# Pelham City Schools Goals for Student Achievement 2022-2023

In Math: All students demonstrate growth and score Proficient or higher in math on the Georgia Milestones EOG and EOC tests.

In Literacy: All students demonstrate growth in reading and writing and score Proficient or higher on the Georgia Milestones EOG and EOC tests.

**Behavior:** Increase Climate Star Rating scores by continuing Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports (PBIS) and Capturing Kids' Hearts strategies, reducing office discipline referrals.

## Pelham City Middle School 6<sup>th</sup>Grade Goals for Student Achievement 2022-2023

In Math- Students will fluently add, subtract, multiply and divide decimals and basic multidigit multiplication and division.

In Literacy- Students will be able to read for comprehension and understand vocabulary.

## In 6th Grade

In the 6<sup>th</sup> grade, teachers will work with students and their families to support students' success in reading, math, and behavior. Some of the ways we will accomplish this include:

- Encourage students and parents to use the website and other resources suggested such as Google Classroom, Remind, Istation, and USA Test Prep.
- Encourage students to read nightly and discuss passages with parents.
- Make practice material available for basic multiplication, division, & multi-digit multiplication facts.
- Engage families through Parent-Teacher Team Meetings and family engagement practices to support student learning at home and in the community.
- Continue with PBIS.

### At Home

PCMS parents worked with staff to develop ideas about how families can support students' success in reading and math at home. Some of the suggestions:

- Attend parent trainings or access information from the events on the school website.
- Utilize parent resources such as academic websites/software, the PIRC, Remind, and access the monthly parent newsletter via email, Remind text, PCS website (online access available at school or public library) or lobby rack.
- Encourage nightly reading for 20 minutes and discuss the passage.
- Practice multiplication, division, & multi-digit multiplication facts with student.
- Discuss daily what students are learning in class.

#### 6th Grade Students

A sampling of Pelham City Middle School's 6th grade students asked their peers about how they can succeed in Math and Literacy. Students thought of the following ways to make connections between learning at home and school:

- Practice multiplication, division, & multi-digit multiplication facts
- Set higher independent reading goals, read each day, and visit local library for reading.
- Use the suggested online resources at home such as USA Test Prep. Quizlet, Prodigy, Tumble Books, and Kahoot.
- Take advantage of extra help with teachers.
- Use flashcards and math packets or study guides made by teachers to study.

## Activities to Build Partnerships and Communication for Student Learning

Open House- meet teachers and visit classrooms.

Parent Involvement Events- Curriculum Night, Reading/SS Night and STEM Night/Mathfest. Donuts with the Dude, Moments with Mom and more!

Parent Chats- opportunities for parents to "chat", share concerns and give input.

Parent/Teacher Conferences - traditional conferences during teacher planning by appointment.

Parent Academy- virtual and in-person parent sessions offered to build capacity for student academic success and parent advocacy.

Parent Resource Center – parent, student and staff resources and computer/online access. The PIRC is located near PES main entrance.

### Parental Engagement

Parents are invited to join all parent engagement activities. These opportunities, as well as our school website, Facebook page and annual surveys, are vehicles for parent input and involvement.

#### Stay in the know with:

Parent Portal -Infinite Campus, PCS school website, Facebook, emails, monthly parent newsletters, progress reports/report cards, PCS phone message system, and **Parent Inv. Remind** 

> (sign up by texting, 229-588-294, message @058f27).

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School 6<sup>th</sup> Grade
School-Parent-Student
Compact?

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