

**David L. Rainer Elementary School
School-Parent Compact**

2020-2021

Revision Date: May 24, 2019

Dear Parent/Guardian,

David L Rainer Elementary School, students participating in the Title I, Part A program, and their families, agree that this compact outlines how the parents, the entire school staff, and the students will share the responsibility for improved student academic achievement as well as describes how the school and parents will build and develop a partnership that will help children achieve the State's high standards.

JOINTLY DEVELOPED

The parents, students, and staff of David L Rainer Elementary School partnered together to develop this school-parent compact for achievement. Teachers suggested home learning strategies, parents added input about the types of support they needed, and students told us what would help them learn. Parents are encouraged to attend annual revision meetings held in the fall each year to review the compact and make suggestions based on student needs and school improvement goals. Parents are also encouraged to participate in the annual Title I parent survey that is also used as a tool to collect parent feedback regarding the current Title I programs and plans.

To understand how working together can benefit your child, it is first important to understand the district's and school's goals for student academic achievement.

Camden County Schools Goals

To increase the percentage of students in grades 3-12 meeting proficient or higher on the GMAS ELA EOC/EOG from 58% to 63% (ES) 57% to 60% (MS) & 73% to 76% (HS)

To increase the percentage of students in grades 6 - 8 meeting proficient or higher on the GMAS Math EOG from 54% to 57%.

To increase the percentage of students in grades 6-12 meeting proficient or higher on the GMAS Social Studies EOG/EOC from 50% to 53% (MS)

To increase the percentage of students in grade 5 meeting proficient or higher on the GMAS Science EOG from 60% to 63% (ES).

David L. Rainer Elementary Goal:

To increase the percentage of students scoring at the proficient and distinguished performance levels in English Language Arts from 64% to 67% on the 2021 GMAS.

In English Language Arts, students at our school will focus on the following area:

Increasing student Lexile levels and building vocabulary

1st and 2nd grade Narrative Writing

To increase the percentage of students scoring at the proficient and distinguished performance levels in Math from 62% to 65% on the 2021 GMAS.

To help your child meet the district and school goals, the school, you, and your child will work together to:

SCHOOL/TEACHER RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Hold Collaborative Conferences throughout the year.
- Provide home sight word lists, vocabulary, websites and other materials to support reading at home.
- Provide a list of book titles on grade level Lexile ranges and sample comprehension questions quarterly.

PARENT RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Attend Collaborative Conferences
- Review vocabulary and sight words weekly.
- Ensure my child reads daily on their grade level Lexile ranges and ask comprehension questions.

STUDENT RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Share information about events and Collaborative Conferences with my parents/guardians.
- Know my Lexile level and goal.
- Read books in my Lexile range daily and answer comprehension questions provided by my school.
- Share with my family what I am doing in school.

COMMUNICATION ABOUT STUDENT LEARNING

David L Rainer is committed to frequent two-way communication with families about children's learning. Some of the ways you can expect us to reach you are:

- Class newsletters to parents
- PowerSchool Parent Portal
- Teacher websites or other web-based communication resource
- Parent-Teacher conferences
- Weekly folders
- Emails to parents on student's progress
- Text messaging
- Phone calls
- Class Dojo
- E-Blasts
- DLRES Face Book page

If you have questions regarding your child's education, please contact the child's appropriate teacher and if you would like further information, please contact the principal at dmilstead@camden.k12.ga.us.

ACTIVITIES TO BUILD PARTNERSHIPS:

David L Rainer offers ongoing events and programs to build partnerships with families:

- Parent-Teacher Conferences
- C-4 Parent Collaborative Conferences
- Parent Resource Center
- Open House

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Please sign and date below to acknowledge that you have read, received, and agree to this School-Parent Compact. Once signed, please return the form to your child’s teacher and keep the School-Parent Compact as a reminder of your commitment. The School-Parent Compact will be discussed with you throughout the year at different school-family events as we work together to help your child succeed in school. We look forward to our school-parent partnership!

The David L. Rainer Elementary School Parent and Family Engagement Plan can be found on our website at

<http://dlres.camden.k12.ga.us/>

School Representative Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please view the Parent Engagement Plan on our website for more information on how we partner with our families for student success!