



**MOBILE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM
SCHOOL-PARENT COMPACT
Benton C. Rain High School
"Home of the Mighty Red Raiders"
"Striving to help all children reach their full potential"**

Benton C. Rain High 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 year 2022-2023.

School Responsibilities

B. C. Rain High 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:**
 - Students will be taught necessary concepts and objectives as outlined by the ALSDE.
 - Teachers will use test data to drive instruction in the classroom and utilize activities that make learning enjoyable.
 - Providing hard copies of the syllabi each semester.
 - A visible emphasis on maintaining a safe and orderly learning environment by establishing high expectations for both learning and appropriate behavior.
 - Provide students with additional support through Title I tutoring programs.
 - Facilitate positive communication between administrators, teachers, parents, and students.
- 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:
 - Parents will have opportunities to sign up for conferences at the Title I meeting and other parent meetings held throughout the school year.
 - Conferences can be scheduled through the front office, teachers or counselors. Conferences will be held during the teacher's planning period, before school, or after school.
 - A Partnership Conference will be held on all students who do not pass the required subject areas.
- 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.
 - Parents or guardians will pick up the first and third quarter report cards. All other report cards will be mailed home. (Please make sure we have your correct mailing address on file.)
 - Student progress can be monitored online
- 4. Provide parents reasonable access to staff.** Specifically, staff will be available for consultation with parents as follows:
 - Contact the school at 221-3233 to schedule an appointment. Teachers are available during their planning periods appointments can also be scheduled for before and after school meetings.
- 5. Provide parents opportunities to volunteer and participate in their child's class, and to observe classroom activities,** as follows:
 - B. C. Rain High School has an open door policy in which parents can volunteer and visit classrooms.
 - All parents must report to the front office to request a visitor's badge
- 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.**
 - Parents may contact the school staff via phone, email or in person. Responses will be made within 24-48 hours in a language understandable.
 - B. C. Rain High School will make all communications available to parents and family members in a language they can understand by request.

Parent Responsibilities

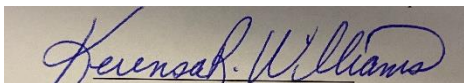
We, as parents, will support our children's learning in the following ways:

- *Monitoring attendance*
- *Making sure that homework is completed.*
- *Volunteering in my child's classroom.*
- *Participating, as appropriate, in decisions relating to my children's education.*
- *Promoting positive use of my child's extracurricular time.*
- *Staying informed about my child's education and communicating with the school by promptly reading all notices from the school or the school district.*
- *Serving, to the extent possible, on advisory groups, such as Title I advisory committees and parent and family engagement committees.*
- *Support dress code and discipline policies set by the school*

Student Responsibilities

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

- *Do my homework every day and ask for help when I need to.*
- *Read at least 30 minutes every day outside of school time.*
- *Give to my parents or the adult who is responsible for my welfare all notices and information received by me from my school every day*
- *Attend school regularly*
- *Always come prepared*
- *Obey all school rules/follow MCPSS Code of Conduct*
- *Adhere to the school's dress code*
- *Complete all class and school assignments*
- *Show school spirit*



School Representative Signature

Parent Signature(s)

Student Signature

Date

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