



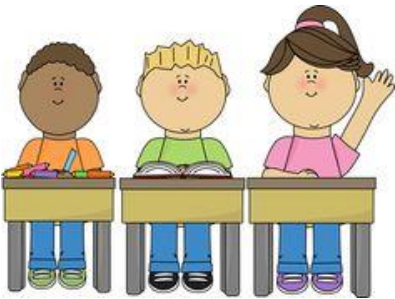
Title I Parent Compact & Family Engagement Plan



This policy and compact has been jointly developed and agreed upon by the Mesa Elementary family; parents, students, staff and administration.

Title I - Parent Compact

Mesa Elementary is a Title 1 school. The goal of the Title 1 program is to help every child get a high-quality education. The Mesa family; administration, staff, parents and students each have responsibilities they must meet in order to accomplish this goal.



As a student, I promise to....

- come to school every day on time and be prepared to learn and participate
- ask for help when I need it
- follow our Code of Conduct, respect and cooperate with other students and adults
- do my homework and participate in the Home Reading Program
- learn to separate learning time from play time

As a parent, I promise to....

- ensure my child attends school every day and is on time
- provide a quiet place for my child to read and complete homework
- read to and with my child on a regular basis
- provide enriching learning experiences at home
- assist my child with the *Home Reading Program* by helping them read and write 30 minutes each day and helping them to understand what they have read
- attend Parent Teacher Conferences
- communicate regularly with the school, principal, Title 1 and classroom teachers
- participate in decisions related to my child's education and achievement, as appropriate
- be involved in school activities at least once a month to be engaged in my child's learning
- follow the school's pick up and drop off policy
- access my child's Empower data to follow their learning progress and contact teachers as necessary



As a school, we promise to....

- provide a physically and emotionally safe environment where students feel comfortable to take risks
- ensure adequate supervision of students at all times, including on the playground
- deliver a challenging academic curriculum and explain our standards to parents each year
- help parents understand the way these standards are assessed and how they can help their child achieve these goals
- offer Empower trainings to allow parents to track their child's competency
- be available to support reasonable requests, suggestions, and questions in regard to Title I policies and responsibilities
- provide multiple volunteer and social opportunities for parents to build a partnership with the school, where materials and training will be provided to assist the parents in promoting their students' academic achievement {i.e.: Parent Teacher Conferences, Family Literacy/Math Nights, Building Accountability Advisory Committee (BAAC), Parent Teacher Organization (PTO)}
- invite parents to plan and review the Unified Improvement Plan (UIP), Title I program and Parent Involvement Policy each year
- provide this policy and compact to parents in a language they can understand



Family Engagement Plan

The administration, staff and families of Mesa Elementary believe that the improved academic achievement of each student is a responsibility shared by the entire community, including the school district, school, community members, school administration, staff, students and families. We are committed to meeting the needs of all our students. To accomplish this, we must all work together.

Family Engagement in the school will include opportunities for:

- Parents/guardians to volunteer and be involved in school activities
- Effective communication between the school and parents
- Parents/guardians to participate in school decision-making
- Staff development and parent education (including communication about specific staff development)
- Parents/guardians to provide home support for their student's education