

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.

Our Compact will:

- Link to our academic goals
- Focus on student learning
- Share strategies that staff, parents and students can use
- Explain how parents and teacher can communicate about student progress
- Describe opportunities for parents to observe, volunteer and participate in the classroom

Jointly Developed

The parents, students and staff of Lindley Middle School worked together and shared ideas to develop the school-parent compact. Teachers met with their content teams to design practical strategies for parents to use at home. Parents provided input on their needs to help their students. Students completed surveys to provide their input for the compact. Meetings are held each year to review and revise the compact based on Lindley's academic achievement goal and students' needs.

Parents, you are welcome to provide feedback and contribute to the compact at anytime during the school year. Please contact your parent facilitator, Tanisha Humphrey at 770-819-2496 ext. 043 or Tanisha.humphrey@cobbk12.org



Building Partnerships

Lindley Middle School offers ongoing activities, events and programs to provide parents and students enriching opportunities with our staff through:

- Parent University
- Open House
- Parent Teacher Conferences
- Family Workshops
- Volunteering
- PBIS
- Teacher communication
- Newsletters
- Parent Resource Room—Room 545

It is our continuing goal to establish and maintain resources that strengthen the partnership between parents and school.

Communication About Student Learning

Lindley Middle School uses the following communication methods to provide parents with timely information and access to our staff:

- ParentVue
- Student Led Conferences
- CTLS Learn
- CTLS Parent- Emails, Text, & Calls
- Transition Tips
- School Website
- Social Media
- Progress reports are sent home every 4.5 weeks
- Other



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School-Family Compact

Cobb County School District

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Academic Achievement Goals

Cobb County School District's Goals

- Increase student performance in all core content areas by 2% annually as measured by achievement data.
- CCSD will increase the participation rate of families and communities engaging in services/programs by 10% as measured by CTLS Parent data, survey results & web view module.
- By 2023, we will reorganize the PL framework to meet the needs of all schools to ensure alignment with Superintendent Priorities as measured by PL opportunities, surveys, and student achievement.
- By the end of 2025 school year every school will have identified practices and resources that support student success as measured by student academic, perception or discipline data.

Lindley Middle School's Goals/Area of Emphasis

- By the end of the 2021- 2022 school year, increase the percentage of students performing on or above proficient level by 10% as measured by the ELA EOG.
- By the end of the 2021- 2022 school year, increase the percentage of students performing on or above proficient level by 10% as measured by the Math EOG.



As a School, Lindley Middle School Will...

- Provide parents with the following online resources:
<https://www.ixl.com/>
<https://www.deltamath.com/>
<https://www.studyisland.com/>
<http://www.coolmath.com/>
- Ensure that parents are informed about current classroom instruction through teacher blogs, CTLS Parent and webinars
- Will conduct Parent University Days where parents will be taught mini lessons on the standards that the student are learning.
- Will provide parents with Monthly Unit Newsletters for Each Content to keep parents and students remain abreast

As Parents, We Will...

- Utilize the information from the online resources and websites provided by the school.
- Stay current by reviewing teacher blogs , webinars , CTLS Learn and Parent VUE to gain a better understanding of lessons taught in the classroom.
- Parents will participate during Parent University days to learn more about curriculum, standards and assessments
- Read and use the information in the Monthly Unit Newsletter



As Students We Will:

- Utilize the information from the online resources and websites provided by the school.
- Check the StudentVue Portal, teacher blogs, CTLS Parent and school website to stay on top of grades and current academic performance
- Students will model what they are learning in the classroom through engaging activities
- Review the Monthly Unit Newsletter with parents to ensure the parents are kept up to date on classroom instruction



My own personal goal for MATH is:

My own personal goal for ELA is:

My TEACHERS can help me reach my goals by: _____

My FAMILY can help me reach my goals by: _____
