



# Guadalupe Union School District

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## Kermit McKenzie Intermediate School's School-Parent Compact

This Compact, which has been jointly developed with parents, outlines how parents, the entire school staff, and students will share the responsibility for improved student academic achievement. This Compact describes specific ways the school and families will partner to help children achieve the state's high academic standards. This Compact addresses the following legally required items, as well as other items suggested by parents and family members of Title I, Part A students:

- The school's responsibility to provide high-quality curriculum and instruction (ESSA Section 1116[d][1]).
- The ways parents and family members will be responsible for supporting their children's learning (ESSA Section 1116[d][1]).
- The importance of ongoing communication between parents and family members, and teachers through, at a minimum, annual parent-teacher conferences; frequent reports on student progress; access to staff; opportunities for parents and family members to volunteer and participate in their child's class; and opportunities to observe classroom activities (ESSA Section 1116[d][2]).
- Parent-teacher conferences in elementary schools, at least annually, during which the Compact shall be discussed as it relates to the individual child's achievement (ESSA Section 1116 [d][2][A]).
- Frequent reports to parents and family members on their children's progress (ESSA Section 1116[d][2][B]).
- Reasonable access to staff, opportunities for parents and family members to volunteer and participate in their child's class, and observation of classroom activities (ESSA Section 1116[d][2][C]).

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### Kermit McKenzie Intermediate School

#### School Staff Commitment:

I understand the importance of the school experience to every student and my role as an educator. Therefore, I agree to carry out the following responsibilities to the best of my ability:

- Foster/encourage parent/teacher partnerships
- Receive training in strategies to effectively communicate with parents
- Teach California adopted grade level standards (CCSS), skills, and concepts that provide high quality curriculum instruction in a supportive and effective learning environment
- Strive to address the individual needs of your child
- Communicate with you regarding your child's progress
- Provide a safe, positive and healthy learning environment for your child
- Communicate homework and classroom expectations
- Correct and return appropriate work in a timely manner
- Provide regular feedback on student work/performance to promote learning
- Support your child's primary language and culture
- Show respect to self and others at all times
- Provide opportunities for parents to volunteer, participate and observe in child's classroom

Student Commitment:

I know that my education is important and that I am the one responsible for my own success. Therefore, I agree to carry out the following responsibilities to the best of my ability:

- Attend school every day on time and ready to learn
- Review my class work with my parent(s) weekly
- Return completed homework on time
- Follow school rules and be responsible for my own behavior at all times
- Ask for help when needed
- Show respect to self and others at all times

Parent Commitment:

I understand that my participation in my child's education will help his/her achievement and attitude. Therefore, I agree to carry out the following responsibilities to the best of my ability:

- Foster/encourage parent/teacher partnerships
- Attend Back to School event, Parent/Teacher conferences, Open House, and other events
- Encourage my child to engage in reading activities for at least 20 minutes every day
- Provide a quiet place/time for my child to complete his/her homework
- Make sure my child gets adequate sleep and has a healthy diet
- Adhere to the school's homework, discipline, dress code and attendance policies
- Participate in district opportunities for parenting training
- Support all elements of the Parent Involvement Policy adopted by the GUSD School Board
- Show respect to self and others at all times

This Compact was adopted by the Kermit McKenzie Intermediate School's School Site Council in March of 2023 and will be in effect for the 2023-2024 school year.

The school will distribute the Compact to all parents and family members of students participating in the Title I, Part A program on, or before the first day of the 2023-2024 school year.

Alexander R. Jauregui

**Signature of Authorized Official**

March 28, 2023

**Date**