

## ***What is a Family-School Compact?***

A Parent and Family-School Compact for achievement is a voluntary agreement co-developed between parents, students and teachers. It identifies what actions parents, school staff and students will take to share mutual responsibility for improving student achievement.

### **Effective Compacts:**

- ❖ Begin with standards
- ❖ Focus on student learning
- ❖ Respond to school data
- ❖ Define everyone's responsibilities
- ❖ Count on us to believe in it and use it.

### **Communication**

*"Bunker Hill School is committed to communicating regularly with families about each child's learning".*

*Some of the ways parents/families can expect us to communicate are:*

- ❖ *Homework Communication Folder*
- ❖ *Homework Planner Notes*
- ❖ *Open House in September and Parent/Teacher Conferences in December and April.*
- ❖ *PowerSchool*
- ❖ *Periodic Phone calls home*
- ❖ *In person meetings*

*"Parent and Family Engagement is very important for student achievement and success!!"*

## **Family Events**

*Some Parent and Family Events planned for the 2018/2019 school year:*

*Ice Cream Social*

*Title 1 Family Meeting*

*Family Movie/Literacy Night*

*Math Night*

*Science Night*

*Spring Festival*

*Dr. Seuss Day*

*Guest Author Visit*

*Parent Workshops*

*And more...*

**Check our monthly newsletter for the dates and times!!!**

**Bunker Hill's  
Parent and Family-School  
Compact  
For  
Achievement  
2018-2019**

**Grade 5**

**Let's  
Leap into Literacy,  
Move Over for Math and  
Succeed in Science!**



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*Parents can contact the school with any questions or concerns at 203 574-8183.*



## **Our Mission**

All members of the Bunker Hill School community will be treated with respect and upheld to high expectations.



## **Our Vision**

The vision of Bunker Hill Elementary School is to establish and maintain an alliance among students, parents/families, community, administration, teachers, and staff by improving the education offered to our students in order to prepare them for their future.



“Our focus will be on the Wonders ELA Curriculum and the Common Core State standards. Our goal is to continue to strengthen literacy, numeracy and science”.

## **In the Classroom**

The Grade 5 team will work with students and their families in the following ways:

- ❖ Will meet and communicate with parents throughout the year.
- ❖ Will share and discuss the mClass HomeConnect report in the beginning, middle and end of year testing.
- ❖ Will prepare students for SBAC testing.
- ❖ Will monitor student progress with periodic updates through phone calls and PowerSchool.
- ❖ Will make sure each student receives help when it is needed.
- ❖ Will send home literacy, math and science learning materials.
- ❖ Will use a variety of teaching methods to ensure students can be reached at all levels.
- ❖ Will make sure students understand their assignments, their purpose and what they will learn from them.

## **At Home**

As a Parent/Guardian I can improve my child's literacy, math and science skills by:

- ❖ Having my child read daily.
- ❖ Practicing vocabulary and sight words every day.
- ❖ Doing Wonders at Home.
- ❖ Preparing my child for SBAC testing.
- ❖ Participating in any workshops (when I am available) that are being offered by the school.
- ❖ Meeting and communicating with my child's teacher throughout the year.
- ❖ Checking and maintaining student communication folders on a daily basis.
- ❖ Providing my child a quiet homework area.
- ❖ Help my child be organized.

### **As A Student:**

- ❖ If I am having trouble with school work, I will ask for help from my teacher or family.
- ❖ I will do my homework.
- ❖ I will read on my own or with my family every day.
- ❖ I will use Wonders at Home.
- ❖ I will arrive to school on time, awake and ready to learn!