

## What is a School-Parent Compact?

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

Effective components:

- \* 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

Opportunities were provided for parents, students, and teachers to share their thoughts in developing this school-parent compact with regard to what is most needed educationally for student success. Parent feedback was gathered through our end-of-the-year survey.

Parents, teachers, students, and the school administration have opportunities to review the compact and make changes based on student needs each year.

**If you would like to volunteer, participate, and/or observe in the classroom, please contact our front office at 478-457-2440.**

**Building Relationships for Student Achievement, Midway Hills Academy**, offers ongoing events and programs to provide parents and students with access to our staff -

- \* Fall Open House
- \* PBIS REWARDS
- \* Community Nights: Reading, Math, Science
- \* PTO
- \* Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter

More family learning opportunities will be available throughout the school year. Detailed information will be sent home.

### Communication About Student Learning

We believe open communication between home and school is essential for students' success.

- \* Parent-Teacher Conferences to discuss your child's progress and review the progress of the school-parent compact.
- \* Current grades in Infinite Campus
- \* Weekly Wednesday folders
- \* Invitations to parents to all School-wide and district opportunities for learning
- \* All documents are placed in the main office for parental access and uploaded to the website.

**Do you have questions about your child's progress? Contact your child's teacher through email, telephone, letters, school visits, and the school website.**

### Parental Involvement

Our school has many opportunities for parents to volunteer and play a role in their child's education.

- \* Partnering with Communities in Schools (CIS)
- \* Volunteering
- \* Chaperoning field trips
- \* Parent University-Baldwin
- Joining and participating in PTO

**To participate or learn more about CIS, please contact Ashley Herrington at 478-457-2440 or email at [Ashley.Herrington@baldwin.k12.ga.us](mailto:Ashley.Herrington@baldwin.k12.ga.us)**

Midway Hills



Academy

**2023-2024**

## School-Parent Compact

*Revised August 08, 2023*

**Check out our Website:**

<https://www.baldwincountyschoolsga.org/midwayhillsacademy>

facebook

<https://www.facebook.com/MidwayAcademyBaldwin/>

**Follow us on Twitter:**

MidwayMustangs1

Follow us on Instagram

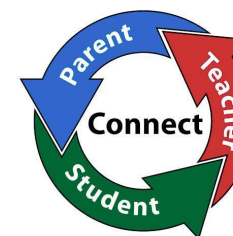
mha\_midwayhills

Principal: Mrs. Terri Carty, Ed.S

[Terri.Carty@baldwin.k12.ga.us](mailto:Terri.Carty@baldwin.k12.ga.us)

Assistant Principal: Dr. Jennifer Dunbar

[Jennifer.dunbar@baldwin.k12.ga.us](mailto:Jennifer.dunbar@baldwin.k12.ga.us)







## **Our Goals for Student Achievement**

### **District Goals**

- ❖ All students will reach high standards at a minimum,, attaining proficiency or better in Reading/Language Arts and Mathematics on the state assessment.

### **School Goals and Focus Areas** **2032-2024**

- ❖ Midway Hills Academy will increase the percentage of students reading on grade level by five percentage points as measured by MAP Fluency for grades 3-5.

### **Focus Areas: Literacy& Math will be** **The academic focus areas for the** **2023-2024 school year.**

We are working to increase reading proficiency by concentrating on the following areas

- ❖ Vocabulary Development
- ❖ Reading Comprehension
- ❖ Writing

### **As a school, we will...**

- ❖ Share regular communications with tips/suggestions or websites to improve literacy.
- ❖ Provide digital resources that have links to learning on them.

### **As parents, we will...**

- ❖ Reference school communications and utilize literacy tips and suggestions
- ❖ Check the school website and social media sites
- ❖ Participate in events that promote family/school engagement

### **As students, we will....**

- ❖ Bring home class newsletters and notices about Family Events
- ❖ Discuss with family new vocabulary words or skills learned in reading
- ❖ Show family websites used to learn literacy skills



### **Availability of School-Parent Compact**

The School-Parent Compact will be sent home with each student in the folder by August 30th, 2023. A signature sheet will accompany the contract to be returned to the school.

The compact will be posted on the school website, in the main office, and from the Family Engagement Specialist/Title 1 coordinator at the Baldwin County Board of Education.



**Please Submit This Sheet (Only) to your Child's Homeroom Teacher, On or Before Friday, August 18, 2023.**

**As parents, we will...**

- ❖ Reference school communications and utilize literacy tips and suggestions
- ❖ Check the school website and social media sites
- ❖ Participate in events that promote family/school engagement

Parent Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**As students, we will....**

- ❖ Bring home class newsletters and notices about Family Events
- ❖ Discuss with family new vocabulary words or skills learned in reading
- ❖ Show family websites used to learn literacy skills

Student Signature/Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_