SCHOOL-PARENT-STUDENT COMPACT TECUMSEH HIGH SCHOOL

Teachers, administration and the entire staff of *Tecumseh High School* 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 Academic Content Standards and strive to be a life-long learner.

- All subject areas are based on the Ohio Academic Content 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.
- Highly qualified teachers (HQT) will provide quality instruction and practices.

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

- Conferences are scheduled for October and February.
- Conferences are also held at the request of the parent or teacher as situations arise.
- Additional staff members including administrators, guidance counselors, 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 fifth week of each quarter.
- Report cards are sent home at the end of each grading period (Oct., Dec., March and May).
- Parents may access their child's grades at anytime through Progress Book.

YOU have reasonable access to staff.

- Teachers are available for conferences after school from 2:15-2:30.
- Other staff members including administrators, guidance counselors and the school psychologist are available for consultation during school hours or 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.

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 homework given for the day.
- 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.
- Follow the Student Code of Conduct 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 to explore post-secondary education/training.

WE NEED YOUR SUPPORT TO EDUCATE YOUR CHILD.

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