

ACTIVITIES TO BUILD PARTNERSHIPS

Join us for discussions on various topics throughout the school year to help support your child as they transition through elementary school. Learn about Toomer Elementary School's goals and how we will achieve these learning goals.

- We will provide parents with frequent reports on their child's progress through the Campus PARENT Portal/Infinite Campus, parent teacher conferences, and home-school communications.
- Provide opportunities for parents to volunteer and participate in their child's class and to observe classroom activities.
- Provide parent meetings for feedback, workshops, and events to help parents understand and assist in decision making activities regarding school and district goals.

Toomer Elementary is committed to frequent two-way communication with families about students' learning. Some of the ways you can expect to hear from us are:

- Updated school website
- Thursday newsletters
- Robo calls
- Twitter @ToomerES
- Parent/teacher conferences
- Facebook: Friends of Fred A. Toomer
- Remind 101 texts

Scan this code to provide feedback on the School/Family Compact at any time. To volunteer or participate in school activities, contact:

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SCHOOL-FAMILY COMPACT 2023-2024

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WHAT IS A SCHOOL-FAMILY COMPACT?

A school-family compact is an agreement that care givers, students, and teachers develop together. It explains how care givers and school staff will work together to make sure all our students continue to grow academically.

Effective compacts:

- Link to goals of the school-wide plan. Focus on student learning.
- Describe how teachers will use high quality instruction to help students learn.
- Share strategies parents can use at home to support the learning.
- Explain how teachers and parents will communicate about student progress
- Describe opportunities for parents to volunteer, observe, and participate in the classroom.

GOALS FOR STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT

DISTRICT GOAL(S)

- Literacy Proficiency: The percentage of students in grades 3-8 scoring proficient or above in reading, as measured by GMAS, will increase from 36.9% in 2019 to 47% in 2026.
- Numarcy Proficiency: The percentage of students in grades 3-8 scoring proficient or above in math, as measured by GMAS, will increase from 35% in 2019 to 45.4% in 2026.

SCHOOL GOAL(S)

- Increase the ELA proficiency rates for our subgroups
- Increase the Math proficiency rates for our subgroups
- Decrease the number of chronically absent students

STAFF | FAMILY | STUDENTS

Together for Success



AS A SCHOOL WE WILL...

- Communicate clearly and consistently via Thursday newsletters
- Host Parent Engagement nights to ensure families can stay up to date with curricula
- Utilize Fountas & Pinnell as a rigorous reading curriculum
- Utilize concept-based inquiry in alignment with International Baccalaureate pedagogy

AS FAMILY WE WILL...

- Participate in school events when possible
- Support daily reading
- Join Toomer PTA
- Register and utilize the Infinite Campus Portal

AS STUDENTS WE WILL...

- Read 20 minutes per night as often as possible
- Participate in class to enhance critical thinking
- Review items sent home with family and discuss together
- Check out, read, and return books from the school library
- Utilize online tools when appropriate