



**Brier Creek Elementary School Home-School Compact 2024-25**

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**Mission:** Wake County Public School System will provide a relevant and engaging education and will aim to graduate students who are collaborative, creative, effective communicators and critical thinkers.

**Vision:** Brier Creek students, supported by their community, are excited, empowered, and engaged in their learning, relationships, and futures.

**Value Statements:** At Brier Creek Elementary, in order to foster a safe and nurturing learning environment that honors the gifts, talents, and uniqueness of every child, so that all students grow socially, emotionally, and academically. Students can achieve their highest potential. In order to create this culture, we identify with the following core values:

- Using high-quality and innovative instructional practices tailored to 21st century learners;
- Rigorous instruction that promotes growth and achievement for the whole student;
- Explicitly teaching social and emotional skills, the support in transferring these skills beyond the classroom, and the use of restorative practices when resolving conflicts and addressing transgressions;
- A commitment to equity to ensure an end to opportunity gaps and achievement gaps for all students;
- A diverse population that fosters on-going and purposeful relationship-building between students, staff, parents, and the community; and
- Empowerment of students, staff, and parents as learners, leaders, and advocates.

*This Home-School Compact is the reflection of our shared responsibility as a school community for high student achievement.*

Staff will...	Families will...	Students will...
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Provide motivating educational experiences.</li> <li>● Help families and students understand instructional goals and expectations.</li> <li>● Collaborate with instructional support staff about student progress and problem-solve regularly.</li> <li>● Communicate on a consistent basis with families.</li> <li>● Provide educational opportunities for families.</li> <li>● Provide a safe, welcoming environment that encourages a partnership with the school.</li> <li>● Model Brier Creek SOAR expectations.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Schedule time to complete school related assignments and homework.</li> <li>● Talk with their child daily about school experiences.</li> <li>● Support their child to help him or her develop as a learner.</li> <li>● Help their child understand and follow Brier Creek expectations.</li> <li>● Help their child be responsible for their learning, including materials, projects, and homework.</li> <li>● Attend 1 parent teacher conference and other school related activities like Literacy, Math, and Science Night.</li> <li>● Maintain open communication with the classroom teacher and administration as needed</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Come to school every day ready to learn.</li> <li>● Read to or with families daily.</li> <li>● Talk to their family about what they are learning at school.</li> <li>● Complete all assignments.</li> <li>● Follow SOAR expectations.</li> <li>● Be responsible for all materials.</li> <li>● Be responsible for their actions.</li> <li>● Ask for help when needed.</li> <li>● Accomplish Dreambox and MYON goals.</li> <li>● Collaborate with their peers and engage in learning in the classroom.</li> <li>● Put forth their best effort on all assignments, projects, and tests.</li> </ul>

## Brier Creek Elementary Title I Family Engagement Policy 2024-25

**Policy Engagement:** The voices of our families are important and we want their feedback. In order to hear from families regarding our Title I Family Engagement Policy we will:

- Provide an annual meeting to inform families about being part of a Title 1 funded school.
- Invite families to participate in school improvement efforts in order to work toward shared goals for our school community
- Provide all families with the Family Engagement Policy/School Compact and request feedback using an attached form.
- Seek ongoing feedback from all families and use the information gathered to inform next steps for family engagement.

**Shared Responsibilities for High Student Achievement:** The shared responsibility expectations are reflected in our Home-School Compact.

- All staff will establish regular and timely structures for communication with families.
  - Twitter (@BrierCreekES), Principal's Weekly Message, Talking Points and the school website (<https://www.wcpss.net/briercreekes>) will be used to inform families about school activities and student learning.
  - Teachers will send communication folders home every Friday, as well as a monthly newsletter and use email/TalkingPoints app.
- The principal will collaborate with the PTA to create weekly parent email/text messages.

**Building Capacity for Engagement:** Supporting both our families and staff in growing their capabilities for engagement is crucial to our success.

- Students will share and communicate their learning across all content areas through school-wide learning exhibitions determined by the grade level
- Each year the school will host an annual literacy, math, and science family engagement night.
- We will continue to partner with the following local community organizations and agencies to provide targeted outreach and support to students:
  - Providence Church
  - All Saints United Methodist Church
  - Interfaith Food Shuttle- Backpack Buddies & Food Pantry
  - Note In Pocket
  - The Green Chair Project
  - Wake Up & Read
  - Assistance League Triangle Area
- We will take time to meet with all new families and provide them with a tour of the school either in person every Tuesday from 9:45-10:15 or during a requested appointment.

### **Accessibility:**

Translations and interpreters from WCPSS and community volunteers will be utilized in order to meet the needs of families of our ESL students.