

## **STUDENTS**

As a student, I will:

- Remember that I am a KEY scholar and perform accordingly by adhering to the COUGAR CREED.
- Be receptive of help from my teachers and staff
- Make good choices like paying attention in class, staying on task, doing my best, and working hard at my schoolwork
- Be a leader, make good decisions, and always do my best.

## **AT HOME**

As a parent, I will:

- Support my child's learning by ensuring that he/she has proper rest and nutrition and attends school on time and on a regular basis
- Support my child's learning by reading with him/her
- Help set a positive tone for learning with my child
- Participate in decisions relating to the education of my child through a mutually respectful relationship with school staff
- Provide a mutually respectful relationship between all parties (students, parents, teachers, and volunteers)



## **IN THE CLASSROOM**

As a school, we will:

- Provide a high-quality effective learning environment that is safe
- Provide students will rigorous learning opportunities and engaging lessons
- Provide ongoing two-way communication between teachers and parents through parent-teacher-student conferences and frequent reports to parents
- Provide reasonable access to staff through an "open door" policy
- Provide opportunities for parents to volunteer and participate in their child's class and observe classroom activities
- Provide a mutually respectful relationship between all parties (students, parents, teachers, and volunteers)



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## **OUR GOALS FOR STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT**

Key Middle School produces College Bound Scholars through a culture of high expectations, academic achievement, and data driven instruction.

In a safe and disciplined environment, Key will prepare all scholars to thrive academically and socially in their journey toward high school and beyond.

## **DISTRICT Goals**

Houston ISD will provide a package of essential leadership, instructional, social and emotional, and community supports for our school communities, then our schools will be equipped to accelerate preparation of our students to fulfill the qualities and characteristics of the HISD Global Graduate profile.



## WHAT IS A SCHOOL-PARENT COMPACT?

At Key Middle School, our parents and community are important to us and the growth of our students. The school and parents of the students participating in activities, services, and programs funded by Title I, Part A of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA), agree that this compact outlines how the parents, the entire school, and the students will share the responsibility for the improving student academic achievement and the importance of the partnership between the school-parent that will help children achieve this mission.



## ACTIVITIES TO BUILD PARTNERSHIPS

- Open House
- Coffee Chats with the Principal
- Literacy Night
- Math and Science Night
- Family and Community Engagement Events
- Field Trips/Volunteering
- Career Day
- Sporting Events
- Book Fair

## COMMUNICATION ABOUT LEARNING

You are always welcome to visit by simply giving the main office prior notice. We would love for you to come and volunteer, but more importantly reinforce our work here at Key by supporting us with the following:

1. Ensure your child has good attendance.
2. Ensure he or she is well behaved at all times.
3. Ensure that your child works hard and completes all work.

## KEY MIDDLE SCHOOL WILL:

- Provide high-quality curriculum
- Supportive and Effective Learning Environment
- Hold Parent-Teacher Conferences
- Provide parents with reports on students' progress.
- Provide parents reasonable access to staff
- Provide parent opportunities to volunteer and participate in their child's class

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**School**

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