

School-Parent Compact

Western School of Science and Technology, its parents, and the students participating in activities, services, and programs funded by Title I, Part A of the *Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA)* agree that this compact outlines how all parties will share responsibility for improved student academic achievement and the means by which the school and parents will build and develop a partnership that will help children achieve required benchmarks.

The school commits to do the following:

- Provide a rigorous and relevant curriculum that prepares students for college and career.
- Hire highly qualified professionals who provide effective instruction that supports demonstration of higher order thinking skills, communication of depth of knowledge, and the development of innate abilities into applicable skills.
- Create a partnership with the families enrolled in the school that fosters two-way communication, input, engagement, and opportunities for involvement.
- Provide parents frequent reports on students' progress, accessibility to staff, and guidance on how they may support their students' learning.
- Ensure all students who are not meeting challenging state standards receive academic assistance and interventions.

Please place an **X** next to each provision below you agree should be included in the compact. Please provide any suggestions for additional provisions.

The parent(s) commits to do the following:

- Participate in my student's education both at school and home.
- Work collaboratively with the school and its staff in the education of my student.
- Provide input in regards to how the school can improve overall performance by participating in site-based decision making committees, attending school meetings and events, and supporting the continuous improvement goals of the school.
- Maintain two-way communication with the school and its staff to keep informed about my student's progress and the school's performance.
- Support extended learning time in literacy and mathematics beyond the school day.
- Monitor daily attendance and ensure my student arrives on time daily.

Other Commitments:

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The student(s) commits to do the following:

- Attend school every day and arrive on time.
- Do my homework.
- Respect myself and others.
- Be responsible.
- Ask for help when I need it.
- Read at least 30 minutes a day outside of school.
- Limit the time I watch TV and play video games

Other Commitments:

Agreed to by:

Staff

Parent/Guardian

Student