

## What is a Family-School Compact?

A *School-Parent Compact for Achievement* 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:

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

## Jointly Developed

The parents, students and staff of Glenwood Elementary School developed this School-Parent Compact for Achievement. Teachers suggested home learning strategies, parents added ideas to make them more specific, and students told us what would help them learn. Meetings are held each year to review the Compact and make changes based on student needs.

**Parents are welcome to contribute comments at any time.**

**If you would like to volunteer, participate and/or observe in the classroom, please contact:**  
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## Activities to Build Partnerships

- Parent conferences
  - Leader in Me Leadership Day
  - Family Leadership Night
  - GT Parent Night
  - Family Science Night
  - Grade Level Programs
  - Parent Leadership Committee
- Activities such as Halloween Carnival, Cinco de Mayo Celebration, and others.

## Communication about Student Learning

**Glenwood staff will communicate with parents through Parent Conferences, notes and flyers sent home and through phone calls. Any communication sent home will be in a Dual Language format to help facilitate the home/school connection.**

## School-Parent Compact for Achievement for 2016-2017

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## Our Goals for Student Achievement

### District Goals

**Every campus will improve student performance on the STAAR/EOC assessment in each of the accountability groups as measured by:**

- a. Increasing the number of students passing all tests until 95% are accomplishing this measure.
- b. Reducing the number of students failing more than 1 test.

### School Goals

- To increase the academic achievement of all children.
- To provide a learning environment which promotes the development of strong character, and
- To encourage parent participation and for the school

## Teachers, Parents, Students – Together for Success

### At School

1. Schedule parent/teacher conferences
2. Maintain communication with parents regarding student progress
3. Provide the students classroom guidance to enhance school performance
4. Utilize a dual-language format when communicating with parents and
5. Offer parent workshops on topics of interest

### At Home

1. Communicate with the school if concerns develop throughout the year
2. Encourage their children to be in attendance and arrive on time to school and
3. Support the student learning through home activities
4. Help their child follow the Student Code of Conduct
5. Dress their children according to the Glenwood dress code

### Students

1. Become an ambassador between school home
2. Visit the counselor, teacher, or administrator if problems develop that the student cannot control
3. Be in attendance and on time to school
4. Follow the Student Code of Conduct
5. Comply with the Glenwood dress code
6. Complete schoolwork on time and to the best of their ability