

Pawnee Public Schools School-Parent Compact

Pawnee Public Schools and the parents of students participating in activities, services, and programs funded by Title I, Part A of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA), agree that this compact outlines how parents and the entire school staff will share the responsibility for improved student academic achievement and the means by which the school and parents will build and develop a partnership that will help children achieve the State's high standards.

School Responsibilities

Pawnee Public Schools will

1. Provide high-quality curriculum and instruction in a supportive and effective learning environment that enables the children to meet Oklahoma=s student academic achievement standards as follows:
 - a. Provide an orderly classroom and safe school environment;
 - b. Develop programs and activities which will respond to the social, emotional, personal, and physical developmental needs of each student;
 - c. Provide an environment that allows for positive communication between the parent, teacher, and student.
2. Hold parent-teacher conferences during which this compact will be discussed as it relates to the individual child=s achievement.
 - a. Before the end of the first quarter
 - b. 2nd Semester
 - c. Any time during the school year as requested by the teacher and/or parent, as many times as needed.
3. Provide parents with frequent reports on their children=s progress.
 - a. Graded class work
 - b. Report cards-quarterly
 - c. Standardized testing scores
4. Provide parents reasonable access to staff.
Staff will be available for consultation with parents as follows:
 - a. If a parent wishes to discuss their child=s progress at length, scheduled appointments or phone calls are most appreciated.
 - b. While brief discussions may take place during the school day, parents are asked to refrain from trying to discuss their child at the beginning of class or at any time other children or parents are present.
5. Provide parents opportunities to volunteer and participate in their child=s class, and to observe classroom activities:
 - a. Parents are invited to attend all assemblies and recognition programs.
 - b. Parents are encouraged to volunteer in the classroom.

Parent/Guardian Responsibilities

We, as parents/guardians, will support our children=s learning in the following ways:

1. Monitor attendance and send my child to school each day on time and prepared with all materials.
2. Check my child=s work and homework on a regular basis.
3. Provide my child with suitable study conditions and support at home.
4. Promote positive use of my child=s extracurricular time.
5. Communicate with my child=s teachers when I am concerned about my child=s work or health.
6. Stay informed about my child=s education and communicate with the school by promptly reading all notices from the school either received by my child or by mail and responding, as appropriate.

Student=s Name

Parent/Guardian Signature

Pawnee Public School Teacher

Date