

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 at 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 PES 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.

Parents are welcome to contribute suggestions at any time.

If you would like to volunteer or participate, please contact Ashlee Todd at ashleetodd@pierce.k12.ga.us or (912)647-5373.

Communication about Student Learning

PES 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...

- Weekly Newsletters
- Livingtree Engage
- Notes sent home
- Parent Teacher Conferences
- Progress Reports/Report Cards
- Current grades and attendance in Infinite Campus
- Updates on the school website

To make an appointment with your child's teacher, contact the teacher by phone (912) 647-5373 or email.

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Building Partnerships

Patterson 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
- Lunch & Learn Parent Trainings
- Parent Cafes

Patterson Elementary School



2019-2020 School-Parent Compact

3rd Grade

**Focus for Student
Success**

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Reading

Increasing Reading Fluency

As a school, we will...

- ✓ Provide parents with grade level reading passages for students to practice reading at home.

As a parent, I will...

- ✓ Use the reading passages provided by teachers to help my child practice reading at home.

As a student, I will...

- ✓ Read the reading passages with my parent.

Increasing Reading Comprehension

As a school, we will...

- ✓ Provide parents with reading comprehension questions to ask their child while reading their passages or library books.

As a parent, I will...

- ✓ Ask my child questions about what they are reading using the provided resources and encourage my child to summarize what they have read orally and/or written.
- ✓ Read 20 minutes each day with my child.

As a student, I will...

- ✓ Answer questions provided by my teacher about the books/passages I am reading with a parent.
- ✓ Read 20 minutes each day with a parent.

2019-2020 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.

The Pierce County School System will increase the percentage of students scoring at the Developing level or above in Math on the Georgia Milestones End of Grade (EOG) Assessment.

2019-2020 School Goals

Reading

By the end of the 2019-2020 school year, 75% of Patterson Elementary School 3rd grade students will meet proficiency grade level targets, based on DIBELS assessment results.

Math

By the end of the 2019-2020 school year, 75% of Patterson Elementary School 3rd grade students will meet proficiency grade level targets, based on Star Math assessment results.

PES Family Resource Center

Where: 3rd Grade Hall

When: Monday – Friday

7:30 a.m. until 2:30 p.m.

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

Math

Increase Computational Fluency Skills

As a school, we will...

- ✓ Provide parents with math flash cards and/or online resources to use at home.

As a parent, I will...

- ✓ Review math flash cards and/or online resources each night with my child.

As a student, I will...

- ✓ Use my math flash cards and/or online resources each night to practice my fluency.

Increase Understanding of Math Concepts

As a school, we will...

- ✓ Provide Eureka math materials and guides in journals for students and parents.

As a parent, I will...

- ✓ Review Eureka math materials and guides in my child's journal.

As a student, I will...

- ✓ Share and review the Eureka math materials and guides in my journal with my family.

Look for Eureka Math videos along with valuable resources & activities for your child in our PC Family Resource Room @ www.pinterest.com/pcresourceroom/