

Blue Ridge Elementary

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Under Title One of the 1994 reauthorization of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA), participating schools with 50% or more students participating in the free or reduced lunch program can become school-wide Title One programs. As a result, all students will become Title One students and all teachers will become Title One teachers.

Blue Ridge Elementary is a Title One School.

Based upon school needs assessment, the Title One program at Blue Ridge will provide services to students in the area of reading. In total, Title One funds pay for 5 teaching positions, along with, staff development and parent involvement activities. Literacy Specialists will provide supplemental reading instruction to students in grades K-6.

Blue Ridge Elementary School Title One Parent/School Compact

We know that learning can take place only when there is a combination of effort, interest, and motivation. As we are all committed to _____'s progress in school, we are going to do our best to promote his/her achievements.

This agreement is a promise to work together. We believe that this agreement can be fulfilled by our team effort. Together we can improve teaching and learning.

As a student I pledge to:

- Work as hard as I can on school assignments.
- Discuss with my parents what I am learning in school.
- Follow school and classroom rules.
- Ask my teacher questions when I don't understand something.
- Read my library book/s weekly.
- Limit my TV watching and read books instead.
- Honor the Seven Habits of Happy Kids.
- Model responsible use of technology at school and home at all times.

Student Signature

As a parent I pledge to:

- Provide a quiet study time at home and encourage good study habits.
- Talk with my child about his/her school activities every day.
- Reinforce the school and classroom rules.
- Find out how my child is progressing by attending conferences, looking at school work, or calling the school.
- Encourage my child to read by reading to him/her, listening to him/her read, and by reading myself.
- Limit my child's TV viewing and help select worthwhile programs.
- Review the Seven Habits of Happy Kids (see attachment).
- Monitor my child's responsible use of technology at home at all times.

Parent Signature

As a teacher I pledge to:

- Provide motivating and interesting learning experiences in my classroom.
- Explain my expectations and instructional goals to students and parents.
- Explain the school and classroom rules to the student and his/her parents.
- Communicate and cooperate with each parent to ensure the best education possible.
- Find out what techniques and materials work best for the students.
- Instill and model the Seven Habits of Highly Effective People.

Teacher Signature

As administrators we pledge to:

- Create a welcoming environment for students and parents.
- Communicate to students and parents the school's mission and goals.
- Ensure a safe and orderly learning environment.
- Reinforce the partnership between parent, student, and staff.
- Act as the instructional leaders by supporting teachers in their classrooms.
- Provide the appropriate materials, in-service and training for teachers and parents.
- Instill and model the Seven Habits of Highly Effective People.

Principal Signature

Assistant Principal Signature

MOST IMPORTANTLY, WE PROMISE TO HELP EACH OTHER CARRY OUT THIS AGREEMENT.

SIGNED ON THIS THE _____ DAY OF _____, 2017