



**2020-2021 Parent/Teacher/Principal
Compact for Achievement
School-Wide Focus
ARROYOS DEL NORTE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

**Our Goals for Student
Achievement**

District Goals

The Taos Municipal Schools sets goals for the entire district. The district goals for 2020-21 are:

Reading - all students will show an 8% increase in reading proficiency as measured on the New Mexico Measures of Student Success and Achievement (NM-MSSA).

Math - all students will show an 8% increase in mathematics as measured on the New Mexico Measures of Student Success and Achievement (NM-MSSA).

Arroyos del Norte Elementary School Goals

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

Reading - To increase reading proficiency by 8% 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 (SL)

Math - To increase math proficiency by 8% 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)

**Teachers, Parents, Students -
Together for Success**

In the Classroom (Remote and Hybrid)

Each grade level will work remotely with students' and their families to support students' success in reading and math. Some of our key connections with families will be:

- Through Canvas, send leveled books for practice in Reading
- Homework for reinforcing skills and concepts learned in the classroom
- Encourage parent involvement

As A Teacher I Will: (Remote and Hybrid)

- Teach engaging 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 and formative assessment to determine and address student needs.

At Home (Remote and Hybrid)

As A parent I will:

- Ensure that my child attends school daily and on time
- Ensure that my child follows school rules and procedures
- Ensure that my child gets adequate sleep, regular medical attention, and proper nutrition
- Make homework a priority
- Read and encourage my child to read daily
- Check for home work
- Check on my child's progress regularly
- Communicate with my child about how he/she is doing in school.
- Instill the importance of education in my child's life

Students (Remote and Hybrid)

Our students will succeed in school and reach for the stars in Reading and Math. Ideas for students to make connections between learning at home and school:

- Follow school rules and procedures, including the dress code policy
- Come to school daily, ready to learn and work hard.
- Take responsibility for my learning, ask questions when something is unclear or challenging.
- Respect myself, classmates, teachers, and property
- Make every effort to complete homework and read daily
- Create a safe environment for myself and others by not bullying or allowing others to bully

What is a Family-School Compact?

A Family-School Compact for Achievement is an agreement 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:

Remote and Hybrid

- ✓ Virtual Grade level meetings with families
- ✓ Title I Open House
- ✓ Fall Festival
- ✓ Training events for the families
- ✓ Bilingual Performances
- ✓ Astronomy Night
- ✓ Parent Teacher Association Nights

More information will be sent home.

Jointly Developed

The parents and staff of Arroyos del Norte Elementary School developed this Family-School Compact for student achievement. School wide meetings are held annually to update compacts.

Parents are welcome and encouraged to contribute comments at any time.

For more information on the Arroyos del Norte Parent/Teacher Compact, please contact your child's teacher at 575- 737-6175

Communication about Student Learning

Arroyos del Norte 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:

- ✓ Canvas platform (Remote learning)
- ✓ School Messenger Phone System
- ✓ Parent-Teacher conferences
- ✓ School website/E-mail
- ✓ PowerSchool
- ✓ Parent letters from teachers (Weekly/Monthly)

Do you have questions about your child's progress?

Parents can contact their child's teacher by phone at 575- 737-6175.

Teacher's Signature



Principal's Signature