updates on school and class websites
- Two parent-teacher conferences
- Progress Reports/Report Cards
- Communication Platforms
- Flyers home about upcoming events
- Marquee
- DoJo App
- Parent Square



Teachers, families, scholars – Together for Success

As a school, we will ...

- offer parent and family engagement nights throughout the year.
- create meaningful engaging lessons utilizing CKLA and HMH that meet the TN State Standard.
- provide independent reading time each day
- will provide reading lessons that include multiple content areas.

As families, we will ...

- read with my child each night.
- check my child's folder each night for teacher/school communication.
- attend all parent and family engagement nights
- attend both parent/teacher conferences.
- ensure that my child attends school each day and arrives on time.
- be attentive to information sent via all communication platforms.
- support and reinforce all school/classroom rules and expectations in the classroom setting.

As scholars, we will ...

- set goals at the beginning of the year for reading and math
- read each night
- attend parent and family engagement nights
- participate in parent/teacher conferences
- come to school each day and on time ready to learn
- follow classroom and school rules and procedures

Our Goals for Student Achievement

The mission of Watauga Elementary is to collaborate with families and community members to provide a safe learning environment that meets the academic, social, and physical needs of all students.

District Goals

It is the goal of Robertson County Schools to increase the percentage of students scoring "Met" or "Exceeded" in ELA for all students from 36.3% to 50.8% and math for all students from 40.4% to 54.0% by the year 2029.

It is the goal of Robertson County Schools to reduce chronic absenteeism for all students in grades K-8 from 15.5% to 6.0% by the year 2029.

It is the goal of Robertson County Schools to reduce In-School Suspension for all students from 9% to 6% by the year 2029.

It is the goal of Robertson County Schools to reduce Out-Of-School Suspension for all students from 3.9% to 2.0% by the year 2029.

It is the goal of Robertson County Schools to increase the growth standard for all ELL students from 35.8% to 50.4% by the year 2029.

School Goals

It is the goal of Watauga Elementary to increase the percentage of students scoring "Met" or "Exceeded" in ELA for all students from 49.6% to 55.2% and math for all students from 58.1% to 61.3% by the year 2029.

It is the goal of Watauga Elementary to reduce chronic absenteeism for all students from 16% to 6% by the year 2029.

It is the goal of Watauga Elementary to reduce In-School Suspension for all students from 12% to 6% by the year 2029.

It is the goal of Watauga Elementary to reduce Out-Of-School Suspension for all students from 8% to 2% by the year 2029.

It is the goal of Robertson County Schools to increase the growth standard for all ELL students from 70.6% to 78% by the year 2029.