

First Grade Focus for Student Success School-Parent Compact

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Our Mission

Murray County Schools instills within our students the desire to learn, to graduate from high school, and to become productive citizens.



Our Goals for Student Achievement

DISTRICT GOALS

Goals were set for the entire district. The district goals for 2016-2017 are:

Literacy integration in all core content/reading and writing strategies

Student engagement strategies/technology integration

Rigor: thinking maps, common assessments

Constructive and extended responses across multiple texts.

Math strategies/STEM implementation

CES GOALS

CES Leadership team and staff have analyzed student performance data to determine the most critical area(s) for improvement. CES staff

will focus on academic improvement of our English Learner (EL) students and students with disabilities (SWD).

CES staff will also implement district goals in our Title 1 Plan in kindergarten through sixth grade.

First Grade Partnerships

IN THE CLASSROOM

The first grade team will work with students and families to support students' success in reading and math. Some of our key connections with families will be:

Newsletters - Students will receive a weekly homework newsletter identifying the standards that are being taught for the week and upcoming events at school.

Parent/Teacher Conferences – Parents can expect at least two face-to-face conferences to discuss student's progress.

Educational Family

Nights - First grade is also involved in numerous educational family nights throughout the school year.

CES STUDENTS

CES Student Council discussed ideas about how students can succeed in school and reach for the stars in reading and math. Students agreed on the following ideas to make connections between learning at home and school:

Share work with my family.

Read a book to or with my family.

Make a game using vocabulary words or math facts with my family.

AT HOME

CES parents contributed ideas about how families can support students' success. Families may have other ideas to add to this list:

Communicate with the teacher on a regular basis.

Share a book with your child.

Review notes and handouts on a daily basis.