



**Kings Creek School**

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**KINGS CREEK SCHOOL  
STUDENT-PARENT-SCHOOL COMPACT for 2023-2024**  
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Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade Level: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

The Caldwell County Board of Education, in conjunction with Kings Creek School staff firmly believes that learning takes place when there is shared effort, interest, and motivation by students, parents, and staff. Parents and families play a vital role in their children's success at school. It is critical that parents work with teachers to ensure that children meet higher academic standards and be lifelong learners. We encourage you to go over this compact with your child to answer any questions that they may have.

**As a student at Kings Creek School, I pledge to...**

- o Provide my best effort every day in all activities to enhance learning and be ready to learn
- o Follow classroom and school rules and procedures
- o Be respectful of myself, others, time, school property, and materials
- o Be responsible for my education by keeping track of my grades, turning work in on time, and meeting my deadlines
- o Be safe by keeping hands and feet to myself, following general safety rules, and following the teacher's instructions
- o Take responsibility for my own actions, success, grades, choices, and behaviors
- o Advocate for myself by asking teachers for help when I need it and discussing challenging school events with parents and teachers so that challenges can be addressed

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**As the parent/guardian, I pledge to ...**

- o Support my child when s/he is engaged in "productive struggle" and encourage them to be resilient, to persevere, and to complete the goals, tasks, and assignments – even when they meet a challenge
- o Make sure my student is well-rested, at school every day, and arrives at school on time
- o Provide ample, quiet study time at home and encourage good study habits
- o Show an interest in what my child is learning and encourage my child to read, practice math, complete homework, and finish all incomplete classwork in a timely manner
- o Support the school staff in their efforts to promote appropriate behavior and reinforce school expectations
- o Resolve concerns and ask questions to appropriate school personnel
- o Attend at least one Title I Parent Workshop (one held in the fall and one in the spring) and any scheduled parent conferences as well as considering membership in the Parent-Teacher Organization (PTO)
- o Communicate regularly with my child's teacher regarding general and academic information

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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

- o Explain my expectations, instructional goals, and grading system to the student and parent
- o Teach the North Carolina Standard Course of Study (NCSCOS) through rigorous and differentiated methods in order to reach the learning needs of each child, providing multiple opportunities for students to succeed
- o Provide a classroom climate that is safe, secure, supportive, and conducive to learning while respecting the cultural differences of students
- o Communicate with parents through various methods
- o Utilize a variety of teaching methods that work best for students and individualize instruction
- o Provide enrichment and remediation opportunities for students as deemed appropriate
- o Explain, promote, model, and enforce school/classroom rules and expectations
- o Be on time and prepared to teach to the best of my ability
- o Assign appropriate homework and classwork with clear instructions
- o Support children when engaged in "productive struggle" and encourage them to be resilient, to persevere, and to complete the goals, tasks, and assignments – even when they meet a challenge

Teacher Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**As the Principal of Kings Creek School, I am committed to providing a safe and orderly environment that is conducive to learning. I will support the teachers in their efforts to teach all students. I am committed to each child's success in school and promise to work together with parents to promote their achievement.**

Principal Signature: *Melissa Costin*

Date 8.28.23