

Goals for Student Achievement

Woodrow Wilson

School Goals

Wilson staff actively review performance data to determine areas of focus for the school year. Wilson School principals and teachers will provide all students with rigorous and effective instruction, equal access to quality curriculum, and a positive, safe, and respectful school climate that engages all families.

Communication About Student Learning

Woodrow Wilson School is committed to communicating regularly with families about each child's learning:

- ◆ Homework Communication Folder/Agenda Planner/PowerSchool
- ◆ Open House in September
- ◆ Two Parent-Teacher Conferences
- ◆ Periodic Phone Calls/Notes Home when necessary / message through Dojo

Shared Responsibility Between Students, Teachers and Parents for Student Success

What is a Family-School Compact?

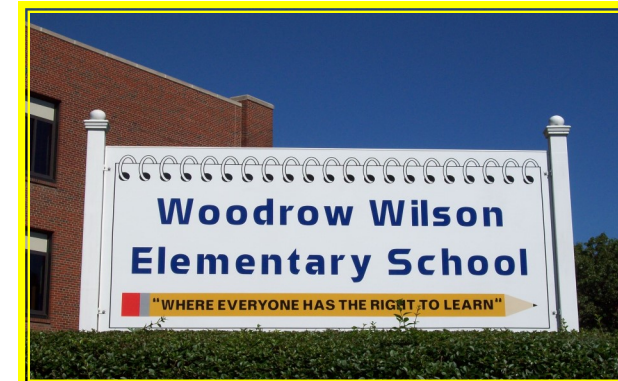
A Family-School Compact for Achievement is a voluntary agreement co-developed by parents, students and teachers. It describes what actions parents, school staff and students will take to share mutual responsibility for improving student achievement.

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
- ◆ Rely on the support and commitment of staff, students, families, and our community.

Woodrow Wilson Elementary School

Compact for Achievement 2019 — 2020



***1st GRADE IS
FOCUSED ON
STUDENT
SUCCESS!
5th Grade isFocus***

EDUCATION IS A SHARED RESPONSIBILITY

At Home

Woodrow Wilson school parents joined staff to develop ideas about how families can support students' reading ability and comprehension.

- ◆ Read to/with my child everyday books and fluency passages
- ◆ Have fun practicing wonders sight words/foundations trick words and letter sounds that we encounter in every day life.
- ◆ Participate in any workshops (when I am available) that are offered by the school.
- ◆ Meet and communicate with my child's teacher throughout the year.
- ◆ Check and maintain student communication folders on a daily basis.
- ◆ Provide my child a quiet homework area (if possible) and show them how to organize.

Be sure to watch out for notices to be sent home announcing our monthly educational family events. Information on these events can also be found in our monthly school newsletter!!

In the 1st Grade Classroom

The 1st grade team will work with students and their families to . . .

- ◆ Meet and communicate with parents throughout the year.
- ◆ Provide reading level appropriate books for students to read on their own.
- ◆ Monitor student progress with updates to parents through phone calls, power school, dojo
- ◆ Send home literacy learning materials.
- ◆ Use a variety of teaching methods in reading to ensure I can reach students of all levels.
- ◆ Make sure students understand assignments, their purpose and what they will learn from them.
- ◆ Using literacy centers, wonders online to support students to work independently toward their reading goals.
- ◆ Collaborate with staff to share ideas
- ◆ Use Math Centers, Happy Numbers online to work independently toward Math goals
- ◆ Daily Wonders Reading/Language Art instruction
- ◆ Daily Foundations Phonics/Spelling instructions

More in the Classroom

- ◆ Daily/Weekly small group reading instructions base on individuals reading levels
- ◆ Daily Math instruction with district curriculum
- ◆ Students are expected to read grade-level appropriate texts fluently by end of year
- ◆ Daily practice towards learning 100% sight/trick words by end of the year
- ◆ Students are expected to add and subtract within 20

Students at School and at Home

- ◆ Ask for help from my teacher and family if I am having trouble doing my work.
- ◆ Write down my assignments, do my homework and turn it in on time.
- ◆ Read on my own and/or with my family every day.
- ◆ Arrive at school on time and ready to learn!

Do you have questions about your child's progress?

Parents can contact their child's teacher by phone (203-573-6660) or email. You can find email information on the school website at www.waterbury.k12.ct.us.