

Title I
Parent and Family
Engagement
 Polk County Public Schools



2016-2017 Polk County Public TITLE I Schools

Kathleen Elementary School Compact for Learning



District and School-based Title I Parent and Family Engagement Programs in Polk County Public Schools will strive to **BUILD RELATIONSHIPS** in order to create real family engagement for **every** child, every family, **every** teacher, **every** day.

This compact outlines how the parents/family, the entire school staff, and the students will share the responsibility for improved student academic achievement. By linking learning, the school and parents will build and develop a partnership that will help our students achieve the state's high standards for the school year.

We will support learning in the following ways;	Staff Responsibilities	Parent/Family Responsibilities	Student Responsibilities
Curriculum-High Academics	Provide high quality content and instruction through highly qualified teachers, effective strategies, and relevant, detailed instructional materials.	Be sure your child reads 30 minutes each day. Be sure they learn basic math facts of addition, subtraction, multiplication and division 0-12.	Read a mixture of fiction and nonfiction for 30 minutes a day including weekends and holidays. Practice math facts for mastery 15-20 minutes every day.
Monitoring Student Progress	Notifications of your child's progress will be sent regularly. Teachers will be available for scheduled conferences before and after school, by phone, text, email and Student Success nights each card marking.	Monitor your child's grades, test scores and progress. Monitor data & goals pages in the agenda. You may visit your child's classroom if you notify your child's teacher 24 hours in advance, up to 3 hours per week.	Give maximum effort to your education at all times, monitor your own progress. Talk with your parents and teachers about your data and goals. Take testing seriously to show what you know.
Partnership - Be Involved	Provide opportunities for parents to be on campus as observers or volunteers and host Parent Involvement events. Serve families with a respect for diversity and keep positive lines of communication active.	Give input regarding decisions about education at KES through the SAC or PTO. Help out in your child's class or at school events. Call us about becoming an approved volunteer today.	Request help when you need it from school staff or your family. Complete assignments and follow teacher directions at school. Show your parents notifications in the agenda.
Communication - Stay Informed	Allow for an achievement focused, safe and effective learning environment using research based strategies inspiring students to be life-long learners.	Talk to your child's teacher about ways to help your child learn at home, attend Student Success events each card marking, track your student's goals	Request help when you need it from school staff or your family. Complete assignments and follow teacher directions at school. Show your parents notifications in the agenda.
Learning Environment	Allow for an achievement focused, safe and effective learning environment using research based strategies inspiring students to be life-long learners.	Support your child with a quiet place to complete homework. Make sure the title of the book or chapter number of their nightly reading is written in the agenda and they practice math facts.	Complete all homework and classwork given each school day. Be especially mindful to study math facts and read a mix of fiction and nonfiction. Read, read, read!

Visit the WWW.POLK-FL.NET website for important information:

- PARENT PORTAL: www.polk-fl.net/parents/parentportal.htm
- PARENT GUIDE: www.polk-fl.net/parents/formsanddocuments/PARENTGUIDE
- VOLUNTEERING: www.polk-fl.net/community/volunteers.
- PARENT CENTERS: www.polk-fl.net/parents/involvement/pirc.htm
- PARENT UNIVERSITY: www.polk-fl.net/parents/involvement/plug.htm
- FLORIDA STANDARDS: <https://flstandards.org>
- TESTING: www.polk-fl.net/parents/testing.
- Online Free/Reduced Lunch application @ www.polk-fl.net or call 534-0588

<http://schools.polk-fl.net/kathleen/>
 Please visit our school's website for additional information, including curriculum and instruction; test dates; staff contact information; Title 1 resources; a glossary of terms, and other important dates.
 If you do not have access to our website please visit the front office for printed information or call the front office at **863-853-6030**

Signatures:
 Parent/Guardian _____
 Student _____
 Teacher _____
 This compact was discussed on _____.