

What is a Family-School Compact?

A Family-School Compact for Achievement is an agreement that families, students, and teachers develop together. It explains how families and teachers will work together to make sure all our students reach or exceed grade-level standards.

Effective Compacts:

- * Link goals of the school improvement plan
- * Focus on student learning skills
- * Describe how teachers will help students develop these skills using high-quality instruction
- * Share strategies families can use at home
- * Explain how teachers and families will communicate about student progress

Jointly Developed

Families, students, and staff at Monterey High School developed this Family-School Compact for Achievement. Teachers suggested home learning strategies, families added ideas to make them more specific, and students told us what would help them learn. Meetings are held each year to review the Compact and make changes based on student needs.

Families can contribute comments at any time.

Building Partnerships

If you would like to volunteer or participate in the classroom, please contact Sonja Farley at 839-2970 or farleys1@pcsstn.com.

Activities to Build Partnerships

Back to School Nights
Teen Trends & Social Media Night
ACT Night with a Focus on Math and Reading
Financial Aid Night (Seniors Only)
Parent/Teacher Conferences
Rising Freshman Night
Rising 7th Grade Night
And More!

***Due to Covid-19, scheduled events may be postponed, canceled, or reformatted to provide information, resources, and materials to students and their families.

Communication about Student Learning

Monterey High School is committed to frequent two-way communication with families about student learning. Some of the ways you can expect us to reach you are school emails, school messenger call outs, progress reports and reports cards via email (printed upon request), our website, Facebook, and Instagram.



Family-School Compact for Student Achievement 2022-2023

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Our Goals for Student Achievement

District Goals

- Putnam County Schools will strive to advance student academic development and achievement to make sure that all students will be college and/or career ready to achieve their fullest potential.
- Putnam County Schools will provide highly effective educators for all students.
- Putnam County schools will improve family and community outreach and communication.

School Goals

- Increase attendance rates by 2%
- Increase achievement mastery in all subject areas by 5%
- Increase English Language Learners (ELL) growth and World-Class Instructional Design and Assessment (WIDA) scores
- Improve ACT benchmark rates
- Increase student participation in Early Post-Secondary Opportunities (EPSO)

Teachers, Families, Students -- Together for Success

In our Classrooms

Teachers will work with students and their families to support students' success in the Common Core Standards for Reading and Math.

Some of our key connections with families will be the following:

- * Make sure all students get help as soon as needed.
- * Assign work that is relevant and interesting.
- * Provide an environment that promotes learning.
- * Keep Powerschool grades up to date.
- * Agree to teach Tennessee state standards with methods that lead to long-term learning.



At Home

Monterey High School parents joined staff to develop ideas about how families can support students' success in all classes but especially in English Language Arts and math.

Some of our key at-home activities will be as follows:

- Encourage daily school attendance
- Talk to your student about school and classroom assignments
- Encourage your student to ask questions and try his/her best
- Help your student participate in school activities

Student Goals

Come to school

Always be prepared

Think of others first

Show responsibility