What is a School-Parent Compact?

Our annual school-parent compact offers ways that we can work together to help our students succeed. This compact provides strategies to help connect learning at school and home.

Effective compacts:

- Link to academic achievement goals
- Focus on student learning
- Share strategies that families can use at home
- Explain how parents and teachers can communicate about student progress
- Describe opportunities for parents to volunteer, observe, and participate in the classroom

Jointly Developed

The parents, students and staff of BES developed this School-Parent Compact. Teachers suggested home learning strategies, parents added ideas to make them more specific, and students told us what would help them learn. Meetings are held each year to review the compact and make changes based on student needs.

We welcome your suggestions.

If you would like to volunteer or participate, please call Dee Treadwell at 449-2088 or email her at dtreadwell@pierce.k12.ga.us.

BES Family Resource Center

Where: Media Center **When:** Mon.–Thur. 7:30-3:00 Fri. 7:30 – 2:30

Come check out fun activities and games to help your child succeed in school!

Communication about Student Learning

BES is committed to frequent two-way communication with families about student learning and success. Some of the ways you can expect us to reach you are...

- Newsletters
- Notes sent home in the student's agenda, emails and REMIND
- Parent Teacher Conferences
- Progress Reports/Report Cards
- Current grades and attendance in Infinite Campus Parent Portal
- Updates on the school website & Facebook

To make an appointment with your child's teacher, please call 449-2088 or email the teacher.

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Building Partnerships

Blackshear Elementary School offers many opportunities for parents, teachers, and students to build partnerships throughout the school year. Such opportunities include...

- Open House
- Annual Title I Extravaganza
- "Table Talk" Workshops
- Volunteering/Mentoring
- Parent Teacher Conferences
- Parent Cafes

Blackshear Elementary School 4th Grade



2018-2019 School-Parent Compact

Our Focus is Student Success

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Reading

Increase Comprehension

As a school, we will...

- Provide resources to students and parents through notes and newsletters to improve reading comprehension.
- Provide comprehension questions for parents to ask their child when monitoring daily reading.

As a parent, I will...

- Use resources in notes and newsletters to improve my child's comprehension.
- Monitor my child's daily reading and ask comprehension questions

As a student, I will...

- Share and review comprehension resources in notes and newsletters with my parents.
- Read each night and answer comprehension questions from my parents.

Increase Fluency

As a school, we will...

 Provide parents with weekly passages for students to practice fluency at home.

As a parent, I will...

- Listen to my child read fluency.
 passages provided by the teacher
- Read with my child(shared reading).
- Sign fluency passage each night.

As a student, I will...

- Practice fluency passages at home.
- Read 20 minutes each night.

2018-2019 District Goals

The Pierce County School System will

- increase the percentage of students scoring at the Developing level or above in English Language Arts on the Georgia Milestones End of Grade (EOG) Assessment.
- increase the percentage of students scoring at the Developing level or above in Math on the Georgia Milestones End of Grade (EOG) Assessment.

2018-2019 BES Goals

Reading: In fourth grade, BES will increase the percentage of students scoring in "Proficient" or "Advanced" on the Scholastic Reading Inventory (SRI) from 72% in Spring 2018 to 74% in Spring 2019.



The end of year reading target scores are :

- 120+ words per minute and
- Lexile comprehension score (SRI) of <u>840.</u>

Math: In fourth grade, BES will increase the number of students scoring in the "Proficient" and "Advanced" range on STAR Math from 63% in Spring 2018 to 65% in Spring 2019.



The end of year math target is 750+ on the STAR Assessment.

Math

Increase Computational Skills As a school, we will...

- Provide strategies to increase math fact fluency and computational skills.
- Provide parents with resources to increase math computation in notes and newsletters.

As a parent, I will...

- Practice math facts each night with my child to improve computation skills.
- Use resources and strategies found in notes and newsletters to help my child improve math computation.

As a student, I will...

- Review math facts using my strategies each night.
- Use math resources and strategies to solve math computation problems at home.





Check out our "Virtual" Pierce County Family Resource Room on Pinterest for engaging resources to support your child's learning at home! www.pinterest.com/pcresourceroom/

Eureka Math lesson videos are also available on this site!