

What is a School-Parent Compact?

Our annual school-parent compact offers ways that we can work together to help our students succeed. This compact provides strategies to help connect learning at school and at home.

Effective Compacts:

- Link to academic achievement goals
- Focus on student learning
- Share strategies that staff, parents, and students can use
- Explain how parents and teachers can communicate about student progress
- Describe opportunities for parents to observe, volunteer, and participate in the classroom

Jointly Developed

The parents, students, and staff worked together and shared ideas to develop the school-parent compact. Teachers met with their subject area teams to design practical strategies for parents to use at home. Parents provided valuable feedback on their needs to help their students. Students completed comment cards to add ideas for the compact. Meetings are held each year to review and revise the compact based on the school's academic achievement goals and students' needs.

Parents are welcome to provide feedback on the compact at anytime during the school year. All feedback will be collected and reviewed during the annual revision meeting with parents. Please call 706-236-1849 or visit our website, www.pepperellmiddle.com, for more information on the school-parent compact.



Building Partnerships

Pepperell Middle School offers ongoing events and programs to provide parents and students with access to our staff.

- Fall Academic Kickoff-Open House
- Parent-teacher conference days 10/4/18 and 2/14/19 to discuss and review progress
- Moving Towards Graduation Program
- Teacher Websites- updated with resources
- Parent Resource Center (M-F 8:30-2:30)
- Annual Title I meeting (August) and Revision meeting (May)

Communication About Student Learning

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- Fall Academic Kickoff-Open House
- Parent-teacher conferences
- Moving Towards Graduation program to discuss your child's progress and review the progress of the school-parent compact
- Teacher Websites
- Parent Resource Center
- Parent Portal

Parental Involvement

There are many opportunities at our school for parents to volunteer and play a role in their child's education. Please consider joining the faculty, staff, and your student through some of the following events and programs

- Student Mentor Program
- Technology Information Day- 1st Monday each month in Parent Resource Center at 5:30 pm August-October
- Parent Resource Center Volunteers
- Parent involvement Day- March 14, 2019



Pepperell Middle School

2018-2019 School-Parent Compact *Revised 5/24/18*

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Academic Achievement Goals

District Goals

The percentage of proficient and distinguished learners on EOC will increase by 3% and 1's decrease by 3%.

Teachers in non-tested subjects will revert to school level performance.

School Goals

To increase the number of students who score a 4 on the Milestones Assessment in Math, English Language Arts, Science, and Social Studies

To provide research based interventions to students to allow high achievement on various assessment measures

Areas of Emphasis

6th Grade Focus:

- Transition to Middle School
- ELA-Narrative Writing
- Mathematics- Develop and understanding of statistical thinking

7th Grade Focus:

- Increase parental involvement
- ELA- Narrative Writing
- Mathematics- Solve problems involving scale drawings and informal geometric constructions, and work with two- and three-dimensional shapes to solve problems involving area, surface area, and volume

8th Grade Focus

- Prepare students for high school pathway
- ELA-Narrative Writing
- Mathematics- Formulate and reason about expressions and equations, including modeling with association in bivariate data with linear equations and systems of linear equations



As a School, we will.....

- Develop parent workshops to allow parent participation in the academic achievements for their child.
- Provide parents with packets for academic support at home 3 times a year at our "Moving Towards Graduation" conferences.
- Post supports and reviews for math and literacy on teacher websites and update regularly.
- Conduct DEAR (Drop Everything And Read) for at least 20 minutes weekly in each subject area to support increasing literacy.
- Provide summer reading lists and materials.

As Parents, we will.....

- Attend workshops and use the information gained to check on the progress of my student.
- Use the packets sent home during "Moving Towards Graduation" conferences to help my student master Math and Literacy.
- Visit teacher websites and use the resources posted to help my student study and check for understanding.
- Will read with or have my student read to me 20 minutes a week and check for understanding throughout the year.



As Students, we will....

- Share information with my parents about Google Classroom and other resources teacher provide and ask teachers questions when I do not understand something.
- Work on resources provided at home and attend tutoring if I still have questions.
- Visit teacher websites and use the resources and examples provided.
- Read 20 minutes during DEAR (Drop Everything And Read) in class and read 20 minutes once a week at home, including summer.

My Goals

My own personal goal for MATH is:

My own personal goal for LITERACY is:

My TEACHERS can help me reach my goal by:

My FAMILY can help me reach my goal by:

