

Lafayette Elementary School

School-Parent Compact

The purpose of the school-parent compact is to communicate a common understanding of school and home responsibilities to assure that every student attains high standards and a quality education.



School responsibilities

- **Promote and encourage regular attendance and follow up on attendance issues.**
- Provide a safe and healthy school environment that promotes learning.
- Provide a quality, standards based curriculum.
- Provide quality instruction by highly qualified staff.
- Assign meaningful assignments and activities to promote student success.
- Respect cultural, racial, ethnic and socioeconomic differences.
- Report to parents about students' academic progress during at least one individual conference in the fall or spring.
- Provide parents reasonable access to staff about student concerns.
- Use systems to consistently communicate with parents.
- Try your best to support all students.

Parent responsibilities

- **Arrive to school on time and require regular school attendance.**
- Set aside a specific time in a quiet place to do homework.
- Look over homework assignments to check for understanding.
- Sign and return all papers that require a parent or guardian's signature.
- Encourage positive attitudes toward school.
- Attend parent teacher conferences and other school functions.
- Contact teachers when questions or concerns arise.
- Respect the personal rights of others.
- Update family information regularly with the school office.
- Try your best to support your child.

Student responsibilities

- **Attend school regularly, arrive on time,** and be well rested.
- Ask the teacher any questions about schoolwork and homework.
- Take home materials and information needed to complete assignments.
- Complete homework in a thorough, legible and timely manner.
- Return signed forms needed at school in a timely manner.
- Follow school rules.
- Respect the personal rights and property of others.
- Read 20 minutes a day.
- Be safe and responsible.
- Try your best.