

Odenville Middle School
“Every Student Prepared!”
School-Parent Compact 2021-2022

Odenville Middle School, and the parents of the students participating in activities, services, and programs funded by Title I, Part A of the Every Student Succeeds Act of 2015 (ESSA) (participating children), agree that this compact outlines how the parents, the entire school staff, and the students will share the responsibility for improved student academic achievement and the means by which the school and parents will build and develop a partnership that will help children achieve the State’s high standards.

This school-parent compact is written for _____, his/her parents and/or guardians, and the Odenville Middle School faculty and administration. This school-parent compact is in effect during school year 2021-2022.

REQUIRED SCHOOL-PARENT COMPACT PROVISIONS

School Responsibilities

Odenville Middle School will:

- 1. Provide high-quality curriculum and instruction in a supportive and effective learning environment that enables the participating children to meet the State’s student academic achievement standards as follows:**
 - Hire and retain highly qualified teachers
 - Provide safe environment that is conducive to learning
 - Maintain high standards of student achievement
- 2. Hold parent-teacher conferences (at least annually in elementary schools) during which this compact will be discussed as it relates to the individual child’s achievement. Specifically, those conferences will be held:**
 - By appointment during the school year
 - At the Title I parent meeting
 - At Open House during the fall semester (as policy and safety/health guidelines allow)
- 3. Provide parents with frequent reports on their children’s progress. Specifically, the school will provide reports as follows:**
 - Progress Reports-9/9/2021, 11/10/2021, 2/9/2022, and 4/21/2022
 - Report Cards-10/18/2021, 1/10/2021, 3/21/2022, and 6/2/2022
 - Daily in real time-Parent Portal (grades, discipline, and attendance)
- 4. Provide parents reasonable access to staff. Provide parents opportunities to volunteer and participate in their child’s class, and to observe classroom activities, as follows:**
 - Parents may request conferences by phone, note, or email
- 5. Provide parents opportunities to volunteer and participate in their child’s class, and observe classroom activities (when policy and/or safety guidelines allow...parent volunteers)**
 - School wide events
 - At the teacher’s discretion
 - At the principal’s discretion
- 6. Ensure regular two-way, meaningful communication between family members and school staff, and, to the extent practicable, in a language that family members can understand.**
 - Parents will be asked to sign-up at school orientation, parenting night, or in the office
 - Parent volunteers will be utilized when policy and/or safety guidelines allow
 - The school will send home important information in both English and Spanish

Parent Responsibilities

We, as parents, will support our children’s learning in the following ways:

- *Monitoring attendance.*
- *Making sure that homework is completed.*

- *Volunteering in my child's classroom. **(when policy and/or safety guidelines allow...parent volunteers)***
- *Participating, as appropriate, in decisions relating to my children's education.*
- *Promoting positive use of my child's extracurricular time.*
- *Staying informed about my child's education and communicating with the school by promptly reading all notices from the school or the school district.*
- *Serving, to the extent possible, on advisory groups, such as Title I advisory committees and parent and family engagement committees.*

Student Responsibilities

We, as students, will share the responsibility to improve our academic achievement and achieve the State's high standards. Specifically, we will:

- *Attend school regularly.*
- *Participate in class activities and discussions.*
- *Conduct myself in a responsible manner and show respect to others.*
- *Do my homework every day and ask for help when I need to.*
- *Read at least 30 minutes every day outside of school time.*
- *Follow instructions throughout the day in all areas of the school.*
- *Study for tests and assignments.*
- *Give to my parents or the adult who is responsible for my welfare all notices and information received by me from my school every day.*

School Representative Signature:  Date: August 2021

Parent's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Student's Signature: _____ Date: _____

