



Union County Elementary School

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**School-Parent-Student Compact
Signature Page
School Year 2016 – 2017**

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Dear Family,

Union County Elementary School, the students, and their families agree that this compact outlines how the school staff, parents, and students will share the responsibility for improved student academic achievement. It describes how the school and parents will build and develop a partnership that will help children achieve the state's high standards.

Please review this School-Parent-Student Compact with your child.

This compact will be discussed with you throughout the year as we work together to help your child succeed in school.

Please sign and date below to acknowledge that you have received, read, and agree to this School-Parent-Student Compact and Parental Involvement Policy. Once signed, please return this form to your child's teacher.

We look forward to our school-family partnership!

School Representative Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

PLEASE RETURN ONLY THIS SIGNATURE PAGE TO YOUR CHILD'S TEACHER.

Keep the School-Parent-Student Compact and Parental Involvement Policy for reference.

**School-Parent-Student Compact
Union County Elementary School
2016-2017**

A School-Parent-Student Compact is an agreement that parents, students, and teachers develop together. This compact outlines how the school staff, the parents, and the students will share responsibility and work together to improve student academic achievement.

Union County Elementary School provides multiple opportunities throughout the school year supporting family involvement. Written notices and phone calls will be sent for each event. We encourage your participation in this year's Family Events! **Please understand dates are tentative and may need to be changed.**

Family Engagement Activities	Date	Time
Meet Your Teacher	August 4	3:00-6:00 p.m.
Open House	August 22	5:30-6:30 p.m.
Conference Day	September 26	as scheduled
Research Support for Parents 101 Two sessions offered	September 27	8:00-9:00 a.m. 1:00-2:00 p.m.
Fall Student Showcase Two sessions offered	October 13	TBA a.m. 5:00-5:30 p.m.
Annual Title I Meeting Two sessions offered	October 13	TBA a.m. 5:30 p.m.
Project Resource Center	Schedule	your own
Winter Student Showcase	December	TBA
Spring Student Showcase	May	TBA
Parent Review/Input Meeting	May	TBA

Communicating Student Learning

Union County 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:

- Communication folders containing student work sent home each week
- Student agendas
- Parent-Teacher conferences
- Phone calls
- Monthly newsletters and flyers
- Family Engagement Events
- Students' PowerSchool grades updated weekly
- E-mail
- Parents may contact their teacher directly via e-mail, or they may call the front office (706-745-9615) and leave a message. Teacher e-mails are accessible on the school Web site.
<http://elementary.ucschools.org>.

School-Parent-Student Compact Union County Elementary School 2016-2017

The School-Parent-Student Compact was developed jointly between students, parents, and staff. Teachers and parents worked to develop specific goals and students shared what would help them learn. Meetings are held at the end of each school year to review the compact and make changes based on the needs of students.

To help your child meet the school system and school goals, the school, you, and your child will work together to meet these responsibilities.

Goals for Student Achievement

District goals for the 2016-2017 school year include:

- Students will advance reading and writing competency based on Milestones data and grade-level targets.
- Students will increase mathematics fluency and competency based on Milestones data and grade-level targets.
- Students will increase science and social studies competency while integrating disciplinary literacy.

School goals for the 2016-2017 school year include:

- Increase students' reading and writing skills as measured by the Georgia Milestones, Scholastic Reading Inventory (SRI), and Dibels Oral Reading Fluency (DORF).
- Support students in reaching math grade-level targets as measured by the Monitoring Basic Skills Progress (MBSP).
- Employ best practices to incorporate literacy skills in science and social studies to improve students' classroom performance.

Teachers will...	Parents will...	Students will...
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assess and send home students' reading scores, at least three times per year, with suggestions for ways to help at home. • Provide practice and monitor students' progress in basic math skills. Assess and send home students' math scores, at least three times per year, with suggestions for ways to help at home. • Participate in Professional Learning Communities (PLCs) to collaborate on best practices. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Schedule time for reading practice at least three days a week, and follow suggestions to help their children at home. • Provide time for math practice at least three days a week, and follow suggestions to help their children at home. • Talk with their children about what they are reading and studying in school. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Practice reading at home, at least three times a week, using strategies recommended by teachers. • Practice math at home, at least three times a week, using strategies recommended by teachers. • Talk with parents about what they are reading and learning in school.

