

**Manasquan Elementary School
SCHOOL-PARENT COMPACT**

Dear Parent/Guardian,

We value your role in working to help your child achieve high academic standards. The following is an outline of some of the ways you and our school staff can build and maintain a partnership to share the responsibility for supporting your child's learning.

School's Responsibility:

- Provide high quality curriculum and learning materials.
- Provide you with assistance in understanding academic achievement standards and assessments and how to monitor your child's progress.
- Provide opportunities for on-going communication between you and our teachers through, at a minimum:
 1. Annual parent-teacher conferences
 2. Regular reports regarding your child's progress (progress reports, report cards)
 3. Opportunities to talk with staff, volunteer in class, observe classroom activities and/or school events.
 4. Updates on our district/school website

Parent's Responsibility:

- Ensure that your child attends school regularly.
- Encourage your child to show positive school behavior.
- Review your child's homework on a daily basis
- Monitor television watching and video games in order to encourage positive use of your child's extracurricular time.
- When applicable, volunteer in your child's school and classroom, if time or schedule permits.
- Attend parent-teacher conferences and participate, when appropriate, in decisions relating to the education of your child.

Please review this *School-Parent Compact* with your child. This agreement may be discussed with you during a parent-teacher conference as it relates to your child's school progress. Thank you for your support and involvement in your child's education. We agree to work together, to the best of our abilities, as educators, parents, and students to fulfill our common goal of improving school instructional programs.

Signature of School Representative: _____

Signature of Parent: _____

Student's Name: _____ Grade Level: _____

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