Harpeth Valley School Educational Compact

The Harpeth Valley School staff, parents, and students will work as partners to foster a positive learning environment. This compact has been developed and describes school and family responsibilities. Signatures indicate agreement to fulfill this compact to the best of our abilities.

As a staff we pledge to:

- Provide instruction for each student at his/her own pace.
- Provide a safe school environment that promotes learning.
- Show respect with our words and actions for each child and his/her family.
- Provide appropriate homework to reinforce the skills that have been taught at school.
- Communicate with parents regularly about their child’s progress.
- Schedule an annual parent-teacher conference to discuss academic and behavior progress.
- Come to school on time, prepared to teach the approved state and local curriculum.

As a parent/guardian I (we) will:

- Read to my child or have my child read to me every day.
- Show respect with my words and actions for my child, other children and their families, the teachers, and the school.
- Provide a place for homework and check to see that all work is completed.
- Ask my child about schoolwork and activities every day.
- Communicate and work with the school to encourage my child’s learning and positive behavior.
- See that my child attends school regularly and on time.
- Communicate with the school about any changes in address or phone numbers.
- Support the school’s and my child’s classroom teacher’s guidelines about volunteering in the school and in the classroom.
- While volunteering or visiting my child if information is learned or observed regarding a child’s family, a child’s behavior, and/or a child’s academic performance, his/her privacy will be guarded at all times.

Parent/Guardian’s Signature ________________________ Date __________________

As a student, I will:

Be safe, Act responsibly, Respectfully, and Kind.

Student’s Signature _______________________________ Date __________________