

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 components:

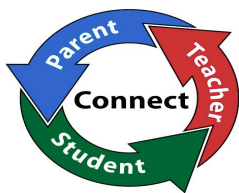
- * Link to academic achievement goals
- * Focus on student learning
- * Share strategies that staff, parents, and students can use
- * Explain how parents and teachers can communicate about student progress
- * Describe opportunities for parents to observe, volunteer, and participate in the classroom

Jointly Developed

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

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

If you would like to volunteer, participate, and/or observe in the classroom, please contact our front office at 478-457-2495.



Building Relationships for Student Achievement

Midway Hills Primary offers ongoing events and programs to provide parents and students with access to our staff -

- * Fall Open House
- * Social Media/Infinite Campus Messenger/Class Dojo
- * Community Nights: Reading, Math, Science, Art
- * PTO
- * HERO of the Month

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

Communication About Student Learning

We believe that open communication between home and school is important 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 Communication Folders
- * Invitations to parents to all school wide and district opportunities for learning
- * All documents are placed in the main office for parental access; as well as uploaded to the website.

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

Parental Involvement

There are many opportunities at our school 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

To participate or learn more about CIS, please contact Dr. Tammy Shinholster at 478-457-2495



Midway Hills Primary
Baldwin County School District

2023-2024 School-Parent Compact

Revised August 24, 2023

Check out our Website:

Website:

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

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Our Goals for Student Achievement **District Goals**

- ❖ All students will reach high standards by attaining the level of proficient or higher in reading/language arts and mathematics on the state assessment.

School Goals and Focus Areas **2023-2024**

The school administration, teachers, and staff met and discussed data as it relates to student performance. It was determined that we would focus on all subjects.

- ❖ We will show a 3-5% increase in reading achievement using the reading MAP assessment data to measure student performance.

Focus Areas

The academic focus area for the 2023-2024 school year will be literacy.

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

- ❖ 5 Pillars of Reading:
 - Phonemic Awareness
 - Phonics
 - Fluency
 - Vocabulary
 - Comprehension

As a school, we will...

- ❖ Send newsletters with tips and suggestions or websites to improve literacy.
- ❖ Provide workshops with an emphasis on how to help students with homework, literacy and math standards.
- ❖ Provide teacher and school websites that have links to learning on them.

As parents, we will...

- ❖ Refer to weekly newsletters and utilize tips and suggestions
- ❖ Check school/teacher websites
- ❖ Attend workshops, PTO, view virtual workshop replays or request information from the child's teacher
- ❖ Ensure regular attendance
- ❖ Bring students to school on time so they are not missing valuable instruction
- ❖ Read to my child at least 20 minutes each night

As students, we will....

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

Availability of School-Parent Compact

The School-Parent Compact will be sent home with each student by August 31st. Please scan this QR code to access the signature sheet. Complete to demonstrate your understanding and responsibility of this contract.

The compact will be posted on the school and district websites. It will also be available in the main office or a copy can be retrieved from the District Family Engagement Coordinator Shonya Mapp Stanley or Title 1 Coordinator Dr. Noris Price.

