

What is a Parent - Student - Educator Learning Contract?

A Parent - Student - Educator Learning Contract is an agreement that outlines how parents, students and school educators share the responsibility for student achievement..

The contract:

- ⇒ Defines the learning responsibilities of parent, student and school educator. The contract provides guidelines for everyone involved in each student's success
- ⇒ Is as strong as the people who believe in it and use it.
- ⇒ Is a "work in progress." The committee that created the contract welcomes feedback from parents, students and staff. The contract was amended in the fall of 2012 and will formally be reviewed every year.



Highlands Middle School Mission Statement

Highlands Middle School will provide a caring, safe, and secure environment that allows for the intellectual, social, emotional, and well-being of all students. Students will be challenged to meet their maximum potential to become independent life-long learners and contributing members of society who respect the individual differences of others.

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READING PLUS/
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PARENT-
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TAKING
TRADITION
to the **Next level**

Working Together

Parent/Caregiver Responsibilities

I will strive to . . .

- ✓ Make certain my child comes to school well rested, fed and with homework that has been checked.
- ✓ Have my child attend school every day and be on time.
- ✓ Provide an appropriate environment and set a routine for studying.
- ✓ Monitor my child's completion of assignments and help study for assessments..
- ✓ Empty and/or check the backpack with my child each day.
- ✓ Participate regularly in school and classroom activities.
- ✓ Communicate openly with my child and the school staff.
- ✓ Check the daily agenda each day.
- ✓ Provide for my child's physical and emotional needs, e.g. glasses, hearing aids, stability, support, etc.

Student Responsibilities

I will strive to . . .

- ✓ Have my materials ready for class and give my best effort on all assigned schoolwork.
- ✓ Bring home necessary materials to complete assignments and study for assessments..
- ✓ Keep my daily agenda up-to-date.
- ✓ Communicate questions and/or problems to my teachers.
- ✓ Be respectful of others and the educational process.
- ✓ Make good choices.
- ✓ Attend school-tutoring programs and/or use a "study buddy" when needed.

Educator Responsibilities

I will strive to . . .

- ✓ Communicate with students and parents.
- ✓ Create a classroom atmosphere that is conducive to learning.
- ✓ Report progress regularly.
- ✓ Provide a variety of learning experiences in an effort to meet all students' needs.
- ✓ Be available to students who need extra help and provide a schedule indicating when help can be provided.
- ✓ Model respect for students.
- ✓ Have well prepared lessons each day.

This brochure describes the Title I Highlands Middle School Parent - Student - Educator Learning Contract. This is an invitation for you to be involved in a partnership with Highlands Middle School. Please read the information contained in the brochure, sign and return this portion with your child to the Title I teacher. Keep the contract for future reference.

Thank you for your participation in this important partnership.

Parent _____ Date _____

Student _____ Date _____

Educator _____ Date _____

Please tear off this page and return to school.

...to Bring Out the Best in Students