

2020-2021 School-Parent Compact

“Where We PAWS for Excellence”

The Purpose and Benefit of this Compact

The purpose of this compact is to ensure effective engagement of parents and to support a partnership between our school, parents and the community to improve student academic success.

Communication about Student Learning

McBean Elementary School is committed to two-way communication with families about children’s learning. We embrace an open door policy. Other ways you can expect us to reach you are: Weekly homework folders, updates on the school website, Infinite Campus Parent Portal, Parent-teacher conferences, Facebook page, Class Dojo/Remind, Letters/Email/Flyers, Quarterly Newsletter, Conferences and PTO. McBean has access to translators and will provide full opportunity for parents with limited English, disabilities, and migrant children. All flyers and information will be available in a language most understood by parents.

Jointly Developed

The parents, students, and staff worked together to share ideas to develop the school-parent compact. Academic goals have been set based on school data, as well as students, faculty and staff feedback. Stakeholders, parents, and students provided feedback with Title I surveys on their needs and strategies they are willing to work on with the school. Meetings are held each school year and feedback is welcomed in the front office.

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2020-2021 McBean Calendar

August

Building Staff Capacity

September: Attendance Awareness Month

Open House

Parent Teacher Conferences- Begin

October: Drug Awareness Month

Annual Title I Meeting

Building Staff Capacity Training

Early Release/Parent Conferences

Fall Break

Building Parent Capacity Training

Red Ribbon Week

Bully Prevention and Personal Safety

Training

Spelling Bee

November

Building Parent Capacity Session

School Council

December

- 1st Semester Attendance Party

- Start of Christmas Break

Additional Dates to Come! Parents will be notified about any changes in advance.

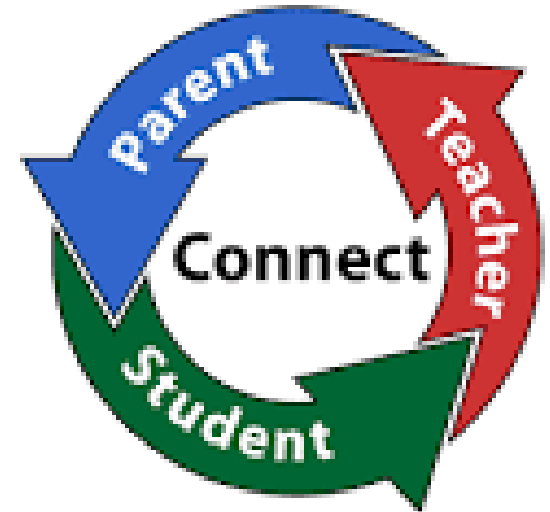


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K-5th Grade School-Parent Compact

District Goals:

The system goals are...

1. During the 2020-2021 school year, RCSS will increase the number of highly effective teachers and leaders hired and retained in RCSS by 3% to impact academic achievement across all content areas.
2. During the 2020-2021 school year, identify, integrate and expand technology access for 60% of the student population in all RCSS schools and provide professional learning options that engage staff in improving their digital learning knowledge to improve student achievement based on district strategic goals.

McBean Goals for 2020-2021:

*Increase the percentage of students performing on or above grade level by 3% on the English Language Arts Georgia Milestone Assessment through explicit vocabulary instruction.

*Increase the percent of students scoring on or above grade level in math and science on the Georgia Milestones Assessment by 3% through the utilization of computer-based learning, intervention resources and hands-on experiences.

*Decrease the number of students missing 10 or more days of school (excused and unexcused) by 3% through communicating with parents and initiatives to celebrate students who meet attendance goals.

Content Area Focus for Improvement:

K-5 Vocabulary:

- Implement FCRR vocabulary strategies in grades K-2 to improve reading instruction to all students.
- Implement Sadlier Vocabulary workshop grade 3-5 to support students in acquiring new vocabulary, developing figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings.

K-5 Numbers & Operations:

- Implement strategies in grades K-2 to increase students' computational fluency.
- Use of Number Talks grades K-5

McBean Attendance:

- **SMART GOAL:** Decrease the number of student missing 10 or more days of school by 3%
- All participants in the Title I-Part A Program agree to the shared responsibility to improve attendance in support of student achievement.
- Canvas LMS will be implemented to allow students to continue learning even if they are not physically present as school.

"Miss School, Miss Out!"

We are partners in educating the children at McBean...

As a school, We promise to...

1. Hold Fall and Spring parent-teacher conferences at minimum 4 days of the academic school year.
2. Communicate to parents their child's academic progress and changes in behavior regularly.
3. Provide quality customer service and reasonable access to staff and parents.
4. Provide parents opportunities to volunteer and participate in school activities and students' educational experiences.
5. Develop reading and math goals based on data and assist students in setting and reaching goals.
6. Encourage and Support a positive and Cooperative School environment, where everyone feels safe to learn!

As a parent, to help my child or children, I promise to...

1. Participate in parent conferences, school meetings, functions and activities.
2. Provide the school with updated contact and emergency information, and communicate often with the school and/or teacher.
3. Always bring child(ren) to school daily, on time, with all materials, ready to learn, and show concern for academics.
4. Provide notes for all absences.
5. Volunteer when available.
6. Review homework assignments nightly and assist my child in meeting set Reading and Math goals.
7. Read with or to my child at minimum 5 or more minutes nightly.
8. Recognize your student's achievements!

As a student, I promise to...

1. Discuss what I learned with my parents daily and at conferences.
2. Bring home notes, letters and other communication from school and give them to my parent(s).
3. Be an active participant in setting and achieving academic and behavior goals.
4. Complete homework, read daily, and strive to exceed reading and math goals established with my teacher.
5. Ask my teacher for help if I do not understand and ALWAYS do my best.
6. Try hard to be at School every day, and communicate with my teacher about absences.

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Community Service Projects

- Toys For Tots
- Pennies for Patients
- Spooky to Be Hungry
- Raiders of the Loose Change
- MLK Community Service Project
- Jump Rope for Heart

Parents, please keep this compact in your child or children's file at home. This compact is a reminder of our, both parents and school, commitment to working together for the successful educating of our children.