**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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