

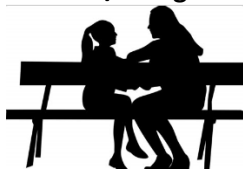







Hernwood Elementary School
Home School Compact 2023-2024

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<p style="text-align: center;">High Quality Curriculum and Instruction</p> <p style="text-align: center;">ESSA, Section 1116(d)(1)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review the components of Effective First Instruction to plan and prepare daily lessons • Use the BCPS curriculum to plan high quality instruction that will improve students’ academic performance • Give students timely, specific, and ongoing feedback 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Talk to my child about what is happening at school and the importance of working hard in school • Make sure my child goes to school every day on time • Make sure my child does homework and schoolwork regularly 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Do my best and work hard • Come to school on time and prepared to learn • Be an active learner in class, asking questions when I don’t understand or for clarity • Complete all my assignments • Follow the expectations of the school
<p style="text-align: center;">Parent-Teacher Conferences</p> <p style="text-align: center;">ESSA, Section 1116(d)(2)(C)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hold at least one parent/teacher conference annually, where Home School Compact and student achievement is discussed • Provide multiple opportunities for parents to be involved including family engagement events, student achievement meetings, and volunteering 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attend parent/teacher conferences to be aware of my child’s progress and to communicate with the teacher 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Know what is expected of me in all subjects • Talk to my family about topics/skills I am learning in school • Copy assignments into my planner and show my family





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<p style="text-align: center;">Communication /Frequent Reports</p> <p style="text-align: center;">ESSA, Section 1116(d)(2)(B)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Communicate with families about high academic standards, student progress, attendance, and the school's overall performance 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> As much as possible I will attend school events, workshops, and conferences to learn how to best support my child's learning Check my child's folder each day to review academic progress 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bring home my folder each day and show my family Check my grades with my family Ask my teacher for help when I have problems with my schoolwork or homework
<p style="text-align: center;">Accessibility</p> <p style="text-align: center;">ESSA, Section 1116(d)(2)(C)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Communicate with families in a language they understand when possible Offer meetings at various times and on various platforms Utilize a variety of outreach methods 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Attend PTA meetings, parent trainings, and other activities Ensure that the school has updated contact information to be able to reach me Choose a preferred method of communication 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Be Patient Have respect for students and adults Have integrity Show determination Display excellence in all that I do
<p style="text-align: center;">Communication</p> <p style="text-align: center;">ESSA, Section 1116(d)(2)(D)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Maintain meaningful two-way communication that is ongoing with families through emails, notes, phone calls, Weekly Folder, and School Messenger (email/phone) Be available to meet with families upon request and as schedules permit 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Communicate frequently with my child's teacher through notes, phone calls, and conferences Access the school website and Schoology 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Be responsible to share papers with caregivers regarding conferences, family workshops, and my academic progress Appropriately voice my concerns and opinions about our classroom environment

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