

The staff and parents at Alcott Elementary agree that this compact outlines how all parties will share the responsibility for the success of the students. The school and the parents will create a partnership that will help children achieve the state's standards by participating in activities, services, and programs funded by Title I, Part A of the Elementary and Secondary Act (ESEA).

The school-parent compact is in effect during the 2024-2025 school year.

## School Responsibilities:

Alcott Elementary Staff will:

Provide high quality instruction following the NES model in an engaging learning environment that supports the Alcott students' pursuit to meet the state's student academic achievement in the following ways:

- Create student-centered classrooms through multiple-response- strategies that ensure student discourse and engagement.
- Develop critical thinkers and foster students in the Art of Thinking.
- Provide real-world experiences through community members in DYAD classes.
- Provide differentiation in instruction to help students reach their full potential.
- Provide highly qualified teachers that are well prepared and equipped with the strategies that will make learning interesting.
- Provide a supportive and nurturing daily routine that promotes academic and emotional support.
- Provide parents with frequent reports on student progress.
  - Parents will receive communication through Class Dojo as it relates to individual achievement and campus activities.
  - Students will receive progress reports and report cards following the HISD grading timeline.
- Provide parents with reasonable access to staff in the following ways:
  - Teachers can be reached during office hours or when the time is convenient for both parties.
  - All staff will respond to emails, calls, and messages within 48 hours.
  - Parents may use Class Dojo to send messages as needed.
  - $\circ$  Required parent conferences in the fall and spring semesters.

## Parent Responsibilities:

Alcott Elementary Parents will support our student's learning in the following ways:

- Monitor daily attendance and class participation.
- Enforce discipline policies stated in the HISD Student Code of Conduct.
- Attend parent conferences and campus activities.
- Guide and support the student in appropriate decision-making regarding education.
- Consistently stay informed about the student's progress and communicate any concerns to the appropriate campus staff.
- Communicate with teachers about the scholar's strengths and needs.

## Student Responsibilities:

As students, we will share the responsibility by taking ownership of our learning to improve our academic achievement and achieve the state's standards in the following ways:

- Respect ourselves, peers, and adults in the school.
- Communicate with parents or guardians about progress and information from the school.
- Attend all my classes and be prepared to learn.
- Follow all guidelines stated in the HISD Student Code of Conduct.

## **Alcott Elementary School**

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