

STUDENTS

As students, we will share the responsibility to improve our academic achievement and achieve the State’s high standards. Specifically, we will: Please initial each one:

- Wear the student I.D. issued to me at the beginning of the school year at all times during the school day
- Attend school daily, on time, and be prepared to participate in class
- Do my homework every day and ask for help when I need it
- Attend tutoring, as needed
- Ensure my laptop is charged and ready for use in class, every day
- Share with my parents, or the adult who is responsible for my welfare, all notices and information I've received from my school, everyday
- Follow PBIS Principles throughout the school
- Take the SAT/PSAT as offered by the school

Student Signature: _____

STUDENTS, TEACHERS, PARENTS – WORKING TOGETHER FOR SUCCESS!

El Paso High School, parents and families of students participating in activities, services, and programs funded by Title I, Part A of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA), agree this compact outlines how the parents, families, school staff, and students will share the responsibility for improved student academic achievement and the means by which the school parents and families will build and develop a partnership to help children achieve the State’s high standards.

El Paso High School will involve parents in an organized, ongoing, and timely way in the planning, review, and improvement of the School-Parent Compact (at least annually).



IN THE CLASSROOM

As teachers, we commit to: Please initial each one -

- Show I care about all students
- Communicate and work with parents/families to support learning
- Respect the cultural differences of students and their families
- Monitor, adapt, and provide feedback about instruction
- Provide a supportive and effective learning environment that enables children to meet the State's academic achievement standards
- Support college readiness in all classrooms on a daily basis
- Implement an environment with active learning and technology in the 21st century
- Utilize Web Page or Learning Management System (LMS) for communication between student and teacher(s)
- Implement and follow Positive Behavior for Intervention & Support (PBIS Principles) in my classroom, and throughout the school

***Teacher Signature:** _____

AT HOME

As parents/families, we will be responsible for supporting our child's learning by: Please initial each one -

- Regularly monitoring my child's attendance
- Making sure all work is completed using Parent Portal
- Monitoring my student's grades using Parent Portal
- Volunteering in my child's school when I am able to
- Participating, as appropriate, in decision-making as related to my child's education.
- Promoting positive use of my child's extracurricular time
- Staying informed about my child's education by promptly reading all notices sent to me from the school, or from the district that I receive by my child, via phone, email, text or mail and by responding appropriately.
- Serving, to the extent possible on policy advisory groups, such as being the Title I, Part A parent representative on the school's School Improvement Team, the Title I Policy Advisory Committee, the District wide Policy Advisory Council, the State's Committee of Practitioners, the School Support Team or other school advisory or policy groups.

Parent Signature: _____

EL PASO INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT DISTRICT AND EL PASO HIGH SCHOOL GOALS:

GOAL 1: El Paso High School will ensure our community has a successful, culturally responsive school in every neighborhood that successfully engages and prepares all students for graduation and post-secondary success.

GOAL 2: El Paso High School will ensure our students, employees, and community are provided a safe, secure, environmentally conscious, and vibrant learning environment.

GOAL 3: El Paso High School will demonstrate fiscal and ethical responsibility as well as a deep commitment to service orientation in all district operations.

GOAL 4: El Paso High School will recruit, employ, develop and retain a highly effective and qualified staff that successfully engages all students for success.

GOAL 5: El Paso High School will maintain positive and productive partnerships with parents and our community to facilitate the success of all students.



WHAT IS A SCHOOL-PARENT COMPACT?

A School-Parent Compact is a written agreement, jointly developed with parents/families, school staff, and students to outline the shared responsibility of all included, for improved student academic achievement. The Compact addresses the importance of communication between teachers and parents/families on an ongoing basis, ensuring regular two-way, meaningful communication between home and school, and in a language the family members can understand. This becomes the Compact that is signed as an agreement by those involved in the child's education: Student & Parent or Guardian or between Student & *Homeroom Teacher.

HOW WE WILL COMMUNICATE?

Hold parent-teacher conferences during which this Compact will be discussed as it relates to the individual child's achievement.

- o Title 1 Parent Meeting to discuss school policies.
- o Monthly Campus Improvement Team meetings (CIT) . Parent Teacher Conferences to be held mid-semester, in both the Fall and Spring Semesters.

- September 15, 2021 from 1pm - 6pm
- February 9, 2022 from 1pm – 6pm

The first month of every new school year we hold informative parent and family nights that focus on helping our students be successful in High School. We also invite all parents and families to our monthly Coffee with the Principal to keep them informed and address any concerns that may arise.

Other important dates are:

9th-12th Grades: College Night/TACRAO - **date tbd***

9th - 11th Grades: PSAT - October, 2023

11th and 12th Grades: FAFSA Night - Application process and assistance - **date tbd***

12th Grades: SAT - **date tbd***

End of Course (EOC)) exam dates by subject:

- o **English 1 – date tbd***
- o **English 2 – date tbd***
- o **Algebra 1 – date tbd***
- o **US History – date tbd***
- o **Biology– date tbd***



*Dates to be determined, based on EPHS & District calendar

PRINCIPAL, DR. SANDRA ROCHA'S ACTIVITIES TO BUILD PARTNERSHIPS

El Paso 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:** By providing rigorous Active Learning Environments, Dual Language Education, Co-learning Classes, College Readiness components in all classrooms and grade levels, and Enriched Digital Learning Opportunities for students, parent, and families.
- 2. Hold parent-teacher conferences (biannually in Secondary schools) during which this compact will be discussed as it relates to how parents/families, school staff, and students share responsibility for improved student academic achievement.** Conferences will be held on September 13th and on February 7th between 1pm to 6pm.
- 3. Provide parents and families with frequent reports on their children's progress.** Specifically, the school will provide reports as follows: Grading reports are available on September 23rd and October 10th at Parent Teacher Conferences. Report cards will also be available for pickup from the school. Parents and families also have accurate information available on a daily basis through Parent Portal.
- 4. Provide parents and families reasonable access to staff.** Specifically, staff will be available for consultation with parents and families as follows: Individual/team parent teacher conferences may be requested by going on-line and emailing the teacher directly using parent portal. If there has not been a response within three days, Parents and families are welcome to contact the Parent Involvement Liaison.
- 5. Provide parents and families opportunities to volunteer and participate in their child's class, and to observe classroom activities, as follows:** VIPS program, and if interested, classroom observation may be an option by contacting the teacher and receiving approval through the school principal.

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2023-2024

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Our Mission Statement:

Honoring Our Past
Inspiring Our Future

Vision:

El Paso High School believes student learning is the chief priority of this school. Student's learning needs should be the focus of all decisions impacting the school. All students can learn. Students need to demonstrate their understanding of essential knowledge and skills, and be actively involved in solving problems and producing quality work.

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