

Educational Involvement Accord – Additional Information for Jacks Valley Elementary School

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Attached you will find a copy of the Educational Involvement Accord ("Accord"). Please take a few minutes to review the contents and discuss with your child. In addition, the following information will help guide you to resources and information to our school. Please reach out to your child's teacher or the site administrator if you have additional questions or need assistance in locating information.

Q - How do I contact my child's teacher and the principal of the school?

A – Parents are always encouraged to call (775) 267-3267 or visit our website (https://jves.dcsd.net/) to email appropriate staff. Parents can also visit the school's Landing Pages on the school website to contact their teacher or administrator/s.

Q - Where will I find the grade level standards for my child's grade level? Where will I find the due dates for major examinations and significant projects?

A – Visit the school's website and/or Nevada Department of Education (www.doe.nv.gov) to access Nevada Academic Content Standards for each grade level. They can also visit their child's teacher's Landing Page to contact the teacher to learn more about major examinations and/or projects.

Q - Where will I find the homework and grading policies of my child's teacher, or the school homework and grading policies?

A – Visit the school's website (Student Handbook) and district website (www.dcsd.k12.nv.us) to review homework and grading policies. Parents can also review homework information on the Peechee that comes home every week.

Q - Where will I find a resource directory, list of vetted and approved websites, and information on additional tutoring or support for my child?

A – Visit the school and district website for additional resources. In addition, in partnership with DCSD you can visit the online Community Resource Directory at (www.pdcnv.org). Parents are also encouraged to contact our school counselor to obtain more information.

Q - What suggestions do you have for me to help me with assisting my child with their schoolwork at home?

A – It is important that you attend parent-teacher conferences to meet with your child's teacher to know what types of support your child will need.

- Set-up a homework-friendly area that is well lit with all the supplies your child will need to complete homework (e.g. paper, pencils, glue, scissors, etc…)
- Schedule a regular study time for your child
- Help your child make a plan by breaking up the work into manageable chunks ●

Create a work schedule with 15-minute breaks, depending on the age of your child ●

Keep distractions to a minimum—no TV, loud music, etc…

- Encourage and Motivate your child and be available for questions

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- Praise your child's work efforts
- If there are continuing problems with homework, schedule time to discuss with your child's teacher
- Talk to your child's teacher about school and how you can access the different resources at home to support your child.

Q - What are the dates of scheduled parent-teacher conferences?

A – Half-day on November 10, 2025 .

Q - How will I receive reports of my child's progress? What tool(s) are available so that I can regularly check on my child's attendance and academic progress?

A - Infinite Campus—(student information system) is the best way to monitor and check on your child's progress. Please contact the school to receive your Infinite Campus login number.

Q - Where will I find information on classroom rules?

A – In the Student Handbook located on the school's website and your child's classroom teacher.

Q - Where will I find information on the school dress code?

A - In the Student Handbook located on the school's website.

Q - How do I receive translation assistance during parent conferences and school events? A –

Notify classroom teacher/main office in advance to schedule an interpreter for meetings.

Q - Where do I find information on the availability of free and reduced price meals for my child at school?

A – Receive an application from our main office or visit our school's website to complete the Online Meal Application.

Q - How may I become involved in the education of my child? Are there opportunities for me to volunteer in the school or class?

A – Yes, parents must complete the **DCSD School Volunteer Application** Packet found on the school's website under **Families** and **Community Resources** in order to be cleared to volunteer in the classroom. In addition, reach out to your child's teacher to schedule time to volunteer in their classroom.

Q - Where do I return the signed Code of Honor form that I have reviewed with my child?

A – To the school's main office and or child's teacher.