

# Manheim Township High School Parent Compact



*The purpose of the parent-school compact is to communicate a common understanding of home and school responsibilities to assure that every student attains high standards and a quality education.*

## ***The parents' responsibility:***

- As an involved parent, I will support my son/daughter by ensuring that they attend school daily and arrive at school on time.
- I will encourage my son/daughter to follow the rules and regulations of the school.
- I will encourage my son/daughter to dress according to the district's dress code.
- I will encourage my son/daughter to participate in extracurricular activities
- I will seek information regarding my son's/daughter's progress by conferring with my child, his/her teachers, counselors, and principals, and regularly monitoring the Community Portal.
- I will participate in parent groups/activities to contribute to the decision-making process within the Manheim Township School District.
- I will communicate positive information regarding teachers, principals, and other campus personnel when discussing school with my son/daughter.

## ***The school's responsibility:***

- Manheim Township High School (MTHS) will solicit parent and community input (through meetings, interviews, questionnaires, surveys, etc.) regarding the education of the students it serves.
- MTHS will offer flexible scheduling of parent meetings, training sessions, assemblies, and school functions to maximize parent participation.
- MTHS will provide translations of written notifications and interpreters at parent conferences, parent meetings, and training sessions.
- MTHS will give homework assignments that are practice for what is learned in the classroom.
- Parents will be notified of school events in a timely, efficient manner by a variety of means including web postings, e-mail, phone calls, flyers and traditional mailings.
- MTHS will provide a centralized parent resource center.
- Training sessions/workshops on diverse topics will be offered to parents and community members.
- MTHS will convey initiatives to parents at open houses and parent conferences.
- MTHS will inform parents of the individual achievement levels of students, via the Community Portal, State Testing Report Cards, individual student Report Cards, and via personal communication.

*Board Policy 908: Relations with Parents/Guardians (February 20, 2003)*

*Board Policy 917: Parent/Family Involvement (February 20, 2003)*

*Board Policy 918: Title 1 Parent Involvement (January 15, 2004)*

*High School Title 1 Parent Involvement Policy (Draft Revision – April 18, 2010)*

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