

SCHOOL-PARENT-STUDENT COMPACT

Donnelsville Elementary

Teachers, administration and the entire staff of *Tecumseh Local Schools* will work to ensure that:

YOUR CHILD receives *high-quality content and instruction*, which will be provided in a supportive, safe and effective learning environment in order for him/her to meet Ohio's Learning Standards and strive to be a life-long learner.

- All subject areas are based on the Ohio's Learning Standards. A copy of these standards can be found at www.ode.state.oh.us.
- Interesting and challenging lessons will be provided using research-based practices.

YOUR CHILD'S *academic achievement* and other concerns will be discussed at *parent-teacher conferences*.

- Conferences are scheduled twice a year (fall and winter) at each school.
- Conferences are also held at the request of the parent or teacher as situations arise.
- Additional staff members including the building principal, Special Education administrators, the school psychologist, and other teachers may attend conferences.
- Phone conferences and email correspondences are also used as a means for communicating student achievement.

YOUR CHILD'S *progress* will be frequently provided to you.

- Interim reports are sent home the middle of each quarter.
- Report cards are sent home following the end of each grading period.
- Parents may access their child's grades at anytime through Progress Book.

YOU have *reasonable access to staff*.

- Teachers and the building principal are available for conferences before and/or after school.
- Other staff members including the Special Education administrators and the school psychologist are available for consultation by appointment.
- All staff is available through voicemail and email.

As the parent/ caring adult we are depending on you to:

- Have your child at school each day on time.
- Give your child support to complete homework.
- Be engaged in your child's education and ask for help from the school so you can assist your child in his/her efforts at home.
- Schedule your child's appointments to minimize instructional time missed.
- Consistently use Progress Book to keep up with your child's work and grades.
- Help your child learn time management skills and encourage him/her to not procrastinate.
- Communicate regularly with your child's teachers and the school.
- Encourage your child to follow the Student Code of Conduct and to treat others with respect.

As the student, the school and your parents are confident that you will:

- Arrive every day to school rested and ready to learn.
- Give maximum effort to your education at all times.
- Complete all classwork and homework to the best of your ability.
- Obtain all make-up work when absent, be responsible to complete and turn in the work.
- Ask a question when you do not understand a concept or assignment.
- Talk to teachers, other staff members, and your parents about your needs and let them help you.
- Come to class with the supplies you need to complete your work.
- Respect and work well with other students and adults.
- Obey school rules, classroom rules, bus rules, and choose behaviors that will help you succeed in school.

We hope you will join us this year to help provide the very best education for your child. Overwhelming evidence shows that when YOU are involved and engaged in the education of YOUR CHILD and give him/her the support necessary to make good decisions about progress made at school, they will be more successful, perform better on tests, and be prepared for the continuing educational experiences which lie ahead.

WE NEED YOUR SUPPORT TO EDUCATE YOUR CHILD.

If you are willing to make the commitment, please sign below.

Staff Signature

Parent Signature

Student Signature