

A School-Parent Compact for Achievement is an agreement developed jointly by parents, students and teachers that follows the federal guidelines as stated in the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA). The compact explains how parents and teachers will collaborate to make sure all students reach or exceed grade-level standards.

# Lucy Ragsdale High School

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### COMMITMENT FROM OUR SCHOOL

#### We are committed to:

- · Helping parents understand what children are learning and doing in their classrooms by: Explaining assignments and posting clear learning objectives online and establishing open lines of communication.
- Supporting parent participation in learning activities by: Promoting open house opportunities and establishing protocols that promote consistent communication.
- Providing several methods for regular teacher-parent communication, so that parents are kept up-to-date on their child(ren)'s progress by: Receiving regular progress reports and having grades
  - updated in PowerSchool on a weekly basis, and sending that communication through Canvas, Remind and other social media platforms.
- · Providing regular tips on home learning with the support of Guilford County School's Guilford Parent Academy by: Creating weekly messaging to inform about opportunities and sessions.

- Ensuring that the language and format of the School-Parent Compact and other information regarding school activities are family-friendly by: Offering information to parents and students in the dominate language at home.
- Providing parents the opportunity in developing and revising the school compact by:
  - Soliciting regular feedback in PTA meetings. Open House events, scheduled Title I Programs, and other school functions.
- Building the capacity of school staff to support parent and family engagement by: Providing staff development and community outreach.
- Allow for comments on plan: Parent feedback will be gathered through surveys, meetings, and interviews.

#### **COMMITMENT FROM PARENTS AND FAMILY**

As parents and family members invested in the education of our children, we promise to:

- Be responsible for supporting our children's learning at school by: Encouraging them to monitor attendance, volunteer, stay informed, and communicate with the school on a regular basis.
- Be responsible for supporting our children's learning at home by: Establishing study and homework times, promoting healthy habits, and promoting positive use of students' extra-curricular time.

#### **COMMITMENT FROM STUDENTS**

#### As students we promise to:

- Be responsible and take ownership of learning at school by: Having a positive approach to our education, attend school and class on a regular basis, and be respectful of adults, peers and property.
- Be responsible and take ownership of learning at home by: Keeping family informed, establishing homework/study routines and being a responsible community citizen including on social media.

#### PARENT AND FAMILY ENGAGEMENT ACTIVITIES

We value our partnerships with all stakeholders and are proud of the many opportunities available for parents to be actively involved in the school and activities to support their child. This year, families will be invited to:

- -Freshman Orientation and Open House in early August 2023.
- -Four Family Engagement Nights targeted to 9-10th grade and
- 11th-12th grade students.
- -Academic Awards Events.
- -Band, Dance, Chorus and Drama performances.

## MISSION STATEMENT

Ragsdale High School is committed to working together with all stakeholders for the success of all of our students so that they will graduate as responsible citizens, career and college ready.