



STUDENT/PARENT/TEACHER/PRINCIPAL COMPACT 2012-2013

In order to accomplish our vision & purpose, students, parents, teachers, and the principal need to work together. We share the responsibility of guiding each child in achieving her or his greatest potential, in a safe and caring environment, so that every student will possess the skills needed to enter society as responsible citizens. We ask that you promise to do this by completing and signing the part of this agreement that belongs to you.

STUDENT AGREEMENT:

I believe it is important that I work to the best of my ability. Therefore I will:

1. Attend school regularly and arrive to class by 8:15 am each day.
2. Come to school in complete school uniform except on Casual Dress Days.
3. Return my assignments and home activities on time.
4. Display positive behavior towards peers, staff, teachers, visitors and administrators.
5. Follow school and classroom rules and expectations.
6. Come to school with all the materials needed for learning.
7. Show respect for myself and others, and for their belongings.
8. Do my best at all times, even when this seems difficult.
9. Believe that I **can** learn and that I **will** learn.
10. Do my part to keep my school environment clean and safe.

Student's Signature: _____ Date: _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN AGREEMENT:

I want my child to succeed. Therefore I will:

1. See that my child attends school regularly and is in the classroom by 8:15 am.
2. Support the school's policies and follow up on any signs of social misconduct.
3. Encourage daily reading and provide appropriate reading materials and opportunities to read.
4. Supervise the completion of homework and check to see that it is returned.
5. Read and review all information my child brings home from school.
6. Provide a quiet place for learning at home.
7. Attend all parent-teacher conferences.
8. Provide necessary school supplies.
9. Not bring in outside food into the classroom for my child without prior approval.
10. Attend at least two school functions during the year.
11. Support the school staff and respect the diverse cultures.
12. Encourage my child to do her or his best and to be in complete school uniform.
13. Have on-going communication with my child's teacher and be actively aware of her or his academic progress.
14. Assist my child in maintaining a clean and safe school environment.

Parent/Guardian's Signature: _____ Date: _____

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TEACHER AGREEMENT:

I believe that it is important that I work to the best of my ability for the sake of the students in my class. Therefore I will:

1. Provide a caring learning environment where your child can be responsible for learning.
2. Provide a safe, positive, healthy, creative, well-managed environment where children feel respected and appreciated.
3. Support and attend school functions.
4. Maintain open lines of communication with students, parents, and school administration.
5. Seek ways to involve parents in classroom activities.
6. Provide students with strategies to increase competence, both in academics and in their interactions with others.
7. Make effective use of instructional / academic learning time.
8. Provide appropriate and meaningful homework assignments.
9. Continue to be a lifelong learner, knowledgeable of current best practices in the field of education.

Teacher's Signature: _____ Date: _____

PRINCIPAL AGREEMENT:

I support this form of parent involvement and home-school interaction. Therefore I will:

1. Provide and maintain a positive atmosphere for learning.
2. Provide open communication with parents, students, staff, and community.
3. Provide a safe, healthy, well-managed environment where all children are treated fairly, with respect and compassion.
4. Support and attend school functions.
5. Support a challenging curriculum that is aligned with the standards of the State of Michigan.
6. Monitor and evaluate all components in the compact to ensure that we are meeting and achieving the goals of ABT Elementary.

Principal's Signature: _____ Date: _____

**Our Vision &
Purpose:**

ACADEMIC SUCCESS FOR ALL!

