

What is a School-Parent Compact?

It is a written commitment describing how all members of a school community-parents, teachers, principals and students agree to share responsibility for students learning. This compact helps bridge the learning connection between school and home.

Jointly Developed

The families, students and staff of TCMS developed this School-Parent Compact. Meetings are held each year to review and revise the compact based on the school's academic achievement goals and students' needs.



Activities to Build Partnerships

Some of the ways you can expect us to communicate with you:

- *Current grades in Infinite Campus*
- *Agenda Books*
- *Notes, phone calls or e-mails*
- *Parent Square updates*
- *School Facebook posts*
- *Communication in a language that parents can understand.*

Communication about Student Learning

We are committed to providing meetings and activities virtually or face to face as appropriate and at times that work best for families. TCMS offers ongoing events and programs to provide parents and students with access to our staff:

- *Open House*
- *Parent-Teacher Conferences*
- *Annual Title I Meetings*
- *Parent Input Meetings*
- *Volunteer Opportunities*
- *Mentoring Opportunities*
- *Telephone Messages*
- *School Tours*



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School-Parent Compact for Achievement

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Our Goals for Student Achievement

District Goals

- *Increase the number of meaningful family engagement activities, including virtual, attended by 10 or more by 25% by the end of the FY26 school year.*
- *Provide SEL lessons for every student to reduce the number of at-risk students by 5% as measured by the two annual PASS Surveys.*

School Goals and Focus Areas

- *Increase the number of students who perform at the passing rate and at the proficiency rate on the Georgia Milestones.*
- *Promote a positive school-teacher-student experience that engages students and parents.*

Teachers, Parents, and Students—Together for Success

As a School, we will...

- *Provide a safe and orderly environment helpful to learning.*
- *Seek ways to involve parents in the school program.*
- *Provide meaningful and appropriate homework activities.*
- *Maintain open lines of communication with students and parents through the agenda, conferences and reports.*

As Families, we will...

- *Utilize TCMS technology programs regularly.*
- *Listen to our child read and ask questions several times a week.*
- *Attend parent teacher conferences.*
- *Check our child's homework, graded papers and agenda.*

As Students, we will...

- *Use learning strategies when doing classwork, homework and tests.*
 - *Eat healthy and exercise to help with memorization.*
 - *Read and do homework daily.*
 - *Use learning websites at home.*
 - *Ask for help understanding and reviewing work.*
 - *Accept responsibility for my learning.*