# **Family Engagement:**

South Central is continuously seeking opportunities to welcome our families into the learning environment, even electronically. Programs and events provide enriching activities and partnership in education.

- Wildcat Welcome
- Family Involvement Nights
  - Fall Festival
  - Coffeehouse Poetry
  - Math Night
  - Literacy Nights
- Fall & Spring Parent/Teacher Conferences
- Class Dojo, Remind 101 &/or Newsletters
- Parent Portal
- Kindergarten Readiness

## A Partnership in Development:

The families, students, and staff collaboratively designed the school-home compact in 2018. The Leadership Team organized useful tips and resources to support instruction beyond the school day. Parents provided feedback through a Compact Meeting, an open Q&A session, email, phone call, or an individual meeting. An open Comment Box is continuously available in the school lobby. Students completed group comment cards to provide feedback and suggestions as well as their personal goals.

Home-School Compact Meetings will be held annually during the meeting with additional meetings occurring as needed to meet students' academic needs and school goals.

## What is a School-Home Compact?

A School-Home Compact is completed annually as students, parents, teachers, and administration work together to help our students succeed. The goal of this work is to unite all stakeholders while providing strategies to support instruction beyond the classroom.

## **Effective Compacts:**

- Connect academic achievement goals
- Focus on student learning
- Share strategies for all stakeholders
- Establish & enhance lines of communication
- Help volunteers & guardians get involved

TO SCHEDULE AN APPOINTMENT
WITH YOUR CHILD'S TEACHER, PLEASE
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SOUTH CENTRAL

SCHOOL-HOME COMPACT



## ACADEMIC ACHEIVEMENT

# Washington County Goals:

- All students will have equal access to a safe learning environment that promotes academic achievement.
- Kindergarten Readiness focused awareness of children birth to 5.
- 80% of 3rd graders reading on grade level by 2021.
- The district will achieve a level 4 TVAAS score or higher in numeracy (mathematics).
- The district will achieve a level 4 TVAAS score or higher in literacy (reading/ELA).

#### School Goals:

Our targeted goals for this year are:

To achieve a level 3 TVASS score of higher in grades 3-8 literacy and mathematics and maintain or improve the percentages of students scoring on track and mastered as measured by TCAP.

To decrease our chronic absenteeism rates from 12.1% to 10.5% as measured by school AMO.

### As a school we will...

- Promote a safe and healthy environment with a culture of positive, respectful behavior.
- Develop engagement activities through our Family/Community Involvement Plan, and PASS.

## **High Quality Curriculum..**

Our school follows the Tennessee State Curriculum for public schools and Tennessee State Standards.

#### Communication..

Grades K-1 use Daily Folders, Newsletters, 2-3 use Newsletters. All grade levels have a Classroom Dojo as well as access to a school wide Dojo and Remind101 used for general announcements and reminders.

- Meet annually with parents to discuss Title I requirements and funds.
- Be accessible to parents and respond in a timely manner between the school hours of 7:45 a.m. and 3:15 p.m. or after school hours through email or Remind 101 or Class Dojo.

# Monitor Student Progress and Drive Instruction

- Kindergarten uses Brackens as well as Common Formative Assessments, Star 360 and EasyCBM.
- 1st grade has access to Common Formative Assessments, Star 360, and EasyCBM.
- Grades 2-8 utilize Common Formative Assessments, Star 360, EasyCBM as well as TNReady.

#### As a family we will...

- Make sure my child attends school every day, arriving to the classroom by 8:00 a.m.
- Instill a positive attitude.
- Communicate with my child's teacher by reading materials sent home, responding appropriately in a timely manner, and contacting the teacher or administrator as needs arise.
- Provide accurate information including addresses, phone numbers, and emergency contacts.
- Involve my child in home activities that foster improvement of reading and math skills including:
- 20 minutes of reading every night.
- Support my child in fluency of grade level appropriate math facts (adding, subtracting, multiplying, dividing).

#### As students we will...

- Make sure I attend school every day and arrive in my classroom prepared to learn by 8:00 a.m.
- I will do my best everyday. This means I will have high expectations for myself and approach all tasks with a positive attitude.
- Complete homework and classroom assignments on time.
- Treat all faculty and staff, parents, visitors, and school facilities with respect.
- Share school forms with my family and be responsible by returning forms to school in a timely manner.
- Read for 20 minutes every night.
- Practice my math skills, facts, and fluency every night.

## My Goals:

My own personal goal for MATH is:



My own personal goal for ELA is:

My own personal goal for SCIENCE is:

My **TEACHER** can help me reach my goal by:

My **FAMILY** can help me reach my goal by: