

What is a School-Parent Compact?

A *School-Parent 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 our students reach grade-level standards.

Effective compacts:

- Link to goals of the campus improvement plan
- Focus on student learning skills
- Describe how teachers will help students develop those skills using high-quality instruction
- Share strategies parent can use at home
- Explain how teachers and parents will communicate about student progress
- Describe opportunities for parents to volunteer, observe, and participate in the classroom

Jointly Developed

The parents, students and staff of Sanborn 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 or participate please contact: Melissa Schooler at (806)326-5250

Activities to Build Partnerships

- Meet & Greet- August 14, 2017
- Open House- August 31, 2017
- Pastries for Parents- Sept. 19, 2017
- Parenting Partners Class
- Family Science Night- Oct. 24, 2017
- Family Health Fair Nov. 2017
- Holiday Sing Along- December 22, 2017
- End of Year Awards- May 24, 2018

Communication about Student Learning

Sanborn Elementary is committed to frequent two-way communication with families about children's learning. Some of the ways you can expect us to reach you are:

- Monthly notes and/or call out system
- Updates on School Website calendar and current grades on Skyward Family Access
- Parent-Teacher Conferences- October
- Progress reports (every 3 weeks)
- Report cards (every 6 weeks)

If you have questions about your child's progress, contact your child's teacher by phone or email, which is located on the school website <http://sanbornamaisd.sharpschool.com/>

To receive text messages about upcoming events text (541)326-4573 with this message: @sanbo

School-Parent Compact for Achievement for 2017-2018

Sanborn Elementary School Focus for Student Success



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Our Goals for Student Achievement

District Goals

Every campus will improve student performance on the STAAR/EOC assessment in each of the accountability groups as measured by:

- a. Increasing the number of students passing all tests until 95% are accomplishing this measure.
- b. Reducing the number of students failing more than 1 test.

School Goals

- All students will make gains in Reading, Writing, Math, Science and Social Studies
- 3rd -5th grade students will pass the STAAR Test
- Students will learn about their class university and the steps it takes to be prepared for secondary education.
- Ensure all students are successful in English by 5th grade.

Teachers, Parents, Students – Together for Success

At School

Sanborn Elementary will work with students and their families to support students' success in school.

- Use innovative and creative ways to teach all subjects.
- Keep expectations high and consistent for all students.
- Keep parents informed on school activities.
- Keep up communication and have parent conferences throughout the year for all students, not just behavior issues.
- Model courtesy and respect.
- Teach students the value and the importance of self-respect within themselves.
- Keep up with online grading for parents benefit.

At Home

Sanborn Elementary parents joined staff to develop ideas about how families can support students' success.

- Look at homework papers, progress reports and report cards to see how my child is doing in class.
- Provide reading time at home.
- Tell teachers frequently that I'm interested in my child's success.
- Not being afraid to ask questions of the school staff.
- Providing praise and encouragement to my child.
- Send my child to school feeling good about themselves.
- Make sure my child is at school every day, on time and make sure to pick my child up on time.
- View my child's progress online when possible.

Students

Sanborn Elementary students joined staff and parents to develop ideas about how they can succeed in school. Students thought of the following ideas to make connections between learning at home and school:

- Pay close attention to my teacher during instruction.
- Come to school every day and on time.
- Take all notes from school home for parents to read.
- Remind my parents of all school meetings and program.
- Follow all school rules and feel proud of my school.
- Respect all adults in my school.
- Follow dress code
- Complete all homework assignments and read every night.
- Participate and have all materials required in my classes.