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GRANITE FALLS MIDDLE SCHOOL
STUDENT- PARENT- SCHOOL COMPACT
2024-2025



The Board of Education and the faculty at Granite Falls Middle School strongly believe that learning takes place when there is shared effort, interest, and motivation by students, parents, staff, and community. Parents play a vital role in their children's success at school, and it is critical that parents work with teachers to ensure that their children meet higher academic standards. We encourage all students, parents, teachers, and principals to sign this Shared Accountability Pledge.

As a student at Granite Falls Middle School, I pledge to...

- Respect myself and others, and the property of GFMS
- Attend school regularly and on time
- Follow the school rules
- Come to school dressed appropriately, with necessary materials, and prepared to work
- Ask my teacher questions when I don't understand
- Complete and return my assignments on time
- Make my academic success of the utmost importance

Signed _____

Date _____

As the parent/ guardian of _____, I pledge to...

- Provide ample, quiet study time at home and encourage good study habits
- Make sure my son/ daughter is well-rested and at school on time
- Support the school staff in their efforts to promote appropriate behavior and academic achievement
- Follow and reinforce the school rules
- Encourage my son/daughter to read/do homework prescribed by his/her teacher(s)
- Communicate regularly with son's/daughter's teacher(s)
- Attend parent/teacher conferences as requested, and participate in and support school activities and classroom initiatives.

Signed _____

Date _____

As a classroom teacher in the Caldwell County Schools, I believe every child can learn and I pledge to...

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- Explain my expectations, instructional goals, and grading system to the student and parent
- Teach the North Carolina Standard Course of Study
- Provide classroom climate that is conducive to learning for every child
- Communicate with parents regularly concerning student behaviors to help establish a productive positive relationship
- Employ a variety of teaching methods which work best for individual students
- Provide enrichment and remediation opportunities for the students as needed
- Respect the cultural differences of my students
- Explain, promote, and enforce school/classroom rules
- Update and maintain accurate grades weekly in PowerSchool for parents to view online.
- Update and maintain weekly lesson plans on Canvas.com that will be accessible through teacher web pages.

Signed _____

Date _____

As the principal of Granite Falls Middle School, I am...

- Committed to providing a safe, caring and orderly environment that is conducive to learning
- Support and encourage the faculty in their efforts to teach all students
- Ensure that every student grows academically each year
- Committed to each child's success in school
- Promise to work together with faculty, parents and the community to promote his or her achievement

Signed _____

Date _____