**Fort Caroline Middle School**

**School-Parent Compact**

**2016-2017**

**Fort Caroline Middle School will:**

* Provide high-quality curriculum and instruction in a supporting and effective learning environment that enables the participating children to meet New Florida Standards in the following ways:
* Using high-quality research based instructional materials;
* Providing focused instruction;
* Implementing the strategies outlined in the School Improvement Plan.
* Integrating International Baccalaureate and AVID strategies throughout all classroom instruction, including electives
* Developing well-rounded students by expanding them socially and emotionally through the visual and performing arts programs
* Using data to provide targeted instruction to improve the academic achievement of all students
* Create an effective communication system to keep parents informed regarding their child’s progress by:
  + Providing a safe and friendly collaborative environment where parents feel welcome
  + Hold frequent parent-teacher conferences to communicate the academic achievement of all students
  + Providing parents with reports on their children’s progress during the midpoint of each quarter;
  + Communicate with parents through the email system (OneView), individual teacher’s websites and school website
  + Providing family nights that provide strategies parents can use to help their children at home
  + Update school website bi-weekly or as frequent as needed

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| **School agrees to:** | **Parents agree to:** | **Students agree to:** |
| Based on Student Performance Data: |  |  |
| * Provide a safe, secure environment on a closed campus with adequate security. * Employ a staff that is well trained and/or certified in maintaining a safe, educational environment. * Provide a challenging curriculum that is aligned to the Florida Academic Standards. * Promote student achievement and success addressing all learning styles and accommodations. * Provide resources and materials to assist parents in helping their child at home * Take the needs and concerns of parents and students into consideration when making decisions * Provide every opportunity for students to achieve academic success. | * Support the teacher in his/her efforts to provide the best education for my child * Support students in their learning and completion of all classes, all assignments and all class activities. * Assist their students in seeking and receiving any additional help. * Listen to and read with my child regularly * Participate in school events * Monitor my child’s academic progress * Ensure that my child attends school each day, on time and ready to work * Provide every opportunity for their student to achieve academic success. | * Come to school prepared and ready to work each day * Read to my parents or myself regularly * Do my best to remain actively engaged during class * Come to school prepared and ready to work each day * Complete my assignments to the best of my ability * Come to school with a positive attitude * Be responsible for my own words and actions * Adhere to all policies as outlined in the Duval County Schools Student Code of Conduct Handbook. |
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| Date: | Date: | Date: |