

### Mission Statement

*In partnership with the community, the Wharton School District is committed to educational excellence and guarantees challenging learning opportunities for all students to become lifelong learners and productive and responsible members of society.*

### School-Parent-Student Compact

The Wharton Borough School-Parent-Student-Compact is a plan that outlines how parents, the entire school staff, and students will share the responsibility for improved student academic achievement and the means by which the school and parents will build and develop a partnership to help students achieve state standards.

#### **The Wharton Borough School District will:**

- Provide high-quality curriculum and instruction in a supportive and effective learning environment that enables students to meet the State's student academic achievement standards.
- To the extent practicable, provide full opportunities for the participation of parents with limited English proficiency, parents with disabilities, and parents of migratory children.
- Provide information and school reports in a format and, to the extent practicable, in a language parents understand.
- Jointly develop and agree on a parent involvement policy with the parents of participating students. This compact will be distributed to parents of participating students.
- Provide coordination, technical assistance, and other support necessary to assist participating schools in planning and implementing parental involvement activities to improve student academic achievement and school performance.

#### **Parents/Guardians of Participating Students will:**

- Assure their child's prompt and regular school attendance and compliance with school rules and procedures.
- Talk with their child daily about school activities and show an active interest in their assignments.
- Provide a regular time and place for homework assignments.
- Communicate any needs and concerns to appropriate school representatives.
- Respond to school communications promptly, attend parent conferences and programs, and encourage their child's social and intellectual development.

#### **Participating Students will:**

- Put forth their best effort at all times when in school.
- Follow school rules and procedures.
- Complete and return homework and other assignments in a timely manner.