Branson R-IV School District

Title I Parent-School Learning Compact

Buchanan Intermediate School Commitment:

The School and its entire staff will provide high quality curriculum and instruction in a supportive and effective learning environment that will enable each student to make progress towards meeting the Missouri Learning Standards as follows:

- Hire and retain highly qualified principals and teachers.
- Provide instruction, materials, and high quality professional development.
- Involve parents in an organized, ongoing, and timely way in the planning, review, and improvement of programs under Title I by holding annual meetings at various times, and if necessary, providing transportation, child care, or home visits.
- Provide an interpretation of the school's annual performance report, and if requested, hold regular meetings to formulate suggestions and to participate, when appropriate, in decisions relating to the education of their children.
- Provide timely response to suggestions and comments made by parents in meetings.
- Maintain a safe and positive school climate.
- Hold an annual parent-teacher conference to discuss the student's progress during first quarter.
- Provide and explain this compact to parents as it relates to the individual child's achievement.
- Provide parents with student's achievement levels, quarterly reports, and schedule further conferencing if needed.
- Provide suggestions from Title I teacher and classroom teachers.
- Be accessible to parents through phone calls, emails, letters, or face-to-face meetings.
- Acknowledge that parents are vital to the success of this school and its students.
- Ensure the implementation of a parent involvement policy that facilitates meaningful parent involvement.
- Ensure that all information related to school and parent programs, meetings, and other activities be sent to the parents of all children in a format and language that is understood by all parties.

Principal Signature (on behalf of staff): _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Commitment:

I realize the importance of working cooperatively with the school. I will support my child's learning in the following ways:

- Send my student to school regularly and on time each day.
- Make sure my child gets enough sleep each night.
- Encourage my student to study, read and/or complete homework assignments.
- Make an effort to ensure my student reads on a regular basis (20 minutes/day).
- Attend parent-teacher conferences, Title I parent nights and other school functions as possible.
- Stay informed about my student's education by reading all communications from the school and responding appropriately.
- Encourage my student to demonstrate respect for themselves, school personnel, their classmates and school property.

Parent/Guardian Signature (digitally signed during online enrollment): _____

Student Commitment:

I realize the importance of doing my part in school and I want to have the best possible education. I, therefore, join with my school and my parents and will:

- Come to school on time each day ready to learn.
- Complete school assignments and ask for help when I need it.
- Read on a regular basis.
- Give all notes and information from my school to my parent/guardian.
- Show respect for myself, school personnel, my classmates and school property.

Student Signature (digitally signed during online enrollment): _____