

## **Dartmouth Elementary School-Parent Compact**

We know that learning can take place only when there is a combination of effort, interest, and motivation. Because we are all committed to our students' progress in school, we are going to do our best to promote our students' achievements.

This agreement is a commitment to work together to ensure and improve learning.

As a Student, I agree to:

- Finish and turn in my assignments on time
- Attend school every day unless I am sick
- Do my best every day and tell my parents about it
- Follow the school and classroom rules so that everyone can learn and be safe
- Ask my teacher questions when I don't understand something
- Go to my public or school library at least once a week
- Study or read every school night
- Give my parents the notes my teacher sends

As a Parent, I agree to:

- Talk to my child about school activities every day
- Find out how my child is progressing by attending conferences with the teacher
- Encourage good study habits at home
- Reinforce good behavior at school
- Attend school activities as much as I can
- Support the classroom discipline plan and school procedures
- Monitor my child's attendance
- Contact my child's teacher if I have any concerns
- Ensure my child eats healthful foods and gets enough sleep

As a Teacher, I agree to:

- Provide learning experiences that produce growth
- Encourage a positive self-concept in all my students
- Keep parents informed about progress and/or concerns
- Find out what techniques and materials work best for the students
- Support the parents
- Attend school activities
- Inform parents about my homework policy
- Support high academic standards
- Remain steadfastly professional

As an Administrator, I agree to:

- Provide support and instructional direction to both students and parents
- Provide a healthy and safe environment for the students and teachers in which to teach and learn
- Support high academic standards
- Encourage school and home-learning partnerships
- Support a collegial and collaborative school environment
- Support professional development that promotes the best practice standards
- Remain steadfastly professional