

OUR GOALS FOR STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT

HOUSTON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT GOALS:

- The percentage of students reading and writing at or above grade level as measured by the percent of students at the Meets Grade Level standard on STAAR for grade 3 through English II shall increase by three percentage points annually from 37% to 46% between spring 2017 and spring 2020
- The percentage of graduates meeting the Global Graduate standards as measured by the College and Career Readiness component of the Texas accountability system shall increase three percentage points annually from the 2017 graduates' baseline of 52% to 67% by 2022
- Among students who exhibit below satisfactory performance on state assessments, the percentage who demonstrate at least one year of academic growth, as measured by the STAAR Progress Measure, shall increase three percentage points annually in reading and in math from 57% in spring 2017 to 66% in spring 2020

PORT HOUSTON ELEMENTARY GOALS:

- The percentage of students reading and writing at or above grade level as measured by the percent of students at the Meets Grade Level standard on STAAR for Grade 3 through Grade 5 shall increase by five percentage points annually between spring 2019 and spring 2020
- The percentage of students at or above grade level as measured by the percent of students at the Meets Grade Level standard on STAAR for Grade 3 through Grade 5 shall increase by five percentage points annually between spring 2019 and spring 2020.
- School attendance will improve by 0.4% or greater for the 2019-2020 school year.
- There will be a decrease in incident reports, discipline referrals, and In-School Suspensions / Out of School Suspensions

WHEN ALL OF US WORK TOGETHER, WE CAN ACHIEVE OUR GOALS!

PARTNERING TOGETHER FOR SUCCESS

SCHOOL:

- ❖ Provide high quality curriculum and instruction in supportive and effective classroom environments to enable students to meet the challenging State academic standards. We support our students and work to provide a welcoming, safe environment.
- ❖ Hold parent-teacher conferences annually during which this compact will be discussed as it relates to the individual child's achievement
- ❖ Provide parents with frequent reports on their children's progress
- ❖ Provide parents reasonable access to staff
- ❖ Provide parents opportunities to volunteer and participate in their child's class and to observe classroom activities

PARENTS:

- Ensure my children attend school on time daily.
- Attend all parent/teacher conferences and at least 3 schoolwide events.
- Stay informed about my child's education and communicate with the school by promptly reading all notices from the school or the school district either received by my child or by mail and responding, as appropriate.
- Serve, to the extent possible, on policy advisory groups, such as being the Title I, Part A parent representative on the school's School Improvement Team, the Title I Policy Advisory Committee, the District wide Policy Advisory Council, or other school advisory or policy groups.

STUDENTS

- Attend school every day, on time
- Come to school each day, prepared with the necessary tools for learning
- Complete and return homework assignments
- Study and read at home for at least 20-30 minutes a day
- Actively participate in own learning
- Follow district and school rules

WHAT IS A SCHOOL-PARENT COMPACT?

A school-parent compact is a written agreement between the Port Houston Elementary School, parents, and students that is developed together. It states the responsibilities of each to make sure that students reach or exceed grade-level standards and/or expectations.

JOINTLY DEVELOPED

The staff, parents, and students of Port Houston Elementary School meet twice a year (at the beginning in August/September and end in May) to discuss student learning needs based on current data. Our School-Parent Compact is revised based on these discussions. Teachers suggest home learning strategies, parents add ideas to make them more specific, and students identify ways to support their learning goals.

Parents are welcome to contribute comments or suggestions at any time.

BUILDING PARTNERSHIPS

If you would like to volunteer, participate, and/or observe in a classroom, please contact Ms. Rincón at mrincon@cis-houston.org or (713)671-3890, or go to our school website <https://www.houstonisd.org/PortHoustonES>

ACTIVITIES TO BUILD PARTNERSHIPS

- ❖ Title I, Part A Program Meetings
- ❖ Meet the Teacher
- ❖ Dismissal Plan Meetings
- ❖ Open House
- ❖ Donuts with the Principal
- ❖ Literacy, Math, and Science Nights
- ❖ STAAR Spaghetti Night
- ❖ Parent University
- ❖ Shared Decision-Making Committee (SDMC) Meetings
- ❖ Volunteers in Public Schools (V.I.P.S.) Trainings
- ❖ Language Proficiency Assessment Committee (LPAC) Meetings
- ❖ Fall Festival
- ❖ Health Fair
- ❖ Middle School Fair
- ❖ Resources Fair
- ❖ Winter Program
- ❖ G/T Expo
- ❖ Day of the Child
- ❖ Field Day

COMMUNICATION ABOUT STUDENT LEARNING

- Notes/Flyers
- Parent/Teacher Conferences
- Progress Reports/Report Cards
- Newsletters/Calendars
- Communication Folders
- Student Agendas
- Class Dojo and other APPs
- Social Media (Facebook, Twitter, Pinterest, Instagram)
- Marquee
- School website
- School call-out



**A School of Excellence where
students
Persevere, Progress, and Prevail**

**SCHOOL-PARENT COMPACT
2019-2020**

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