# 2020- 2021 Goals for Student Academic Achievement

## <u>District Goal</u>

Our students will be well-rounded individuals who possess the necessary academic skills and knowledge and are excited about learning.

## <u>School Goals</u>

Kimberly Elementary administrators and leadership team have studied our performance data and decided that increasing Reading/ELA scores on Georgia Milestones and improving school culture as the most important areas of improvement for our school.

By spring 2021, Kimberly Elementary will:

- Increase the % of students performing at Proficient and Above on ELA EOG Test from 15% to 18%.
- Increase average positive responses on Georgia Climate Survey from 63% to 66%.

#### Literacy Focus

- 1. Phonics letter and sound recognition
- 2. Read for fluency and comprehensions

#### **Culture Focus**

- 1. Implement and monitor SEL (Social Emotional Learning)
- Teacher positive behaviors through use of Success Center.

#### As a School we will:

- Assist each student in improving and moving up one performance level in reading fluency, comprehension, and vocabulary knowledge.
- Assist each student improving and moving up one performance level in mathematics.
- Develop academic parent workshops on math and reading to provide support at home with take home packets and information.
- Schedule parent-teacher conferences every nine weeks to provide the parents with students' data on their math and reading goals.
- Provide parents with opportunities to volunteer.
- Solicit and acquire community support through partnerships and grants.

#### As Parents and Families, we will:

- Ensure that my child will read for 30 minutes each day at home.
- Participate in the Math, Literacy and Science learning nights, and Parent Academic workshops offered at the school.
- Visit the parent resource center to use the computer and check out Math and Language Arts games and other resources that will help me to help my child at home.
- Communicate regularly with my child's teacher.

### As a Student I will:

- Read for at least 30 minutes each night a book that is within my reading range.
- Practice math skills taught in class at least 30 minutes each night.
- Complete my daily assignments at school and at home.
- Be present at school unless I am sick.
- Be kind and respectful towards my teachers and peers.
- Communicate any areas of difficulty with my teachers, counselors, administrators, and parents.

# What is a School-Parent Compact?

The School-Parent Compact (SPC) is a written agreement between the school community and parents.

The SPC provides an opportunity to create new partnerships between the school, teachers and families. It explains what families and schools can do to help children reach high academic standards of excellence. This written agreement indicates how all stakeholders of our school community agree to share in the effort to raise student academic achievement.

# Jointly Developed

The parents, students and staff of Kimberly Elementary developed this School-Parent Compact jointly.

Our instructional leaders suggest home learning strategies based on our school's goals and focus areas, our parents added ideas to make them more specific, and our students told us what would help them learn. Meetings are held each year to review and revise the School-Parent Compact to make changes based on students' needs.

## **Building Parent Partnerships**

Kimberly Elementary builds parent partnerships by involving parents in the participation of the many activities and events at the child's school:

- Parent-Teacher Conferences
- Sneak- a-Peek
- Open House
- Learning Nights
- Provide Shuttle Transportation
- Field Trip Chaperones
- Room Parent
- Volunteering

#### Communication about Student Learning and Academic Achievement

Kimberly Elementary communicates with parents through student progress reports and report cards, Class Dojo & Remind, email and phone calls, as wells as Parent-Teacher Conferences and an Open House are held to provide parents with academic information. Parents may also use the Parent Portal to update contact information and review their child's grades, assignments and assessments.



## Kimberly Elementary School

## 2020-2021 SCHOOL/PARENT COMPACT

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