

## 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 or exceed grade-level standards.

Effective compacts:

- Link to goals of the School Improvement Plan
- Focus on student learning skills
- Describe how teachers will help students develop those skills using high-quality curriculum and effective instruction in a supportive learning environment
- Share strategies caregivers can use at home
- Explain how teachers and caregivers will communicate about student progress
- Describe opportunities for parents to volunteer, observe and participate in the classroom

*This compact was jointly developed by students, staff and parents through their participation in the School Site Council.*

*Approved by SSC on 1/24/2023*

## Activities to Build Partnerships

Families are invited to be active members of the school community by attending performances, awards showcase, Art Riot, ArtFest, field trips, Student Led Conferences, coffee with the principal and cultural celebrations such as Dia de los Muertos and by joining the PTSA, Booster and SSC.

The Parent Center offers classes on topics such as advocacy, diploma requirements and emotional supports for students.

## Communication about Student Learning

Our school is committed to regular two-way communication with families about their children's learning. Some of the ways families and teachers communicate all year are:

- ☐ The Schoology online platform
- ☐ Emails, phone calls, Remind, Blackboard Connect and in-person meetings
- ☐ Student Led Conferences
- ☐ Handbook / Website



# SCHOOL- PARENT COMPACT FOR ACHIEVEMENT 2023

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## District Goals

100% Graduation  
Proficiency for All  
100% Attendance  
Parent and Community  
Engagement  
School Safety

## School Goals

ArTES students will meet or exceed Common Core State Standards in English Language Arts and Mathematics as measured by the annual Smarter Balanced Assessments.

ArTES students will graduate with a high school diploma, prepared for a career and eligible for UC admission.

ArTES students will graduate prepared and motivated to be active citizens in their communities.

ArTES Students who are English Learners will increase their language abilities

Our school provides high quality curriculum and instruction in supportive and effective classroom environments to enable students to meet state academic standards. We support our students and work hard to provide a welcoming, safe school environment.

## Together

### In the Classroom

Teachers will communicate high expectations for students.

Teachers will provide high quality instruction that includes writing across the curriculum, arts integration, mastery based grading, technology integration, and cross-curricular lessons.

Teachers will communicate with families about student progress, both through Schoology, Remind and email/phone calls.

Teachers will provide students with feedback on their learning and multiple opportunities for mastering course standards.

Teachers will enforce rules equitably and involve students in creating a respectful and caring learning environment.

Teachers will participate in Inquiry Cycles and professional development that improves teaching and learning.

## For Success

### At Home

Caregivers will communicate high expectations in learning to their students.

Caregivers will use Schoology to stay informed of their student's progress.

Caregivers will attend Student Led Conferences, Back to School Night, Parent Center Workshops and other events to stay informed about their student's learning and be an active part of the school community.

Caregivers will ensure that their students attend school regularly.

Caregivers will participate in shared decision making with the school through the School Site Council, parent committees and meetings with school staff.

### Students

Students will come to school prepared.

Students will actively shape the school community by participating in clubs, councils, and arts programs.

Students will regularly check their progress towards mastery through Schoology.

