



Spartanburg School District Three

Steeped in History ... Focused on the Future

School Responsibilities

_____Elementary School will:

1. Provide high quality instruction in a supportive and effective learning environment that enables our students to meet the South Carolina College and Career Standards.
2. Hold Parent/Guardian – Teacher conferences during which this compact will be discussed as it relates to the individual child's achievements.
3. Provide parents with reports on their child's progress frequently by phone calls, emails, progress reports, test results, newsletters, web page updates, conferences, and texts.
4. Provide parents reasonable access to staff. Staff will be available for consultation with parents before school, during school and after school with prior notification. Parents will be notified of dates of parent/guardian – teacher conferences, given email address and direct phone extension where they may leave a message.
5. Provide parents opportunities to volunteer and participate in their child's class, attend programs and observe classroom activities with prior notification.

Parent Responsibilities

As parent/guardian, I will support my child's learning by:

1. Monitor attendance and send notes if child is out sick and request any missed work. Make sure my sure my child is at school on time and do not sign them out early unless for medical reasons.
2. Check homework for completion.
3. Read to or with my child daily.
4. Monitor my child's access to electronic devices and television watching.
5. Volunteer when possible and/or support activities.
6. Attend conferences, workshops, family nights, performances or other school events.
7. Monitor and promote positive ways for my child to use his/her extracurricular time.

Student Responsibilities

1. Come to school prepared to learn with all my homework completed and do my best.
2. Set high expectations for myself.
3. Follow school rules and be on my best behavior.
4. Read every day to ask someone to read to me.
5. Show respect for those in authority and my peers.

In addition, the school will also:

1. Involve parents in the planning, review, and improvement of the school's parent involvement policy in an organized, ongoing, and timely manner.
2. Involve parents in the development of the schoolwide program plan, in an organized, ongoing, and timely manner.
3. Hold an annual meeting to inform parents of the school's participation in Title 1 Part A programs, and to explain the Title 1, Part A requirements, and the rights of parents to be involved. The meeting will be held each year at the back to school meeting.
4. Provide information to parents in an understandable and uniform format, including alternative formats upon the request of the parents with disabilities, and to the extent practicable, in a language the parents can understand.
5. Provide to parents information in a timely manner about the instructional programs, academic assessments used to monitor progress and the proficiency levels students are expected to meet.