

What is a School—Parent Compact?

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

Effective Compacts:

- Explains how the teacher and parent will communicate about student progress
- Describes how teachers, students, and parents will work as a team for achievement
- Provide opportunities for parents to get involved in their child's education

Jointly Developed

The School-Parent Compact was jointly developed by parents, students, and staff members. The parents provided ideas and suggestions on how they can support their child at home as well as in the school. The students answered the questions— How can I contribute to my education? What can I do to be successful? The teachers shared what they do in the classroom. Meetings are held each year to review the compact and make changes if necessary. This year we reviewed the compact during our Title I meeting on September 25, 2026 at 8:30am and September 17, 2026 5:00pm.

Parents are encouraged to contribute comments at any time.

Building Partnerships

We will have many opportunities this year to continue building partnerships with one another.

- Open House meeting September 17, 2026
- Loteria Night: September 30, 2026
- Community Garage Sale: September 26, 2026
- Fall Academic Night: October 15, 2026.
- Trunk-o-treat October 30, 2026
- Join us for the Fall Festival on November 7, 2026
 - 5th grade school choice fairs
 - Breakfast with Santa.
 - Stay connected via ParentSquare for more updates

Communication about Student Learning

At Eliot Elementary, we strive to send out as much communication as possible to our families. Some of the ways we communicate are:

- Weekly homework/conduct folders by teachers
- Newsletters and flyers
- Updates on media— Parent square, school website, Facebook, and X
- Parent conferences
- Principal and counselor newsletters

If you have any questions about the progress of your child, feel free to contact the school at 713-671-3670 to set up a conference with your child's teacher.

2026-2027 School Parent Compact Charles W. Eliot Elementary



The Mission of Eliot Elementary School is that every student will be a leader of their social, emotional, and academic learning.

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Teachers, Parents, and Students working together for Success

Our Goals for Student Success

District Goals

The vision of HISD is for every child to have equitable opportunities and equal access to an effective and personalized education in a nurturing and safe environment. The students will graduate as critical thinkers and problem solvers; they will know and understand how to be successful in a global society. HISD Goals include but not limited to:

- Increase the percentage of 3rd grade students performing at or above grade level for Math and Reading STAAR.
- Increase the percentage of graduates that meet the criteria for College/Career/Military readiness.

School Goals

Eliot's vision is to meet the student where they are to ensure we build those essential skills for overall comprehension. Eliot's goals include but not limited to:

- Recertification as a Leader in Me Light-house campus.
- Increase the percentage of students approaching, meeting, and mastering on grade level for STAAR.
- Increase the percentage of students' growth on TELPAS.

In the Classroom



To build and develop a strong and responsible relationship between student and parent, Eliot teachers are committed to:

- Communicating with families through various means such as parent square, Class Dojo, and newsletters.
- Assigning meaningful homework that conveys the concepts for reinforcement.
- Being respectful of parents' time by being prepared for all meetings and events.
- Being more involved with the community by participating in school events.
- Differentiating instruction, providing support, and helping students gain self confidence to meet their needs.

Eliot Elementary Students

To encourage academic growth, Eliot students are committed to:

- Being responsible and respectful to all including themselves.
- Completing their homework and school work everyday.
- Always exhibiting leadership skills and habits.
- Reading at home everyday.

At Home

To continue to encourage the success of our students, Eliot parents are committed to:

- Encouraging and motivating their child every day by using positive words and rewards.
- Volunteering and participating in school events.
- Monitoring school attendance.
- Supervise technology usage.
- Reviewing homework by going over it and asking questions about what they read.
- Communicating with the teachers when it's needed and know where their child is academically.



For more information about the compact, contact Ms. Vega @ 713-671-3670.

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