

2016 – 2017 Sioux Valley School – Parent Compact

The Sioux Valley Elementary, and the parent of the students participating in activities, services, and programs funded by Title I, Part A of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA), agree that this compact outlines how the parents, the entire school staff, and the students will share the responsibility for improved student academic achievement and the means by which the school and parents will build and develop a partnership that will help children achieve the State's high standards.

This school-parent compact is in effect during school year 2016 - 2017.

Sioux Valley Elementary Responsibilities

The Sioux Valley Elementary will:

1. Provide high-quality curriculum and instruction in a supportive and effective learning environment that enables the participating children to meet the State's student academic Common Core standards as follows:
 - a. Sioux Valley Elementary will provide supplemental services in the student's classroom or in the Title I room.
2. Hold parent-teacher conferences twice a year during which this compact will be discussed as it relates to the individual child's achievement.
 - a. Conferences will be held on Wednesday, October 26, from 2:30 – 6:00, Thursday October 2 from 2:30 – 8:00 P.M.; Wednesday, February 8, from 2:30 – 6:00 and Thursday, February 9, from 2:30 – 8:00 P.M.
3. Provide parents with frequent reports on their children's progress.
 - a. The Title I department will provide a student report four times a year. The report will be attached to the student's report card.
4. Provide parents reasonable access to staff. Specifically, staff will be available for consultation with parents as follows:
 - a. The Title 1 teacher, Mrs. Quail, will be available from 8:00 A.M. – 4:00 P.M. daily. Please call Mrs. Quail 627-5657 ext. 212, to make an appointment.
5. Provide parents opportunities to volunteer and participate in their child's class, and to observe classroom activities:
 - a. Every classroom welcomes parent volunteers. Please contact your child's classroom teacher or contact Mrs. Quail to schedule a time that you would like to observe or help in the classroom.

Parent Responsibilities

We, as parents will support our children's learning in the following ways:

- *Monitoring child's attendance.
- *Making sure that homework is completed and planner signed.
- *Reading with my child 20 minutes a day.
- * Monitoring my student's weekly Home to School Connection with the online Wonder's Language Arts curriculum.
- *Volunteering in my child's classroom.
- *Participating, as appropriate, in decisions relating to my children's education. I will let the teacher know if my child has any problems with learning.
- *Promoting positive use of my child's extracurricular time.
- *Helping my child see how to use reading and math to pursue his/her interests and goals.

Student Responsibilities

We, as students, will share the responsibility to improve our academic achievement and achieve the State's high standards. Specifically, we will:

- *Write down assignments in my planner and take home the necessary materials to complete homework.
- *Do my homework every day and ask for help when I need to.
- *Ask my parent to sign my planner when the homework is completed.
- *Keep my desk organized
- *Read at least 15--20 minutes every day outside of school time.
- *Give to my parents or my guardian all notices and information received by me from my school every day.

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Parent Signature _____ Date _____

Student Signature _____ Date _____

(Please return this compact to your classroom teacher)

