

SCHOOL– FAMILY COMPACT

FOR ACHIEVEMENT FOR
STUDENT SUCCESS

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Kindergarten Focus



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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!

Parents, students and teachers work together for success!

RPS Kindergarten Teachers

Our Kindergarten teachers will work with students and their families to support student success in reading and math. They will:

- Send home newsletters/Dojo messages containing focus skills for parents to use with their children
- Provide parents with number flash cards and letter flash cards for at home practice.

At Home

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:

- Stay in contact with my child's teacher through email, Class Dojo, notes and conferences
- Read with my child and practice reading skills
- Practice math facts with my child

RPS Kindergarten Students

Our Kindergarten students joined staff and parents to discuss ideas to help them succeed in school and reach their goals. They decided upon the following ways to make connections between learning at home and school:

- Practice counting to 100
- Read WITH someone nightly

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

(may be held virtually)

Parent Trainings
F.A.S.T. Meetings
Parent Advisory Council Meetings
PTO Events
Choral performance

RPS Builds Business Partnerships

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



Goals for Student Learning

District Goal:

The Board of Education sets goals for the entire district. They are:

- To improve the percentage of students scoring proficient (levels 3,4) in grades 3-8 on the Georgia Milestones.
- To improve the percentage of students graduating from high school.

School Goals:

Our school sets academic goals each year for our students. They are:

Ringgold Primary School will increase Reading Benchmark scores at or above grade level by 10% between fall and spring test in order to better prepare students for the next grade level.

Kindergarten will focus on the following areas for ELA

- Letter names
- Letter sounds

Ringgold Primary School will increase Math benchmark scores at or above grade level by 10% between fall and spring tests in order to prepare students for the next grade level.

Kindergarten will focus on the following areas for Math.

- Count to 100
- Identify and write numbers 0-20

Do you have questions about your child's progress? Contact your child's teacher by phone, email, or Dojo message!

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
- Schoolcast
- Infinite campus



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.