

## ***What is a Family-School Compact?***

A Parent and Family-School Compact for achievement is a voluntary agreement co-developed between parents, students and teachers. It identifies what actions parents, school staff and students will take to share mutual responsibility for improving student achievement.

### **Effective Compacts:**

- ❖ Begin with standards
- ❖ Focus on student learning
- ❖ Respond to school data
- ❖ Define everyone's responsibilities
- ❖ Count on us to believe in it and use it.

### **Communication**

*"Bunker Hill School is committed to communicating regularly with families about each child's learning".*

*Some of the ways parents/families can expect us to communicate are:*

- ❖ *Homework Communication Folder*
- ❖ *Homework Planner Notes*
- ❖ *Open House in September and Parent/Teacher Conferences in December and April.*
- ❖ *PowerSchool*
- ❖ *Periodic Phone calls home*
- ❖ *In person meetings*

*"Parent and Family Engagement is very important for student achievement and success!!"*

## **Family Events**

*Some Parent and Family Events planned for the 2018/2019 school year:*

*Ice Cream Social*

*Title 1 Family Meeting*

*Family Movie/Literacy Night*

*Math Night*

*Science Night*

*Spring Festival*

*Dr. Seuss Day*

*Guest Author Visit*

*Parent Workshops*

*And more...*

**Check our monthly newsletter for the dates and times!!!**

**Bunker Hill's  
Parent and Family-School  
Compact  
For  
Achievement  
2018-2019**

**Grade 5**

**Let's  
Leap into Literacy,  
Move Over for Math and  
Succeed in Science!**



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*Parents can contact the school with any questions or concerns at 203 574-8183.*



## **Our Mission**

*All members of the Bunker Hill School community will be treated with respect and upheld to high expectations.*



## **Our Vision**

*The vision of Bunker Hill Elementary School is to establish and maintain an alliance among students, parents/families, community, administration, teachers, and staff by improving the education offered to our students in order to prepare them for their future.*



*“Our focus will be on the Wonders ELA Curriculum and the Common Core State standards. Our goal is to continue to strengthen literacy, numeracy and science”.*

## **In the Classroom**

*The Grade 5 team will work with students and their families in the following ways:*

- ❖ *Will meet and communicate with parents throughout the year.*
- ❖ *Will share and discuss the mClass HomeConnect report in the beginning, middle and end of year testing.*
- ❖ *Will prepare students for SBAC testing.*
- ❖ *Will monitor student progress with periodic updates through phone calls and PowerSchool.*
- ❖ *Will make sure each student receives help when it is needed.*
- ❖ *Will send home literacy, math and science learning materials.*
- ❖ *Will use a variety of teaching methods to ensure students can be reached at all levels.*
- ❖ *Will make sure students understand their assignments, their purpose and what they will learn from them.*

## **At Home**

*As a Parent/Guardian I can improve my child's literacy, math and science skills by:*

- ❖ *Having my child read daily.*
- ❖ *Practicing vocabulary and sight words every day.*
- ❖ *Doing Wonders at Home.*
- ❖ *Preparing my child for SBAC testing.*
- ❖ *Participating in any workshops (when I am available) that are being offered by the school.*
- ❖ *Meeting and communicating with my child's teacher throughout the year.*
- ❖ *Checking and maintaining student communication folders on a daily basis.*
- ❖ *Providing my child a quiet homework area.*
- ❖ *Help my child be organized.*

### **As A Student:**

- ❖ *If I am having trouble with school work, I will ask for help from my teacher or family.*
- ❖ *I will do my homework.*
- ❖ *I will read on my own or with my family every day.*
- ❖ *I will use Wonders at Home.*
- ❖ *I will arrive to school on time, awake and ready to learn!*