



LENA M. PRESTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL



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School-Parent Compact

The school distributes to parents and family members of Title I, Part A students, a school-parent compact (Compact). This Compact, which has been jointly developed with parents, outlines how parents, the entire school staff, and students will share the responsibility for improved student academic achievement. This Compact describes specific ways the school and families will partner to help children achieve the state's high academic standards. This Compact addresses the following legally required items, as well as other items suggested by parents and family members of Title I, Part A students:

- The school's responsibility to provide high-quality curriculum and instruction (ESSA Section 1116[d][1]).
- The ways parents and family members will be responsible for supporting their children's learning (ESSA Section 1116[d][1]).
- The importance of ongoing communication between parents and family members, and teachers through, at a minimum, annual parent-teacher conferences; frequent reports on student progress; access to staff; opportunities for parents and family members to volunteer and participate in their child's class; and opportunities to observe classroom activities (ESSA Section 1116[d][2]).
- Parent-teacher conferences in elementary schools, at least annually, during which the Compact shall be discussed as it relates to the individual child's achievement (ESSA Section 1116 [d][2][A]).
- Frequent reports to parents and family members on their children's progress (ESSA Section 1116[d][2][B]).
- Reasonable access to staff, opportunities for parents and family members to volunteer and participate in their child's class, and observation of classroom activities (ESSA Section 1116[d][2][C]).

How does the school address this?

- **District Adopted Common Core Curriculum used in all classrooms**
- **All teachers are highly qualified by the State of California and attend regular professional development trainings**

- **Parents/Teachers can communicate consistently and regularly to ask any questions and address any concerns**
- **Parents should sign agenda or calendars**
- **Parents should do homework or read with their children nightly**
- **Parents should attend the Parent-Teachers conferences in November**
- **Parents can request a progress report at anytime**

The school engages Title I, Part A parents and family members to improve the achievement of their children in meaningful interactions with the school. This Compact supports a partnership among staff, parents and family members, and the community to improve student academic achievement. To help reach these goals, the school has established the following practices:

The school provides Title I, Part A parents and family members with assistance in understanding the state's academic content standards, assessments, and how to monitor and improve the achievement of their children (ESSA Section 1116[e][1]) in which ways?

- **Back To School Night**
- **Parent-Teacher Conferences**
- **Bring your Parent to School**
- **AVID Tutorials for Parents**
- **Reclassification Parent Meeting**

The school provides Title I, Part A parents and family members with materials and training to help them improve the achievement of their children (ESSA Section 1116[e][2]) in which ways?

- **Common Core District Adopted Texts and Workbooks**
- **Supplementary Programs, Lexia Core, MobyMax, Footsteps2Brilliance, Scholastic Guided Reading, RISE, iReady**

With the assistance of Title I, Part A parents and family members, the school educates staff members in the value of parent and family member contributions, and how to work with parents and family members as equal partners (ESSA Section 1116[e][3]) in which ways?

- **Continued Professional Development**
- **Being an active member of the School Site Council**

The school coordinates and integrates the Title I, Part A parental involvement program with other programs, and conducts other activities, such as resource centers, to encourage and support parents and family members in more fully participating in the education of their children (ESSA Section 1116[e][4]) in which ways?

- **District Parent Center**
- **DAC Committee**
- **ELAC Committee**
- **DELAC Committee**
- **PTA**

The school distributes information related to school and parent programs, meetings, and other activities to Title I, Part A parents and family members in a format and language that the parents and family members can understand (ESSA Section 1116[e][5]) in which ways?

- **All information sent home in English and Spanish**
- **Parent Link information recorded in English and Spanish**
- **Remind app messages in English and Spanish**
- **Preston Webpage**

The school provides support for parent and family member involvement activities requested by Title I, Part A parents and family members (ESSA Section 1116[e][14]) in which ways?

- **School holds all required meetings such as:**
 - **SSC School Site Council**
 - **Title I information meeting**

The school provides opportunities for the participation of all Title I, Part A parents and family members, including those with limited English proficiency, disabilities, and migratory students; and that the information and school reports are provided in a format and language that parents and family members can understand (ESSA Section 1116[f]) in which ways?

- **Office staff available to translate and explain**
- **Information sent home in English and Spanish**
- **Interpreters available at request for all meetings and assemblies**

This Compact was adopted by the **Preston Elementary School Site Council** on **(insert date)**, and will be in effect for the period of **2020-2021 School year**.

The school will distribute the Compact to all parents and family members of students participating in the Title I, Part A program on, or before: **(add date here)**.

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Date

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