

MOBILE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM
SCHOOL-PARENT COMPACT



Dauphin Island Elementary School



The Dauphin Island Elementary School, and the parents of the students participating in activities, services, and programs funded by Title I, Part A of the Every Student Succeeds Act of 2015 (ESSA) (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 school 2024-2025.

School Responsibilities

Dauphin Island 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:
 - Implement MCPSS Curriculum with focus on College and Career Ready Standards.
 - Empower students through an engaging curriculum.
 - Utilize scientifically research-based programs and instructional strategies.
 - Provide intensive intervention for identified students in reading and math.
 - Maintain a highly qualified faculty and support staff.
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 scheduled at times convenient for the parent and teacher. Conferences will begin in October and be completed by mid-December.
3. Provide parents with frequent reports on their children's progress. Specifically, the school will provide reports as follows:
 - Progress reports for all students will be sent home at least every four weeks.
 - Report cards will be sent home at the conclusion of each quarter.
 - Student progress can be monitored by parents online.
4. Provide parents reasonable access to staff. Specifically, staff will be available for consultation with parents as follows:
 - Staff will be available throughout the school year, by appointment to meet with parents before or after school or during planning time.
 - Parents may communicate electronically with teachers and administrators.
5. Provide parents opportunities to volunteer and participate in their child's class, and to observe classroom activities, as follows:
 - Parents are given opportunities to participate as volunteers through chaperoning field trips, outdoor classes, or to assist with school functions.
 - Statewide Parenting Day will be held in the month of October.
6. Ensure regular two-way, meaningful communication between family members and school staff, and, to the extent practicable, in a language that family members can understand.
 - The staff will communicate with parents throughout the school year and will use various ways of communication.
 - Communications can be offered in parent requested languages.

Parent Responsibilities

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

- Take responsibility for my child's punctuality and school attendance.
- Making sure that my child is completing all homework assigned daily and reading at home with my child.
- Actively encourage and stay involved in what my child is learning by checking such things as newsletters, assignments folders and websites.
- Participate in decisions relating to my child's education.
- Provide the support necessary to ensure my child stays in school and graduates high school.
- Staying informed about my child's education and communicating with the teacher, school and school district by promptly reading all notices sent from the school or school district.

Student Responsibilities

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

- Follow school discipline and uniform policies.
- Complete and return homework assignments on time while doing my best.
- Attend school promptly, daily and be actively involved in the learning process.
- Give all notices and information to parents or guardians.

Stacey A. Wilcox
Principal Signature

8-8-24
Date

Parent Signature(s)

Date

Student Signature

Date