

# Eight Mile School District #6 School-Parent Compact

*Each school receiving funds under Title I of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA) must develop a written school-parent compact jointly with parents for all children participating in Title I activities, services, and programs. That compact is part of the school's written parental involvement policy developed by the school and parents. The compact must outline how parents, the school staff, and students will share the responsibility for improved student academic achievement and the means by which the school and parents will build and develop a partnership to help children achieve the State's high standards.*

## **SCHOOL-PARENT COMPACT**

The **Eight Mile School District** and the parents of the students participating in activities, services, and programs funded by Title I agree that this compact outlines how they will share the responsibility for improved student academic achievement and the means by which the school and parents will build and develop a partnership that will help children achieve the State's high standards.

This school-parent compact is in effect during the **2018-19** school year.

## **REQUIRED SCHOOL-PARENT COMPACT PROVISIONS**

### **School Responsibilities**

The **Trenton Elementary School and Trenton High School** will:

- 1. Provide high-quality curriculum and instruction in a supportive and effective learning environment that enables the participating children to meet the State's student academic achievement standards as follows:**

*It is the mission of the Eight Mile School District to provide high quality educational opportunities for all students. This mission will be met through the efforts of the school staff and families working cooperatively to meet the needs of each child. The Eight Mile School District will provide highly qualified staff to implement quality instruction and curriculum.*

- 2. Hold parent-teacher conferences (at least annually in elementary schools) during which this compact will be discussed as it relates to the individual child's achievement. Specifically, these conferences will be held:**

*Parent teacher conferences will be held twice a year for all K-12 grades. One conference will be held in the fall and one in the spring. Conference dates will be published in the school calendar each year.*

- 3. Provide parents with frequent reports on their children's progress. Specifically, the school will provide reports as follows:**

*Report cards will be issued quarterly.*

- 4. Provide parents reasonable access to staff. Specifically, staff will be available for consultation with parents as follows:**

*Staff will be available to parents by phone, email, appointment, and conferences.*

- 5. Provide parents opportunities to volunteer and participate in their child's class, and to observe classroom activities, as follows:**

*Parents wishing to volunteer or observe at school are asked to arrange such visits in advance.*

### **Parent Responsibilities**

**We, as parents, will support our children's learning in the following ways:**

- *Monitoring attendance.*
- *Making sure that homework is completed.*
- *Monitoring amount of screen time (television, computer, video games, cell phones).*
- *Providing a home environment that encourages my child to learn.*
- *Volunteering in my child's classroom.*
- *Participating, as appropriate, in decisions relating to my children's education.*
- *Staying informed about my child's education and communicating with the school.*
- *Serving on policy advisory groups, such as being on the Title I School Improvement Team or other school advisory or policy groups.*