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# **Our Goals for Student Achievement**

# **District Goals**

- By the end of FY24, the percentage of students in each subgroup moving into the "Proficient" and "Distinguished" levels of performance on the Georgia Milestones Assessments will increase by 2% in the "Proficient" and "Distinguished" levels of performance.
- Increase the percentage of referred students who access school-based mental health services by 2% each year (with FY21 being the baseline year) to decrease the number of OSS days in grades 6-12.

# School Goals and Focus Areas

- 1. By the end of FY2024, the percentage of students meeting projected Reading growth as measured by MAP will be at least 50% (11% increase).
- 2. By the end of FY2024, the percentage of students meeting projected Math growth as measured by MAP will be at least 60% (5% increase).
- 3. During FY2024, 100% of homerooms will implement Sources of Strength lessons weekly with fidelity as measured by lesson plans.

# 2023-2024 School Parent Compact

# Teachers, Parents, and Students... Together for Success!

# School/Teacher Responsibilities:

- An electronic school newsletter is sent at eachmonth to communicate information about learning and events for the month.
- Host a curriculum night for parents to learn how to help their children be successful with homework, develop healthy study habits, and access a multitude of resources to support learning in each academic content area.
- Hold regular parent workshops to provide strategies to support students' academic learning athome.
- Provide access to Canvas, the district learning management system, as additional support for students and families at home.
- Provide parents with reasonable access to staff to discuss their child's progress as well as the opportunity to schedule parent-teacher conferences.

# Family Responsibilities:

- Encourage my child to read at home every night.
- Help my child practice math facts.
- Practice counting routines.
- Use strategies taught in workshops to assist in my child's academic progress.

# Student Responsibilities:

- Read at home 20 minutes.
- Practice math facts and counting with my family.
- Follow the Bulldog Way.

# What is a School-Parent Compact?

Our annual school-parent compact offers ways that we can worktogether to help our students succeed. This compact provides strategies to help connect learning at school and at home. This compact will:

- Link to academic achievement goals.
- Focus on student learning.
- Share strategies that staff, parents, and students can use.
- Explain how parents and teachers can communicate aboutstudent progress.
- Describe opportunities for parents to be involved in their child's academic life, provide input to Lula Elementary School, and be active members of the school community.

# Jointly Developed

The parents, students, and staff of Lula Elementary School partnered together to develop this school-parent compact for achievement. Teachers suggested home learning strategies, parents added input about the types of support they needed, andstudents told us what would help them learn. Parents are encouraged to attend annual revision meetings held in the springeach year to review the compact and make suggestions based on student needs and school improvement goals. Parents are also encouraged to participate in the annual Title I parent survey that is used as a tool to collect parent feedback regarding the current Title I programs and policies.

#### **Communication about Student Learning**

- Electronic newsletters to parents from teachers and principal
- Remind messages
- Teacher websites
- Parent-Teacher conferences
- Emails to parents regarding academic progress
- A report card is sent home every nine weeks
- Phone calls
- Text Messaging
- Weekly Folders

# Activities to Build Partnerships

#### See the Lula website and social media pages for additional information.

#### Open House for ALL Grades – August 2, 2023 @ 3 pm - 6pm

Meet your child's teacher and our friendly and helpful school staff.

#### Curriculum/Safety Night – August 29 @ 6:00-7:00pm

Come to the gym to hear from school leadership on our school safety plan. Then, report to your child's classroom to sample a little bite from your child's academic expectations for the year! Here you will learn about math, literacy, standards and assessments.

#### What is Eureka Math? September 7-10:00 am via zoom

Zoom with us on the topic of Eureka Math and how to help your child at home with math with Mrs. Rogers. Link will be sent via Remind.

#### Annual Title I Meeting - October 26, 2023 -10:00 am and 5:00 pm

You are invited to learn about our school's Title I program including our parent involvement policy and budget, the school-wide plan, the school-parent compact and parent requirements.

#### Math Night and Trunk or Treat Thursday, October 26 from 5:30pm-7:00pm

Join the community for a bit of Halloween Fun while learning math facts. Mrs. Rogers will provide games for learning even more about math at home. Also, the book fair will be in the Learning Commons.

#### Veterans Patriotic Night -November 9 at 6:00pm

Fourth and fifth grade will host a Veterans Patriotic Night. Mrs. Rogers will have literacy materials available to help your child grow as a reader at home.

#### Festival of Trees -December 7 from 6:00-8:00pm

Second and third grade will bring a special holiday performance to us at 6:00pm. Then, join us throughout the school for Bingo, math crafts, and other special events.

Connection between home and school: Understanding your Child's Assessments: January 18, 2024 at 6:00 PM via zoom

Log on to zoom and get information and tips about the assessments your child will be given this school year and how to interpret the results to best help your child at home! Link will be sent via remind.

#### Preparing for Georgia Milestones and Test Taking Tips-March 7 at 10am via zoom

Join Mrs. Rogers via zoom to learn test taking tips for the upcoming Milestones test as well as information about MAP assessments.

#### Parent and Family Input Meeting – April 18, 2024 @ 10:00 am and 6:00 pm

Review and offer feedback about our school's Parent and Family Engagement Policy, School/Parent Compact, Comprehensive Needs Assessment, Parent and Family Engagement Budget, and the School Improvement Plan.

Earth Night-6:30pm

Kindergarten and first grade will bring a special presentation about Earth Day and Mrs. Rogers will offer ideas for summer reading!

# Let's Stay In Contact!

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Watch for school updates sent by phone and email using Infinite Campus Messenger, and look for announcements from individual teachers using Canvas and Remind. Any teacher's email is firstname.lastname@hallco.org. A full directory of email addresses is found under the "Faculty" section on our website *lula.hallco.org.*