

DOWLING: Family-School Compact

2020-2021 School Year

The Family-School Compact is a joint agreement between school staff and families that outlines how each group will share the responsibility for improved student academic achievement and the means by which the school and family members will build and develop a partnership.

This is our pledge to support student achievement:

FAMILY AGREEMENT

As a family member, I pledge to:

- Provide a supportive learning environment at home
- Ensure that my child's physical, social, and emotional needs are met
- Get my child to school every day and on time (during Distance Learning, ensuring my child attends each of their virtual class sessions daily)
- Encourage my child to read
- Provide a quiet place for my child to study and make sure homework is done (during Distance Learning, this includes providing a quiet place for my child's virtual classes and schoolwork each day)
- Look over homework assignments and check for understanding
- Attend school functions including parent/teacher conferences (virtual and in-person)

STAFF AGREEMENT

As staff, we pledge to:

- Create a welcoming environment for parents and students
- Maintain and foster high standards of academic achievement
- Maintain a positive and safe learning environment
- Contribute to the development of positive social and emotional skills in each student
- Have a high expectation for the academic, behavioral, creative, and personal success of every child
- Provide materials and suggestions to parents on how they can support their child's learning
- Be available to explain or answer questions
- Keep families informed of what is happening at school and in the district through emails, newsletters and website
- Foster good environmental stewardship of our natural resources and surroundings

Date compact was discussed with parents and families: _____

How is this compact being shared with parents and families? During parent/teacher conferences