

What is a family school compact?

A School-Parent Compact for Achievement is an agreement that parents, students, and teachers develop together. The compact explains how parents and teachers will work together to make sure **ALL** students reach grade-level expectations.

Effective compacts:

- ◆ Focus on student learning.
- ◆ Link to goals of the school improvement plan.
- ◆ Describe how teachers will help students develop those skills using high-quality instruction.
- ◆ Share strategies parents can use at home.
- ◆ Explain how teachers and parents will communicate about student progress.



Jointly Developed

The parents, students, and staff of Isaac Lane Elementary School developed this School-Parent 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 the Compact and make changes based on student needs.

- Parents are welcome to contribute comments at any time.
- If you would like to *volunteer, participate, and/or observe* in the classroom, please stop by the front office and sign in.



Activities to Build Partnerships

- ◆ Volunteer to assist with our school Book Fair.
- ◆ Read to classrooms during scheduled times during Read Across America Week.
- ◆ Sponsor a classroom and provide supplies throughout the school year.
- ◆ Attend school parent nights and literacy events.
- ◆ Help with a school club.

Parents Right to Know

A parent has the right to request certain information about their child's teacher including:

- ◆ Whether the teacher has met State qualification and licensing criteria for the grade levels and subject areas in which the teacher provides instruction;
- ◆ Whether the teacher is teaching under emergency or other provisional status through which state qualification or licensing criteria have been waived;
- ◆ The baccalaureate degree major of the teacher and any other graduate certification or degree held by the teacher, and the field of discipline of the certification or degree; and the field or discipline of the certification or degree; and
- ◆ Whether the child is provided services by paraprofessionals and, if so, their qualifications.



Isaac Lane Elementary School
SCHOOL - PARENT COMPACT

for
Achievement
2023-2024



"A Title I School-wide Program"

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School Start Time: 8:05
Dismissal Time: 3:05

Our Goals for Student Achievement

District Goals

JMCSS Vision and Mission:

Vision: All students will acquire the knowledge and skills to pursue options and opportunities and become productive citizens.

Mission: To provide tomorrow's leaders options and opportunities to succeed by providing a safe, caring, learning environment, working in cooperation with families and the community, and providing appropriate curriculum and effective instruction.

Isaac Lane Mission:

To create a community where all children feel loved, respected, and encouraged to develop to their fullest potential

Reading and Math Goals:

Isaac Lane students will increase their reading and math scores by 5% based on I-Ready and TNReady data.



Teachers, Parents, Students – Together for Success

In The Classroom

Isaac Lane Elementary School will work with students and their families to develop students' literacy and mathematical understanding. Some of our key connections with families will include the following:

- ◆ Assessment of students regularly and adjustment of instruction to meet student needs/students able to explain their progress
- ◆ Communication with students and parents on a regular basis through behavior sheets.
- ◆ The school website provides important individual classroom information
- ◆ Weekly/Monthly school newsletters about current events will be sent home by students

At Home

School parents and staff have developed ideas about how families can support students' literacy and mathematical understanding. Families may have other suggestions to add to the list.

- ◆ Read to your child every night for at least 20 minutes.
- ◆ Help your child with homework.
- ◆ Have your child to school by 8:05 daily.
- ◆ Participate in Parent-Student-Teacher conferences twice a year or schedule a home visit if you are unable to attend.
- ◆ Review the Student Handbook/Agenda for important school and district information and policies.
- ◆ Review homework and grades using the district's PowerSchool website. www.jmcss.org

Students

Students at Isaac Lane Elementary School will share the responsibility to improve academic achievement and meet the state's high academic standards. Specifically, the students will:

- ◆ Attend school regularly prepared to work with appropriate supplies and in school uniform.
- ◆ Discuss with parent/guardian what is being learned in school.
- ◆ Show a positive attitude about learning by respecting parents, teachers, and others.

Read Team

Every student in the 2nd grade at Isaac Lane will participate in Team Read. The program is a volunteer program that focuses on one-on-one interaction between volunteers.

- ◆ Students are provided with a dictionary
- ◆ One-on-one learning
- ◆ Goal is to reach 1000 words
- ◆ Students are rewarded for participation