About the Family School Compact

What Is It?
The Hickman Family School Compact is a written agreement teachers and parents develop together explaining how they will work together to ensure all students reach high academic standards.

Our compact
- Is linked to the goals of the Hickman School Improvement Plan (see school website)
- Is focused on student learning skills and social emotional learning skills
- Describes how teachers will help students develop necessary skills using high quality instruction
- Shares strategies parents can use at home
- Explains how teachers and parents will communicate about student progress
- Describes opportunities for parents to volunteer, observe, and participate in the classroom

The Parent School Compact is developed jointly by teachers, parents, and students. The compact is reviewed yearly and changes are made based on student needs.

Hickman welcomes any suggestions for school improvement at all times.

Parent Involvement Activities
Hickman School promotes building partnerships with parents, including chances for parents to volunteer, take part in, and observe classroom activities, and communicate with teachers in the following ways:
- PTA membership and events
- Classroom volunteers
- Event volunteers
- Read Me Week—parents are invited to read to classes
- Family Literacy Night—families participate in games and activities supporting a love for reading
- Parent workshops
- Pastries for Parents
- Field trip chaperone

Communication Plan
Hickman School is committed to frequent two-way communication with families about children’s progress. Some of the ways you can expect us to reach you are:
- Yellow Communication Folders
- Newsletters
- Phone calls, notes, call outs, Remind
- Emails, Text reminders
- School Website
- Report Cards and Progress Reports
- Parent Teacher Conferences
- Parent meetings and trainings on instructional strategies to use at home

Family School Compact For Achievement
2019-2020
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Please sign agreement. Tear off this section and return the signature page to your child’s teacher.
As a third grade teacher, I will support student learning by:

- Teaching mathematical concepts, properties, and applications of multiplication and division.
- Utilize leveled, small-group instruction to develop the grade-appropriate decoding and phonics skills required for grade-level fluency.
- Communicating with parents via the Remind App regarding events and instruction.

Our Goals for Third Grade Student Achievement

MNPS District Goals

Grow/Achieve/Empower

Goal 1: Increased Academic Achievement: Reading/Language Arts

Goal 2: Increased Academic Achievement: Mathematics

Goal 3: Safe and Healthy Students

Goal 4: College and Career Ready Students

Hickman School Mission & Vision

To succeed we must expect each child to achieve high standards.

Teachers will engage all students in their learning.

HAWKS

Hand in hand Actively Working for Kids Success

SOAR

Scholars On-Task Achieving Responsibly

Helping Third Graders Set Goals

As a third grade teacher, I will:

- Practice math facts at least 15 minutes each night.
- Read for 15 minutes every night.
- Respect all members of the Hickman Community.