

# SCHOOL FAMILY COMPACT

FOR ACHIEVEMENT FOR STUDENT SUCCESS

School Year 2023-2024

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## First Grade Focus



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**Parents, students and teachers work together for success!**

### What is a School-Family Compact?

A School-Family Compact for Achievement is an agreement that parents, students and teachers develop together. It explains how parents and teachers will work together to make sure all students get the individual support they need to reach and exceed grade level standards.

Effective Compacts:

- ◆ **Begin** with standards
- ◆ **Focus** on student learning
- ◆ **Respond** to school data
- ◆ **Define** everyone's responsibilities
- ◆ **Depend** on us to believe in it and use it!

### RPS First Grade Teachers

The first grade teachers will work with students and their families to support student success by:

- Send home a weekly reading fluency and letter sound worksheet
- Send home math fluency games and worksheets

### RPS Families

RPS parents joined staff to develop ideas about how families can support student success. They agreed to the following ways to support at home learning:

- Read the class newsletter to stay informed of curriculum and events
- Practice math facts with my child using flashcards, fluency charts, or math games sent home by the teacher
- Read with my child to practice reading skills, fluency, and sight words
- Attend parent teacher conferences & curriculum nights

### RPS First Grade Students

Students joined staff and parents to discuss ideas to help them succeed in school and reach their goals. They decided upon the following way to make connections between learning and home and school:

- Complete my reading fluency sheet every night
- Practice addition/subtraction math facts
- Practice writing my numbers 1-120

**When teachers, students and families work together, we CAN achieve our goal.**



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# Building Pawprints of Lifelong Learners

## Jointly Developed

The parents, students and staff of Ringgold Primary School jointly developed this School-Family Compact for Achievement. Teachers suggested home learning strategies, parents added ideas to make them more specific, and students told us what would help them learn.

Meetings are held each year to review this Compact and make changes based on student needs.

**Parents are welcome to contribute input for the compact at any time.**

## RPS FAMILY EVENTS

Choral Performance  
Parent Trainings  
F.A.S.T. Meetings  
Math/Reading Nights  
Parent Advisory Council  
Parent/Teacher Conferences  
PTO Events

## RPS Builds Business Partnerships!

Several community businesses' partner with the school to support staff, students, and families.

## Goals for Student Learning

### District Goal:

- Increase Reading and math on the Milestones by 3% and increase students reading on grade level

Vision Statement: CCPS will prepare every child to reach their full potential, so they graduate prepared to be good citizens and leaders of the future.

### School Goals:

#### Attendance

The percentage of students in K-2 missing 6 days or more will decrease to 47% by May 24, 2024.

#### Reading

The end of year proficiency for 2nd graders in Reading will increase to 64%. This is a 3% increase from the 2022-2023 school year.

#### Math

The end of year proficiency for K-2 in Math will increase to 77%. This is a 3% increase from the 2022-2023 school year.

### First Grade Goals:

#### Reading

1. Student fluency benchmark scores at or above grade level will increase by 3% between fall and spring.
2. Students will now high frequency words
3. Students will read and write phonetically

#### Math

1. Student MAP benchmark scores at or above grade level will increase by 3% between fall and spring.
2. Students will be able to add and subtract fluently to 20
3. Students will be able to read, write, and represent numbers to 120

## Communication about Student Learning

Ringgold Primary School is committed to frequent two-way communication with families about children's learning. Some of the ways you can expect us to reach you are:

- Weekly homework folders
- Updates on school website
- Parent portal
- Dojo messages
- Parent/teacher conferences
- Compacts will be discussed during F.A.S.T. meetings
- Newsletters (school & classroom)
- Schoolcast text
- Email/phone calls/notes sent home



If you would like to volunteer , participate, or request more information, please contact:

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Ringgold Primary School wants to stay in touch with you. Feel free to request a conference with your child's teacher or one of the administrators by calling 706-937-5437 or by emailing your classroom teacher.

**Comments and/or suggestions are welcome any time during the year.**

