

BIG SPRINGS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

2026-2027 PARENT-STUDENT-SCHOOL COMPACT

Because consistent collaboration and cooperation between home and school is essential to student success, the staff members and the parents of Big Springs Elementary School will work together in unity to provide a strong educational foundation for all students.

SCHOOL AGREEMENT

Big Springs Elementary School will share the responsibility for improved student achievement by doing the following

- Enforce all Richardson Independent School District policies.
- Set and convey high expectations for all students and staff members.
- Provide academic assistance to students through quality Tier 1 instruction, followed by interventions and tutoring.
- Provide highly qualified teachers and notify parents of less qualified teachers.
- Provide parents involvement opportunities through PTA and the volunteer program.
- Communicate to parents in oral or written form in both English and Spanish.
- Conduct parent conferences to inform parents of students' academic status.
- Communicate with parents through Parent Square, notes, progress reports, newsletters, phone calls, email, conferences and/or parent portal.
- Provide a safe, civil school climate that is structured for student success.

Principal Signature: _____

PARENT AGREEMENT

To help my child reach his/her academic potential, I will support the school by doing the following:

- Seek opportunities to participate in the school's decision-making.
- Seek opportunities to volunteer based on the needs of the school.
- Attend parent conferences to learn of child's academic progress and requirements.
- Ensure that my child attends school daily and arrives on time with school supplies.
- Monitor homework assignments and school communications.
- Read the Student Code of Conduct and Big Springs Student Handbook and Attendance Contract with my child and set parental expectations for behavior and academic excellence.
- Participate in parent meetings and events throughout the school year.

Parent Signature: _____

STUDENT AGREEMENT

I am responsible for my education, and I must do my best. Therefore, I will do the following:

- Participate fully in class to complete all classwork and homework assignments.
- Show BSE Core Values- Be Safe, Be Respectful, Be Responsible.
- Respect my parents, my teachers, myself, and others.
- Keep my hands, feet, and other objects to myself.
- Follow directions the first time given.

Ross Ferrans, Principal