What Is a Family-School Compact?

A Family-School Compact for Achievement is an agreement that parents, students, and teachers develop together. It explains how parents and teachers will work together to make sure all students get the individual support they need to reach and exceed grade level standards.

Jointly Developed with Parents

The parents at Hazel Park Preparatory Academy helped develop this Compact for Achievement. School-wide meetings are held each year to update the compact. Parents are welcome to contribute comments at any time.

For more information on the First Grade compact please contact the Parent Involvement Liaison, Robin Landowski at 651-293-8970 or robin.landowski@spps.org

Activities to Support Partnerships

Conferences

- October 15, Tuesday, 5:00PM to 8:00PM - MYP ONLY
- November 12, Tuesday, 5:00 PM to 8:00 PM - PYP ONLY
- November 14, Thursday, 5:00 PM to 8:00 PM - PYP & MYP
- November 15, Friday, 8:00 AM to 3:00 PM - PYP & MYP
- March 17, Tuesday, 5:00 PM to 8:00 PM - PYP & MYP
- March 19, Thursday, 5:00 PM to 8:00 PM - PYP & MYP
- March 20, Friday, 8:00 AM to 3:00 PM - PYP & MYP

Parent Meeting

Second Thursday of each Month
5:00 PM to 7:00 PM in the Media Center

Cultural Focus Parent Group

- African American Parents - 5:00pm - 6:00pm
- Hmong/Asian Parents - 5:00pm - 6:00pm
- Hispanic Parents - 5:00pm - 6:00pm
- American Indian Parents - 5:00pm - 6:00pm
- European/American Parents - 5:00pm - 6:00pm

African American Parent Involvement Day

Monday, February 10, 2020 - Classroom Programs

Parents are welcome and encouraged to visit classrooms on a regular basis. Volunteers are always welcome in the classroom or school-wide events. Please check in the office when you will be visiting.

Communicating about Learning

Hazel Park Preparatory Academy is committed to communicating regularly with families about scholar’s learning. Some of the ways you can expect us to communicate are:

- HPPA Student Planners
- Monthly Building Newsletter
- E-mail, phone calls & letters
- Family Handbook

Families are encouraged to contact their scholar’s teacher and check parent portal as often as needed.
As a HPPA Pre-Kindergarten Teacher

I will:

work with scholars and their families to support student success in reading and math. By the end of Pre-Kindergarten scholars are expected to:

Math:
- Names of All 8 colors: red, blue, green, yellow, orange, purple, brown, black
- Shapes: circle, square, triangle, rectangle
- Sort 2 ways accurately
- Numerals to 29+
- Count to 29+
- Patterns: recognize and duplicate
- Order objects: first, middle, last

Reading:
- Write first name
- Alphabet: UPPER
- Alphabet: lower
- Picture Naming
- Rhyming
- Alliteration: two or more stress syllables
- Concepts of Print: front and back of book, how to hold a book, etc.

As a HPPA scholar I will:

- Work to the best of my ability
- Read every night for a minimum of 20 minutes
- Follow the school and classroom essential agreements (classroom rules)
- Bring home all notices and information about school events

Families are encouraged to contact their scholar’s teacher and check parent portal as often as needed.

At Home

HPPA Parents will:
- Make sure our child arrives to school on time every day
- Call the school to report our child’s absence
- Read with our child/children every night
- Have fun with math - play games together and practice with flash cards
- Play words games with the new vocabulary words and find ways to use these words in family conversations
- Attend conferences
- Attend PTO/meetings when possible
- Attend school program when possible
- Volunteer
- Look for the classroom newsletter, school monthly newsletter and check out the school website
- Read information in Communications folder every Wednesday

PYP Learner Profiles

In order to shape scholars into global citizens who recognize a common humanity and shared guardianship of the planet, PYP emphasizes key learner profiles and attitudes.

Balanced - I work and play hard
Caring – I help others and am nice
Communicator – I share my ideas with others
Inquirer – I ask questions to learn new things
Knowledgeable – I try to learn many things
Open-Minded - I accept other points of view
Principled – I try to do what is right
Reflective – I think about how I can improve
Risk-taker – I try new things
Thinker – I connect the things I know

Teachers, Parents, Scholars – Together for Success!