

What is a School-Family

Compact?

A School-Family Compact for Achievement is an agreement that families, students, and teachers develop together. It explains how families and teachers will work together to make sure all our students reach grade level standards.

This compact is linked to our School Improvement Plan, focused on learning skills, describes how teachers will help students develop skills using high-quality instruction, share strategies that families can use at home, and explain how teachers and families will communicate about student progress.

Jointly Developed

The families, students, and staff of HES developed the School-Family Compact for Achievement. Family input, along with teacher and student feedback, is used to inform revisions of the School-Family Compact. Parent Forums were held on March 13, 2019. Additionally, parent survey periods allow families to provide feedback on the Compact, Family Engagement Policy, and School Improvement Plan, and serve as an opportunity for ongoing input. Families are welcome to contribute comments at any time in writing or by visiting the school. Families are strongly encouraged to volunteer through Project Beacon. If you would like to volunteer, participate, or observe in a classroom, please call Mrs. Tonya Eason at 912-395-5200, email her at tonya.eason@sccpss.com, or visit www.hodge.sccpss.com.

Activities to Build Partnerships

We have many activities this year for you to be a part of at Hodge Elementary. You will receive flyers, texts, call-outs, and reminders at least two weeks before these activities are scheduled. They include:

- Parent Center Open House
- Title I Annual Meeting
- Family Math/Literacy Night
- Kindergarten Orientation
- Parent Workshops
- GMAS Lunch and Learn
- Title I Family Forum

Communication About Student Learning

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

- Parent/Teacher Conferences with Review of Compact
- Weekly Classroom Newsletters
- Phone Calls and Emails
- Remind Texts
- In Touch Mass Calling System
- ClassDojo
- Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram

Do you have questions about your child's progress?

Contact Dr. Wells at (912) 395-5200 ext. 5203 or email her at Yvette.Wells@sccpss.com

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THIRD GRADE



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Our Goals for Student Achievement

SCCPSS District Goals

1. To ensure all students are college and career ready Objective A. To increase percentage of students who have mastered the skill sets (whole child development necessary to be successful upon entering Kindergarten through second grade Objective B. To increase the number of students who are powerfully literate, mathematically fluent, and effective problem solvers in grades 2-8
2. Provide a supportive learning environment that is conducive to teaching and learning
3. To maximize family and community engagement that contributes to the advancement of student success
4. To build professional capacity in order to achieve a premier, student-focused workforce.

Hodge Elementary Goals

1. The content mastery in ELA on the GMAS English Language Arts EOG assessment will increase from 36.141% to 37.225% as measured by GMAS ELA EOG assessment given in the spring of 2019
2. The content mastery in Math on the GMAS Math End of the Grade assessment will increase from 53.056% to 54.648% as measured by GMAS Math EOG assessment given in the spring of 2019

When teachers, students, and families work together, we WILL achieve our goals!

Teachers, Families, and Students: Together for Success

At School...

Our teachers will work with students and their families to support students' academic success. Some of our key connections with families will be:

- To make sure students take home materials to read on their reading level each night. Students will be tested to determine the level of books they should be reading. Instruction will be provided in small groups and individually to build student reading skills during the school day.
- To send home math fact worksheets and websites for student to use to practice with families. Students will also be given time at school to practice timed math fact tests on the computer.

At Home...

Families of Hodge Elementary School students can help support student academic success in many ways. A few ways are:

- Have your child read for 30 minutes each night and discuss what they read.
- Help your child learn to quickly say basic math facts including addition and subtraction facts to 20, and multiplication facts through the 9 tables each night.
- Check and correspond with school agenda daily



Students...

Students at Hodge Elementary School can support their own learning and success in multiple ways. Some of these ways include:

- Reading at home for 30 minutes daily on your reading level.
- Memorizing my math facts including addition and subtraction facts to 20, and multiplication facts through the 10 tables daily
- Participate in goal setting and tracking individual progress.

