

## ***Parent/Teacher Compact Title 1***

*Each school receiving funds under Title I of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA) must develop a written school-parent compact jointly with parents for all children participating in Title I activities, services, and programs. That compact is part of the school's written parental involvement policy developed by the school and parents. The compact must outline how parents, the school staff, and students will share the responsibility for improved student academic achievement and the means by which the school and parents will build and develop a partnership to help children achieve the State's high standards. Yearly the compact should be evaluated to determine its effectiveness with revisions made as necessary.*

*Elementary schools must schedule annually a parent/teacher conference to discuss the compact.*

### **SCHOOL – PARENT COMPACT**

*Canton Elementary Schools and the parents of the students participating in activities, services, and programs funded by Title I agree that this compact outlines how they 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.*

*This school-parent compact is in effect during the 2020-2021 school year.*

### **REQUIRED SCHOOL-PARENT COMPACT PROVISIONS**

#### ***School Responsibilities***

*Canton Elementary Schools will:*

*1. Provide high-quality curriculum and instruction in a supportive and effective learning environment that enables the participating children to meet the State's student academic achievement standards as follows:*

***Canton Elementary Schools will communicate with parents about the curriculum, district and classroom assessments, instruction, and the state standards through the Title One annual parent meeting, PTO meetings, Parent/Teacher conferences, individual classroom newsletter and PowerSchool parent portal as well as social media avenues such as the***

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***Canton Elementary Facebook page and individual classroom Facebook pages with the approval and oversight of school administrators.***

*2. Hold parent-teacher conferences (at least each semester in elementary schools) during which this compact will be discussed as it relates to the individual child's achievement. Specifically, these conferences will be held:*

***Canton Elementary Schools will hold Parent/Teacher Conferences on September 14, 2020, and February 16, 2021.***

*3. Provide parents with frequent reports on their children's progress. Specifically, the school will provide reports as follows:*

***STAR Reading and STAR Math test results are given to parents 3 times/year to students in grades K-6. Daily or weekly updates of assigned work will be available on PowerSchool Parent Portal.***

*4. Provide parents reasonable access to staff, opportunities to volunteer, participate in their child's class, and to observe classroom activities, as follows:*

***Parents can meet with the teacher, volunteer, participate in the child's class or observe a classroom when they request. Many parents are asked at each grade level to volunteer for classroom learning centers, reading with students, helping the classroom with various projects, field trips, etc...***

***The school/teacher will communicate with parents using email, phone calls, classroom newsletters and social media classroom pages and See Saw app for parents along with the monthly school newsletter from the office through the Century 21 Grant Programs.***

### ***Parent Responsibilities***

*We, as parents, will support our children's learning in the following ways:*

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- ***Monitoring attendance.***
- ***Making sure that homework is completed, including online practice when provided with websites and user names and passwords for programming such as See Saw, Khan Academy math, Scholastic News, and Studies Weekly.***
- ***Monitoring amount of television my child watches.***
- ***Attend parent/teacher conferences.***
- ***Participating, as appropriate, in decisions relating to my children's education.***
- ***Promoting positive use of my child's extracurricular time.***
- ***Staying informed about my child's education and communicating with the school by using the PowerSchool Parent Portal and by promptly reading all notices from the school or the school district either received by my child or by mail and responding, as appropriate.***
- ***Serving, to the extent possible, on the PTO committee, as a classroom parent, or Safe School Committee.***

### ***Student Responsibilities***

*We, as students, will share the responsibility to improve our academic achievement and achieve the State's high standards. Specially, we will:*

***§ Do my homework every day and ask for help when I need to.***

***§ Read at least 20 minutes every day outside of school time.***

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**§ Give to my parents or the adult who is responsible for my welfare all notices and information received by me from my school every day.**

### **School Staff Responsibilities**

*We, as school staff, will support our students and parents in the following ways:*

**§ Provide high quality curriculum and instruction in a supportive and effective learning environment that enables your child to meet the Oklahoma Academic standards.**

**§ Hold parent/teacher conferences during which this compact will be discussed as it relates to your child's achievement.**

**§ Provide parents with frequent reports on your child's progress by frequently updating grades on the PowerSchool Parent Portal or communicating through email, social media classroom pages or phone calls.**

**§ Provide parents opportunities to volunteer and participate in your child's class and to observe classroom activities.**