



Ranchos Elementary School 2021-2022 Student/Parent/Teacher/Principal Compact for Achievement School-Wide Focus

District Goals

The Taos Municipal Schools set goals for the entire district. The district goals for 2021-2022 are:

- Reading all students will show an 10% increase in reading proficiency as measured on the New Mexico Measures of Student Success and Achievement (NMMSSA).
- Math all students will show an 15 % increase in mathematics as measured on the New Mexico Measures of Student Success and Achievement (NMMSSA).

Ranchos Elementary School Goals

Throughout the year, Ranchos Elementary Educators will continuously implement the New Mexico Common Core Standards, analyze student assessment data, and plan instruction accordingly to increase student achievement.

English Language Arts: To increase reading proficiency by 10% over three years, our school will concentrate on the following areas:

- Reading Standards for Literature (RL)
- Reading Standards for Informational Text (RI)
- Reading Standards- Foundational Skills (RF)
- Writing Standards (W)
- Speaking and Listening Standards (SL)
- Language Standards (L

Math: To increase math proficiency by 15% over three years our school will concentrate on the following areas:

- Operations & Algebraic Thinking (OA)
- Numbers & Operations in Base Ten (NBT)
- Numbers & Operations Fractions (NF)
- Measurement & Data (MD)
- Geometry (G)

In the Classroom (Face to Face and Remote)

Each grade level team will work with students and their families to support students' success in ELA and Math. Some of our key connections with families will be:

- Through Canvas, provide synchronous and asynchronous instruction in key content areas.
- Homework for reinforcing skills and concepts learned in the classroom.
- Enhance parent and community involvement through different communication tools and activities.

As a teacher, I will: ((Face to Face and Virtual teaching)

- Develop/implement lessons that promote student achievement and lifelong learning.
- Set high expectations for all students and provide the support needed for success.
- Provide a safe and nurturing learning environment.
- Implement differentiated instruction strategies.
- Use frequent formative assessment to determine and address student needs.
- Give feedback on completed assignments.
- Work collaboratively with interventionists/support staff to ensure student progress and success.

At Home (Face to Face and Remote)

As a parent/guardian I will:

- Help my student to understand the importance of education and lead by example.
- Ensure that my child attends school daily and on time.
- Provide a safe quiet place for my student to do his/her schoolwork.
- Ensure my child follows school rules, procedures and classroom norms.
- Ensure that my child gets adequate sleep, regular medical attention and proper nutrition.
- Check daily my student's Canvas account for important information and announcements.
- Check for homework and make it a priority.
- Communicate with my child about how he/she is doing in school.
- Read and encourage my child to read daily.
- Maintain on-going communication with teachers and school.
- Seek for additional resources to support my student success.

Students (Face to Face and Remote)

As a student I will:

- Strive to do their best in Reading and Math. Ideas for students to make connections between learning at home and school:
- Come to school prepared and ready to learn and work hard.
- Attend school daily, and on time.
- Being an active participant and taking responsibility for my own learning.
- Follow the Code of Student Conduct
- I will ask questions when something is unclear.
- Being a positive role model.
- Being open minded and have a positive growth mindset.
- Respect myself, classmates, teachers and property.
- Make every effort to complete homework and read daily.

What is a Family-School Compact?

A Family-School Compact for Achievement is an <u>agreement</u> that parents, students, and teachers develop together. It explains how parents and teachers will work together to make sure all students get the individual support they need to reach and exceed grade level standards. Effective Compacts:

- **Begin** with standards,
- **Focus** on student learning,
- **Respond** to school data,
- **Define** everyone's responsibilities and
- **Depend** on us to believe in it and use it!

Activities to Build Partnerships We will have several exciting learning adventures this year:

- Virtual Grade Level Meetings with Families
- Family Celebrations and Drive Thru
- Virtual Title I Back to School Meeting
- Monthly Parent Engagement Letter posted on Canvas
- Math and Reading Nights
- Virtual Parent Training Events
- Student Contests
- Bilingual Celebration

More Information will be sent home.

Jointly Developed

- The parents and staff of Ranchos Elementary School developed this Family-School Compact for Achievement.
- Parents created the suggestions for home activities to support learning.
- School-wide meetings are held each year to update the Compact.

Parents are welcome to contribute comments at any time.

For more information on the Ranchos Elementary School's compact, please contact your child's teacher at 737-6150.

And Communication about Student Learning

Ranchos Elementary School is committed to communicating regularly with families about children's learning and school events. Some of the ways you can expect us to communicate are:

- Online Canvas Platform
- School Messenger Phone System
- Monthly School Calendar/Newsletter
- School Website/E-mail/RES Facebook page
- Let's Talk
- Text messages
- Ready 4 Kids
- Parent/Teacher Conferences
- PowerSchool

Do you have questions about your child's progress?

Parents can contact their child's teacher through their Canvas Account or by calling the school.

Teacher's Signature

Principal's Signature