

NORTHBRIDGE PUBLIC SCHOOLS
STUDENT-PARENT-TEACHER COMPACT
SHARED RESPONSIBILITIES & PARTNERSHIP FOR SUCCESS

Effective Schools are a result of families and school staff working together for each child's success in school. A learning compact is an agreement among all partners toward that goal. The team of students, parents, staff, and community at Northbridge Public Schools will work together to achieve excellence. By signing this compact, we agree to work together to provide a safe, stimulating and respectful environment which enables us to meet the future with success.

STUDENT

I know that my education is important to me. It will help me become a better person. I know that my family, friends and teachers want to help me, but I am the one who has to do the work. I agree to do my best to:

- Believe that I can learn and will learn.
- Attend school regularly and be on time.
- Always try to do my best in my work and in my behavior.
- Work cooperatively with my classmates.
- Show respect for myself, my school, my teachers, and others.
- Obey the school rules.
- Take pride in my school and my work.
- Come to school prepared with my homework and my supplies.
- Ask for help from teachers and parents when I need it.

Signature _____

Date _____

PARENT

I understand the importance of being involved in my child's education. I will continue to assist in my child's learning and success in school by doing the following:

- Believe that my child can learn and will learn.
- Ensure that my child attends school regularly and be on time.
- Monitor my child's progress and let the teacher know right away if I notice any problems.
- Encourage my child to read daily.
- Encourage my child to be accountable for school responsibilities.
- Set and enforce appropriate limits to TV/on-screen time.
- Demonstrate respect and support for my child, the teachers, and the school.
- Support the school in developing positive behaviors.

Signature _____

Date _____

TEACHER

I understand the importance of the school experience to every student, and the importance of my role as a teacher and a model for students. I will make every effort to carry out the following responsibilities:

- Believe that each student can learn and will learn.
- Strive to build a positive relationship with every family in my class.
- Keep families informed of their children's progress and needs in each subject.
- Make sure every student gets the help they need as soon as it is needed.
- Communicate my approach to teaching, expectations, and grading to students and their families.
- Differentiate instruction so that I can reach all children.
- Make sure students understand assignments and what they'll learn from them.

Signature _____

Date _____