



**PETER F. ALBA MIDDLE SCHOOL
2023 – 2024 PARENT COMPACT**

Peter F. Alba Middle 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 2023 - 2024.

School Responsibilities

Peter F. Alba Middle 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 provided rigorous, relevant, and engaging assignments that reinforce classroom instruction using scientific research-based best practices and foster success.
 - Students will be taught necessary skills and concepts in an aligned curriculum to meet state standards.
 - Teachers will facilitate student learning by incorporating various instructional methods.
- 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 be invited to attend a school-wide Open House during the first month of school to meet teachers and discuss student concerns.
 - Parents will be invited to participate in State-wide Parenting Day activities at the local school. Teachers will be available to conduct Partnership Conferences during which standardized test scores from the previous year will be discussed and a plan of action will be forged to facilitate student success.
- 3. Provide parents with frequent reports on their children's progress.** Specifically, the school will provide reports as follows:
 - Student progress can be monitored by parents daily utilizing Schoology. All parents will be provided log-in information to access their child's grades.
 - Report cards will be disseminated at the end of each quarter.
 - Parents of students in need of additional academic support or in danger of failing will be notified by teachers
- 4. Provide parents reasonable access to staff.** Specifically, staff will be available for consultation with parents as follows:
 - Staff will be available throughout the year (by appointment) to meet with parents. Appointments may be scheduled before or after school by contacting the school at 251-824-4134.
- 5. Provide parents opportunities to volunteer and participate in their child's class, and to observe classroom activities,** as follows:
 - Parents will be given the opportunity to volunteer, participate, and observe classroom activities at any time with approval from the school principal and does not disrupt the normal educational process.
- 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.**
 - School newsletters and other parent communications will be provided in native language when possible.
 - The school will provide an interpreter to translate between family and school staff when necessary.

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.

Student Responsibilities

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

Specifically, we will:

- Attend school regularly.
- Work to the best of my ability in class and on school assignments, including homework.
- Obey the Student Code of Conduct and the Alba Middle School Dress Code.
- Bring appropriate school supplies to each class daily.


School Representative Signature

Parent Signature(s)

Student Signature

6-21-23
Date

Date

Date

White Copy – Parent

Yellow Copy – Homeroom Teacher

Pink Copy - Office