

Williamstown Elementary School
Title I Parent Compact
2024-2025 School Year

Purpose:

This compact outlines how parents, the entire school staff, and students will share the responsibility for improved student academic achievement. It also details how the school and parents will build and develop a partnership to help children achieve the state’s high standards.

School Responsibilities

Williamstown Elementary School will:

1. High-Quality Curriculum and Instruction:

- Provide high-quality curriculum and instruction in a supportive and effective learning environment that enables students to meet the State’s academic achievement standards.
- Ensure that lessons are engaging, rigorous, and aligned with state standards.

2. Parent-Teacher Communication:

- Hold parent-teacher conferences at least annually, during which this compact will be discussed as it relates to your child’s achievement.
- Provide parents with frequent reports on their children’s progress. Specifically, we will send home reports [frequency, e.g., quarterly, biannually].
- Provide parents reasonable access to staff. Staff will be available for consultation by [methods of communication, e.g., email, phone, scheduled meetings].
- Provide parents with opportunities to volunteer and participate in their child’s class and to observe classroom activities.

3. Supporting Student Achievement:

- Offer Title I meetings, workshops, and resources to help parents understand the curriculum and state standards.
- Provide necessary academic support, including tutoring and interventions, to help students who are struggling.

Parent Responsibilities:

As a parent, I will support my child’s learning by:

1. Monitoring Attendance:

- Ensure that my child attends school regularly and arrives on time.

2. Engaging in Education:

- Encourage my child to read daily and discuss what they are learning in school.

3. Staying Informed:

- Participate in parent-teacher conferences and communicate with the school whenever I have a concern or question.
- Stay informed about my child’s education and communicate with the school by promptly reading all notices from the school or the school district.

4. Volunteering and Participating:

- Volunteer in my child’s classroom or school activities when possible.
- Participate, as appropriate, in decisions relating to my child’s education.

Student Responsibilities:

As a student, I will:

1. Take Responsibility for Learning:

- Do my homework every day and ask for help when I need it.
- Read at least [specify time, e.g., 20 minutes] every day outside of school time.
- Give my parents or guardians all notices and information received from my school.

2. Respect School Rules and Environment:

- Follow school rules and show respect for teachers, staff, and fellow students.
- Take care of my learning materials and my school environment.

3. Strive for Academic Success:

- Set goals for my learning and work hard to achieve them.
- Participate actively in class and engage in learning.

This Parent Compact ensures that all stakeholders—school, parents, and students—understand and agree to their roles in supporting the educational success of students at Williamstown Elementary School, a Title I school.