

PARENT-STUDENT-TEACHER COVENANT

"Therefore, encourage one another and build each other up, just as in fact you are doing." 1 Thessalonians 5:11

Education succeeds when there is a strong partnership between the school, the parents, and the students themselves. A clear path of communication, ownership, mutual respect, and God's help and guidance helps to create this partnership. Individual and shared responsibilities for education, growth, and students' success are the foundation of this covenant.

The areas outlined below demonstrate our combined assurances that will ensure success for your child(ren).

Parent's Pledge:

- Carry the faith principles being taught at school into our home
- Pray for my student(s) and the teachers
- Let teachers know if my child has any problems with learning
- Use reading and math materials sent home for parents
- Read to my child 20 minutes a day or ensure my child is reading each day
- Help my child see how to use math and reading to achieve his or her goals
- Provide a quiet space for homework
- Agree with the school's Positive Behavior Plan
- Show respect and support for my child, the teachers, and the school
- Assist with one classroom or school activity

Student's Pledge:

- Pray for my teachers and classmates
- Always try to do my best work
- Believe that I can and will learn
- Let my teacher and family know when I need help or am feeling frustrated
- Read with my family and on my own everyday
- Work on math and reading using the materials that have been sent home
- Write down assignments, do my homework, and turn it in every day
- Share my highs and lows of my day

Teacher and Staff Pledge:

- Pray for my students and families by name
- Create a partnership with every family in my class/school
- Monitor student progress and report to parents as needed
- Make sure that all students get help as soon as it is needed
- Send home learning materials to extend learning
- Maximize instructional time
- Explain my grading, teaching and assignment expectations to students and families
- Continue to refine my teaching strategies so all students can learn
- Assign work that is relevant and interesting
- Provide timely feedback for students and families
- Make sure that my students understand the concepts taught, assignments and grade or evaluate promptly
- Demonstrate professional behavior and a positive attitude

By signing this covenant, I am pledging to be a partner in the educational process!

Parent: _____ Student: _____

Teacher/Staff Member: _____ Date: _____