# 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 are:

- Linked to goals of the school's improvement plan.
- Focused on student learning skills.
- Defined how teachers will help students develop those skills using high-quality instruction.
- Shared strategies parents can use at home.
- Described how teachers and parents will communicate about student progress.
- Lists various opportunities for parents to volunteer, observe, and participate in the classroom.

## School-Parent Compact Jointly Developed

The parents, students and staff at Kemp 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. If you would like to participate, please contact: Antoinette Golack, Parent Liaison at 770-472-2870 xt. 127124 or via email at antoinette.golack@clayton.k12.ga.us.

#### **Building Partnerships**

Help your child become academically successful by participating in the following partnerships:

- Parent Teacher Association (PTA)
- Local School Council Board



# Communication about Student Learning

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

- Daily homework folders
- Bi-weekly graded work folders
- Updates on infinite campus
- Edmodo or Class Dojo
- Parent/Teacher conferences

### 2019-2020 School Wide Title I Compact for Achievement

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# Kemp Elementary

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#### **District Goals**

By the end of the 2020 school year, Clayton County Public Schools will increase the percentage of students scoring at the Proficient and/or Distinguished levels on the GMAS by at least 3 percentage points in each content area.

### Kemp Elementary Goals

Administrators and teachers have studied our student performance data to decide on the most important areas of improvement of our school.

By the end of the 2020 school year, students will increase student proficiency in Math and English Language Arts on the Georgia Milestone by 3 percentage points in each content area.

- Tiered Lessons and Explicit Instruction
- Daily Academic Discourse
- Higher Order Questioning
- CLOSE Reading with Evidence Based Writing

Kemp Elementary Teachers will work with students and their families to support students' success in Reading and Math. Some of our key connections with families will be:

- Send home weekly homework.
- Send out monthly newsletters featuring websites that families can use as a resource for Math/Reading
- Teachers will continue to conduct conferences with parents to specifically address each child's Math/Reading needs. During conferences, teachers will provide specific strategies that will address deficit areas.

#### Focus Areas

Teachers have identified the student's greatest challenges and prioritized the skills/focus areas to be aligned with grade level standards.

#### ELA

- Tiered Reading Activities
- CLOSE Reading to Build Comprehension
- Evidence Based Writing
- Building Vocabulary

#### Math

- Solving word multi-step problems
- Fractions
- Multiplication and Division



# Help at Home

Teachers will provide resources and strategies to parents to use at home with their child(ren).

- CLOSE Reading Strategy Protocol
- Reading challenging text daily
- Writing about what was read
- Maintain a reading log
- Utilize the R.A.C.E strategy
   Restate the Question

Answer the Question and all parts

 $\underline{\mathbf{C}}$ ite evidence from the text

**E**xplain the evidence

Practice multiplication at home

#### Students

Our students joined staff and parents to develop ideas about how they can succeed in school and reach for the stars in Math and Reading. Students thought of the following ideas to make connections between learning at home and school.

- Talk with family about new vocabulary words and what they have learned in math.
- Bring home the class newsletter and notices about upcoming activities and events.
- Discuss how math is used in the real world.

Websites to visit:

myOn www.myon.com

Khan Academy www.khanacademy.org

Freckle www.freckle.com

Xtramath www.xtramath.org

Studyjams

www.studyjams.scholastic.com/studyjams/

Room Recess <u>www.roomrecess.com</u>

Read Theory www.readytheory.org

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