

What is a School-Parent Compact?

A School-Parent Compact is an agreement that shows how the parents, staff and students will share responsibility for improved student academic achievement. It also describes how the school and parents will build and develop a partnership that will help children achieve academic standards.

Jointly Developed

This School-Parent Compact was designed and developed with input from parents, staff and students with the focus being on student academic achievement. This compact was viewed and edited at our Stakeholder Meeting in the spring.

Stakeholders are always encouraged to share their opinions and insight to help better our school. If you would like to volunteer or share your thoughts with us, please contact the front office.

Activities to Build Partnerships

- Open House
- Curriculum Night
- Georgia Milestones Night
- Parent-Teacher Conferences
- Parent Workshops (monthly)
- School Council
- Community Events

Communication about Student Learning

Agenda - Parents and teachers can communicate on a daily basis as to how their child is doing.

Newsletters - These are sent home to keep you updated on upcoming events and ways you can help your child at home.

Infinite Campus Parent Portal - Your child's academic record is kept up to date and you can access it any time.

Social Media - We will keep you up to date on events going on via our Facebook page, Remind 101 texts, and our school Web site.

Parent-Teacher Conferences - You are encouraged to schedule a conference with your child's teacher as often as you would like.

Orrs Elementary School-Parent Compact



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Our Goals for Student Achievement

District Goals

Increase the number of students in grades 3-5 who meet or exceed in the 4 content areas of the *GA Milestones Assessment*.

Increase the percentage of students exceeding the *GA Milestones Assessment*.

Administer the *SRI* to get *Lexile* scores for grades 3-5.

School Goals

Increase the number of students in grades 3-5 who meet or exceed standards in math on the *Georgia Milestones Assessment*.

Increase the number of students in grades 3-5 who meet or exceed standards in reading on the *Georgia Milestones Assessment*.

100% of students will be exposed to critical writing in all academic disciplines.

100% of students in grades 1-5 will complete the identified number of grade specific career awareness lessons aligned to *Georgia's 17 Career Clusters*.

Teachers, Parents, Students – Together for Success

In The Classroom

Teachers will...

- Create newsletters that include activities that parents can use at home to work with their children to increase their math skills.
- Have links to family friendly websites for building and enhancing math skills on the grade level webpage.
- Meet with parents to strategize ways they can work together to enhance their student's math skills.

At Home

Parents will...

- Use what they learned from parent workshops to help support their students at home.
- Have their child review his or her math facts on a daily basis.
- Use activities and/or resources provided by teachers to help their child succeed in math.

Students

will...

- Use math vocabulary words outside of school in their conversations.
- Practice math facts every night.
- Do their homework correctly and ask their parents and/or teacher if they do not understand something.