



## **SCHOOL-PARENT COMPACT 2020-21**

*Tremont Elementary, 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) (participating children), agree that 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 the State's high standards.*

*This school-parent compact is in effect during the 2020-21 school year.*

### **School Responsibilities**

#### **The Tremont Elementary School will:**

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

- Endeavor to motivate students to learn.
- Have high expectations and help every child develop a love of learning.
- Communicate regularly with families about student progress.
- Provide a warm, safe, and caring learning environment.

Additional support emphasizes reading and writing strategies that may include: a multi-sensory research-based program

- phonological awareness
- phonemic awareness
- phonics
- fluency
- comprehension
- genre
- vocabulary
- conventions
- content
- writing process
- writer's craft
- high frequency words
- spelling patterns/generalizations

**2. Hold parent-teacher conferences (at least annually in elementary schools) during which this compact will be discussed as it relates to the individual child's**

**achievement. Specifically, those conferences will be held:**

Parent teacher conferences will be held in the fall (October 19 through October 30) and winter window (January 27).

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

The school-based teams will continue to review your child's progress throughout this school year in order to monitor progress. Parents will be able to access student grades at any time using PowerSchool online grade book software. Report cards will be available online at the conclusion of trimester.

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

Teachers and staff may be reached through phone calls, emails, Zoom and scheduled face-to-face meetings. Parents may call the office number at (614) 487-5170 to leave a message for teachers to return a phone call or set up a meeting. Teachers are available most afternoons from 3:00-4:00 p.m.

**5. Provide parents opportunities to volunteer and participate in their child's class, and to observe classroom activities, as follows: (Please note activities are currently on hold due to Covid-19 restrictions.)**

- Tremont Elementary will solicit input through parent/teacher meetings to schedule school-wide events and parents are invited to volunteer and support those events. (ie. Reading nights, International Family Nights, TSA sponsored carnival, etc.)
- Parents may volunteer to help in classrooms on a periodic or regular basis.
- (Parents who work directly with students on a regular basis will need to undergo a security check.)
- Parents are invited to observe classroom activities and are asked to call ahead so that teachers can coordinate the visit with the classroom schedule.
- Parents are invited to complete the Upper Arlington Volunteer Form or call the Tremont office any time they wish to participate and/or need more information.

**Parent Responsibilities**

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

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**Student Responsibilities**

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

- Come to school ready to learn and work hard.
- Bring necessary materials, completed assignments, and homework.
- Know and follow school and class rules.
- Ask for help when we need it.
- Communicate regularly with our parents and teachers about school experiences so that they can help us be successful in school.
- Respect the school, classmates, staff, and families of Tremont Elementary.
- Give to our parents, or the adults who are responsible for us, all notices and information we receive from our school every day.

School Administrator	Parent(s)	Student
Date	Date	Date

(PLEASE NOTE THAT SIGNATURES ARE NOT REQUIRED)