



## Burbank Elementary School-Parent Compact

Compacts are agreements between families and schools. This compact outlines how parents, the entire school staff and students will share the responsibility for improved student academic achievement. It describes the ways the school and families will partner to help children achieve the State's high academic standards.

The school engages Title I, Part A parents and family members to improve the achievement of their children in meaningful interactions with the school. This Compact supports a partnership among staff, parents and family members, and the community to improve student academic achievement. To help reach these goals, the school has established the following practices:

### Staff Pledge:

To help each student meet or exceed the state's high academic standards, I agree to carry out the following responsibilities to the best of my ability:

- Provide high-quality curriculum and instruction in a supportive and effective learning environment that enables the children served under this part to meet the challenging state academic standards.
- Communicate regularly with families about student progress through frequent reports to parents on their children's progress, conferences, parent-teacher meetings, progress reports, and other available means.
- Conduct parent-teacher conferences in elementary schools, at least annually, during which the compact shall be discussed as the compact relates to the individual child's achievement.
- Provide reasonable access to staff, opportunities for parents to volunteer and participate in their child's class, and to observe classroom activities.
- Foster/encourage parent/teacher partnerships
- Receive training in strategies to effectively communicate with parents
- Strive to address the individual needs of your child
- Provide a safe, positive and healthy learning environment for your child
- Support your child's primary language and culture
- Show respect to self and others at all times

### Student Pledge:

- To help myself succeed in school, I agree to carry out the following responsibilities to the best of my ability:
- Attend school every day on time and ready to learn
- Review my class work with my parent(s) weekly
- Return completed homework on time
- Follow school rules and be responsible for my own behavior at all times
- Ask for help when needed
- Show respect to self and others at all times

### Family/Parent Pledge:

To help my child meet or exceed the state's high academic standards, I agree to carry out the following responsibilities to the best of my ability:

- Foster/encourage parent/teacher partnerships
- Attend Back to School event, Parent/Teacher conferences, Open House, and other events
- Encourage my child to engage in reading activities for at least 20 minutes every day
- Provide a quiet place/time for my child to complete his/her homework
- Make sure my child gets adequate sleep and has a healthy diet
- Adhere to the school's homework, discipline, dress code and attendance policies
- Participate in district and site opportunities for parenting training
- Support all elements of the Parent Involvement Policy
- Show respect to self and others at all times

This Compact was adopted by the **Burbank Elementary** on **September 22, 2020** and will be in effect for the period of **2020-2021 School Year**. The school will distribute the Compact to all parents and family members of students participating in the Title I, Part A program on, or before: **(December 18, 2020)**

*Kristen Panou*

**Signature of Authorized Official**

9-22-2020

**Date**