

## *Family-School Compact for Achievement*

### **Third Grade**

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### *Our Goals for Student Achievement*

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#### Murrayville Elementary School Goals

MES School Improvement Team sets the goals in our School Improvement Plan. The school goals are:

- Increase the percentage of Murrayville students performing at the required proficiency levels in ELA, Math, and Science.
- All Murrayville students in all subgroups will meet or exceed growth in ELA, Math, and Science.

Murrayville's Instructional Improvement Plan focuses on four areas:

- Community Building
- Content Planning
- Instruction
- Assessment for Learning

For further information regarding our current School Improvement Plan, go to [www.nhcs.net/mville](http://www.nhcs.net/mville).

All School Improvement Team Meetings are open to all parents. These meetings will be announced in newsletters, Remind messages, and Connect 5 calls.

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*Teachers, Parents, Students – Together for Success*

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## In The Classroom

- Teachers will provide enrichment and remediation opportunities for your child as needed.
- Teachers will provide parents with reports on their child’s academic progress (conferences, progress reports, telephone, and email).
- Teachers will provide parents with opportunities to volunteer, participate, and observe in their child’s class.
- Teachers will plan and facilitate project based learning.
- Teachers will provide strategies/activities to reinforce instruction.
- Teachers will provide instruction based on the New State Standards.

## At Home

- Reinforce skills being taught in school through assignment completion
- Make sure your child is well-rested and at school on time
- Communicate regularly with your child’s teacher in order to be informed of their progress
- Read, sign and return your child’s progress reports
- Support the school staff in its efforts to promote appropriate behavior
- Check Parent Portal regularly
- Celebrate your child’s success

## Students

Students will be expected to follow the four school wide expectations at all times.

Respectful	Responsible	Safe	Kind
<p>*Students will respect themselves, peers and staff at all times.</p> <p>*Students will respect belongings of their own, peers, teacher and school.</p>	<p>*Students will turn in completed homework and class assignments on time.</p> <p>*Students will ask for help when needed.</p> <p>*Students will use planners to keep track of when all assignments are due as well as to remember all important dates.</p> <p>*Students will relay parent information to the teacher (correspondence).</p>	<p>*Students will keep all body parts to themselves.</p> <p>*Students will walk in the school building at all times.</p> <p>*Students will adhere to all emergency procedures.</p> <p>*Students will follow all playground safety rules.</p> <p>*Students will follow science safety rules.</p>	<p>*Students will treat others how they want to be treated at all times.</p>

	*Students will keep their classroom materials organized.		
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## *What is a Family-School Compact?*

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A Family-School Compact for achievement is an agreement that parents, students, and teachers will honor for the success of their student. It explains how parents and teachers will work together to make sure all our students reach and exceed grade-level standards.

### Effective Compacts:

- **Link** to the goals of the School Improvement Plan
- **Follow** the NC Standard Course of Study
- **Focus** on student learning skills
- **Share** strategies parents can use at home
- **Explain** how teachers and parents will communicate
- **Describe** opportunities for parents to participate

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## *Family & School Together*

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This Family-School Compact for Achievement was created to support our students, their families, and our school community. Teachers suggested home learning strategies, parents added ideas to make them more specific, and students told us what would help them learn. Meetings will be held each year to review the compact and make changes based on student needs.

[Parents are welcome to contribute comments at any time.](#)

If you would like to volunteer, participate, and/or observe in the classroom, please contact the office at 910-790-5067, ext. 800.

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## *Activities to Build Partnerships*

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- Title I Information Meeting and Workshops
- PTA Events-all year
- Student Data Conferences – twice a year
- Student Success Night – in the fall
- Step-Up Night – in the spring
- Fun Day – in the spring

- Watch D.O.G.S. (Dads of Great Students) Volunteer Program
- Mighty M.O.M.S. (Moms of Magnificent Students) Volunteer Program
- School & Classroom Events
  - Cultural Heritage Project – fall
  - Biography Wax Museum - spring
- Grade Level Awards Assembly – one each semester

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### *Communication about Student Learning*

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Murrayville Elementary School is committed to communicating regularly with families about student learning. Some of the ways you can expect us to communicate are:

- District, School, and Teacher Websites
- Weekly reports
- Parent-Teacher Conferences
- Blackboard Connect Phone Message
- Regular distribution of newsletters
- Facebook

#### **Questions about your child's progress?**

Contact your child's teacher by phone (910) 790-5067 or e-mail through the school website at [www.nhcs.net/mville](http://www.nhcs.net/mville)