SCHOOL COMMITMENT

The South Fayette School District will:

1. Provide high-quality curriculum and instruction in a supportive and effective learning environment that enables the participating children to meet Pennsylvania’s student academic achievement standards as follows:
   a. Treat each child with dignity and respect
   b. Believe that every child can be successful
   c. Acknowledge that parents are vital to the success of this school and its students
   d. Provide intensive and explicit research-based reading instruction

2. Parent-teacher conferences will be held at the end of the first and third nine week grading periods during which this compact will be discussed as it relates to the individual child’s achievement.

3. Progress reports will be shared with parents indicating their child’s progress in word analysis, vocabulary, oral reading fluency and comprehension. These progress reports will be sent home in the homework folder.

4. The classroom teacher and reading specialist will be available for consultation by contacting the teacher via e-mail or telephone. Classroom teachers and reading specialists are available before and after school for conferences.

5. Encourage parents to participate in their child’s education by:
   a. Asking parents to volunteer to help the reading specialist or classroom teacher when needed
   b. Inviting parents to participate in reading activities during special reading days
   c. Allowing parents to observe their child’s classroom by following the district’s observation policy and completing the necessary paperwork

PARENT RESPONSIBILITIES

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

1. Provide adequate space and sufficient time for my child to do homework

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2. Monitor homework completion
3. Promote positive use of my child’s extracurricular time
4. Read to my child
5. Send my child to school regularly and on time