The Promise
Career Institute
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**2026-2027**
**School-Family Compact**
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**What is a School-Family Compact?**

A School-Family Compact is an agreement that parents, students, and teachers develop together. Our compact explains how parents and teachers will work together to ensure all students reach grade level standards.

**Jointly Developed**

The parents, students, and staff of The Promise Career Institute (PCI) jointly developed this School-Family Compact for student achievement. After facilitating input meetings with parents and staff to identify activities that could be used at home, students were invited to provide feedback on how these strategies would help them achieve their academic goals. The suggestions from all stakeholders will be reviewed and revised annually. This compact will be shared with all parents and families and will be accessible on the school's website for review and comments. It will be revised annually.

Parent/Guardians are always welcome to contribute comments and feedback throughout the school year. Please contact the school for more information or if you have any questions.

**Parent Resource Collaboration**

Hours of Operation: Monday - Thursday 8:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.
Phone: 470-254-3950 **Parent Liaison:** K Franks-Smith

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**Building Partnerships**

The Promise Career Institute provides opportunities for parents to volunteer, observe, and participate in school activities to build partnerships that will support student learning. The following partnership opportunities are available to all parents/guardians in person and/or virtually.

· **Volunteering:** Ongoing (must complete Volunteer registration through Fulton County Schools' website)
· **Classroom Observations:** Ongoing (must be scheduled 24 hours in advance)

**Monthy Events**
**PCI Sneak-A-Peek:** July 30, 2026
**Annual Title I Parent Meeting & Curriculum Night:** August 20, 2026
**Progress Pop-In-:** Sept. 16,2026
**ESOL Family Night (Virtual):** October7, 2026
**Math and Science Night:** October 08, 2026
**Literacy Night:** October 28, 2026Talking
**Technology at PCI:** November 12, 2026
**Testing Tigers:** January 15, 2027
**Black Wall Street**: January 29,2027
**Parent Input Meeting:** March 12, 2027
**Transition Night:** April 15, 2027

**Communication About Student Learning**

PCI is committed to providing regular two-way communication. Some of the ways we communicate are:
· Tiger Times Newsletter
·Canvas
Infinite Campus · School Website · Parent-Teacher Conferences - Progress Pop-In
· Progress Reports
· Classroom Observation
· Compact Discussion
· Social Media

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**District Goals 2026-2027**

- Increase the graduation rate for all students.
- Increase the percentage of students meeting the College Readiness Benchmarks.

**School Goals 2026-2027**

**Literacy:** By May 2027, the percentage of students scoring proficient or above on the Literature and Composition II Georgia Milestones End-of-Course (EOC) assessment will increase by 3%.

**Math:** By the end of May 2027, the percentage of students performing at proficient or above on the Algebra Concepts and Connections Georgia Milestones End-of-Course Test will increase by 3%.

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**School Areas of Emphasis**

## Literacy

Instruction will focus on strengthening students' ability to critically analyze texts, draw inferences, and synthesize ideas in alignment with the demands of the EOC and postsecondary literacy expectations. Students will be guided to consistently produce writing grounded in textual evidence. These practices will not only improve performance on the Literature and Composition II EOC but also equip students with the communication skills necessary for success in both college and career pathways.

## Mathematics

Strengthen students' mastery of core algebraic skills—including understanding functions, manipulating expressions, and solving equations—to ensure proficiency on the Algebra Concepts and Connections EOC. These foundational skills provide the framework for the quantitative reasoning required in technical programs at Atlanta Technical College and beyond. Instruction will incorporate tasks and projects that connect algebraic principles to authentic, real-world applications, particularly within technical and career fields. By making these connections explicit, students will recognize the relevance of mathematics and be better prepared for the rigor of postsecondary coursework and career pathways.





# Teachers, Parents, and Students Working Together for Success

## The Promise Career Institute will:

**Provide Skills Workshops and Events:** Host various workshops and events to assist parents in strengthening ELA and Math skills, with strategies. Provide tutorial option for all students 8:10AM-8:55AM, 3:15-4:00PM. Mon-Thursday.

**Offer Parent Technology Training:** Provide parent training on Infinite Campus, and Canvas to monitor student progress, parents will review assignments in Canva to check for understanding and mastery.

**Guide Career Pathway Exploration:** Train parents to understand career pathway options and requirements through the Atlanta Technical College partnership, industry partners, and community members parents can assist students in selecting a work-based pathway that's best for them.

## Families will:

**Participate in Learning Sessions:** Attend workshops, training sessions, events designed to to improve ELA and Math instruction at home. By strengthening these core academic areas, families help students build a strong foundation for meeting the entrance requirements and academic rigor of TCC programs offered by Atlanta Technical College. Encourage students to take advantage of tutorial offerings when needed. Attend Progress-Pop- In to receive individualized support for your student.

**Utilize Educational Platforms:** Register for Infinite Campus, Canvas, and other platforms to continuously track student progress. By staying informed, families can help students maintain the academic performance necessary for future enrollment in TCC pathways, ensuring they are always working toward college readiness.

**Engage in Career-Focused Activities:** attend Future Fridays, career pathway information sessions, and field trips to Atlanta Technical College. Through these experiences, families gain insight into how academic success connects directly to TCC opportunities, enabling them to guide students toward pathways that align with their interests and academic strengths.

## Students will:

**Apply Learning Strategies at Home:** Use the ELA and Math strategies introduced in class and at events—supported by their families—to develop the core competencies essential for high school achievement and eventual TCC program requirements at Atlanta Technical College.

M**onitor Academic Progress:** Consistently review their own performance through Infinite Campus and Canva, ensuring mastery of key standards. With family support, students stay on track for meeting the academic benchmarks linked to TCC eligibility and progression.

**Explore Career Options:** Participate in Future Fridays and related exploration activities at Atlanta Technical College to understand the various TCC pathways available. By aligning personal interests with academic strengths and college-level opportunities, students will cultivate professionalism, develop employable skills, and build a strong foundation for achieving their chosen post-secondary goals.