

Central Elementary School

School-Parent Compact 2023-24

SCHOOL-PARENT COMPACT

Central Elementary School and the parents of the students participating in activities, services, and programs funded by Title I, Part A of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA) agree this compact outlines how the parents, the entire school staff, and the students will share the responsibility for improved student academic achievement and the means by which the school and parents will build and develop a partnership that will help children achieve Arkansas's high standards. *This school-parent compact is in effect during the 2023-2024 school year.*

SCHOOL RESPONSIBILITIES

Central Elementary School will:

1. Provide high-quality curriculum and instruction in a supportive and effective learning environment that enables the participating children to meet Arkansas's student academic achievement standards as follows:

Van Buren Instructional Model

- Context- Learners construct or build knowledge through processes that include conceptual engagement, organizing knowledge and metacognition.
- Process- Explicit Instruction Model: Explain, Model, Guided Practice, Independent Practice, Apply, Create and Share
- Content- Comprehensive Literacy, Standards-Based Math, Inquiry-Based Science

2. Hold Parent/Teacher Conferences at least semi-annually during which this compact will be discussed as it relates to the individual child's achievement. Specifically, those conferences will be held:

October 17th 3:30-6:30pm October 19th 3:30-6:30pm
March 12th 3:30-6:30pm March 14th 3:30-6:30pm

3. Provide parents with frequent reports on their children's progress. Specifically, the school will provide reports as follows:

1st Quarter

Progress Reports- **Sept. 13th**
End of 1st Quarter- **Oct. 13th**
Report Card Distribution- **Oct. 19th**

3rd Quarter

Progress Reports- **Feb. 17th**
End of 3rd Quarter- **March 14th**
Report Card Distribution- **March 14th**

2nd Quarter

Progress Reports- **Nov. 15th**
End of 2nd Quarter- **Dec. 20th**
Report Card Distribution- **Jan. 10th**

4th Quarter

Progress Reports- **April 24th**
End of 4th Quarter- **May 30th**
Report Card Distribution- **Last Day of school**

4. Provide parents reasonable access to staff. Specifically, staff will be available for consultation with parents as follows:

Central Elementary School believes a successful partnership with parents is the key to student success. Teachers will communicate regularly with parents concerning classroom goals and activities, as well as individual information on student progress. If a situation arises which requires the immediate attention of the student's teacher or principal, parents may call the school to schedule a conference or contact the teacher via email.

5. Provide parents opportunities to volunteer and participate in their child's class, and to observe classroom activities, as follows:

- **Aug 10th – Open House/K-2nd grade 4:15-7:15 pm & 3rd-5th grade 5:00-8:00pm**
- **Sept 6th-15th – Book Fair**
- **Sept 11th - 15th – Grandparents' Breakfast**
- **Sept 14th – Title 1 Report 5:00, Report to Public 5:15, Literacy Family Night 5:30-7:00**
- **Oct 10th - Fall Pictures**

- **Oct 13th - Boosterthon Fun Run**
- **Oct 17th & 19th 3:30-6:30 – Parent/Teacher Conferences**
- **Oct 31st - Class Fall Parties**
- **Nov 7th - Fall Picture Retakes**
- **Nov 9th - Family Movie Night**
- **Dec 11th - 14th – PTA Santa Shop**
- **Dec 13th - Santa Pictures**
- **Dec 20th - Class Christmas Parties**
- **Jan 18th - Winter Carnival**
- **Jan 25th - Class Pictures**
- **Feb 29th - Family Math Night**
- **March 6th - 14th - Book Fair**
- **March 12th & 14th 3:30-6:30 – Parent/Teacher Conferences**
- **March 26th - Spring Pictures**
- **April 16th - Kindergarten Cap and Gown Pics**
- **May 3rd - Kindergarten Celebration**
- **May 17th - 5th Grade Celebration**

PARENT RESPONSIBILITIES *(Created by Central Elementary Parents)*

We, as parents, will support our children’s learning in the following ways:

- Check our children’s communication log daily and try to communicate easily with teachers.
- Volunteer when needed such as class parties, PTA nights, and activities.
- Actively read nightly with my child, checking for books in their black reading bag.
- Check our child’s folder nightly for homework and be an active participant in completing homework (word study, math, etc).
- Make sure our child eats breakfast whether at home before school or getting my child to school on time to eat breakfast at school.
- Make sure our children are in bed early so they are rested and ready to learn.
- Make sure our children attend school regularly by making it a priority.
- Make sure our children are prepared for class by arriving **on time** with the materials needed for the day.
- Support our children in math and literacy nights
- Start every day in a positive way.
- Frequently visit the CES Facebook page, CES website, and Instagram account to keep up to date with school events.
- Encourage students to participate in online enrichment provided by the school such as Istation, ST Math, and Reflex Math.
- Participate in school wide activities.

STUDENT RESPONSIBILITIES *(Created by Central Elementary School 5th Grade)*

We, as students, will share the responsibility to improve our academic achievement and achieve Arkansas’s high standards. Specifically, we will:

- Be at school ready to learn on time each day.
- Take care of class materials, library books, and school property.
- Try your best each day.
- Be a role model to others.
- Come prepared and be responsible for belongings.
- Dress appropriately.
- Always participate in group activities.
- Follow directions the first time they are given.
- Be respectful to faculty, staff, and peers.
- Show kindness to others
- Report bullying to a trusted adult

**Central Elementary School
School-Parent Compact 2023-2024**

Signature below indicates that I have read and understood my responsibilities.

Sign & return to school

Student Signature _____	Date _____
Parent Signature _____	Date _____
Teacher Signature _____	Date _____