

PARENT COPY TO KEEP

Norphlet Middle School

School-Parent Compact

The Norphlet Middle School, and the parents of the students participating in activities, services, and programs funded by Title I, Part A of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA) agree that this compact outlines how the parents, the entire school, staff, and the 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 that will help children achieve the State's high standards.

This school-parent compact is in effect during school year 2016-2017

School Responsibilities

The Norphlet Middle 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:
 - By using curriculum that is aligned with the Arkansas Department of Education Curriculum Frameworks
 - By providing teachers with continuous professional development that provides them with appropriate instructional strategies and content necessary to meet the individual needs of their students.
2. Hold parent-teacher conferences twice during the school year during which this compact will be discussed as it relates to the individual child's achievement. The conferences will be held once each semester September 2016 and February 2017.
3. Provide parents with frequent reports on their children's progress. Specifically, the school will provide reports as follows:
 - Through parent-teacher conferences
 - Through the HAC (Home Access Center) computer system which allows parents the opportunity to check their child's grades online
 - Through various teacher classroom communications such as weekly notes home, e-mail, phone calls, and newsletters