

## What is a School-Parent Compact?

It is an agreement between parents and schools for academic achievement. It is a written contract that parents, students and teachers develop together. This document explains how parents and teachers share the learning responsibility of the students. This agreement helps to link the learning connection between the school and the home.

### Effective Compacts:

- \* Link to the objectives of the school improvement plan.
- \* Focus on the learning objectives of the students.
- \* Describe how teachers will help students develop those skills through high quality teaching.
- \* Share strategies that parents can use at home.
- \* Explain how teachers and parents communicate about student progress.
- \* Describe opportunities for parents to volunteer, observe, and participate in classes.