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2015-2016 Polk County Public TITLE I Schools



Parent Involvement
"Building Relationships"

Ridge Community High School

School-Parent-Student Compact for Learning



District and School-based Title I Parent Involvement Programs in Polk County will strive to **BUILD RELATIONSHIPS** in order to create real family engagement for **every child, every family, every teacher, every day.**

This compact outlines how the parents, the entire school staff, and the students will share the responsibility for improved student academic achievement. By linking learning, the school and parents will build and develop a partnership that will help our students achieve the state's high standards for the school year.

We will Support learning in the following ways...	Staff Responsibilities	Parent Responsibilities	Student Responsibilities
High Academics	Utilize district-provided learning maps, provide high-quality, differentiated instruction that meets Florida's student academic achievement standards.	Set high expectations for your child and have your student at school daily. Support the instructional rigor and requirements of the curriculum and encourage them to take advantage of academic assistance/tutoring if needed.	Strive daily for academic success by attending all classes for the purpose of learning and taking responsibility for your own educational goals. Demonstrate proper behavior and a positive attitude.
Monitoring Student Progress	Provide timely reports to parents regarding their student's progress in coursework. Utilize assessment data in differentiating instruction for students.	Teach your child the importance of doing his/her best each day. Utilize the Parent Portal to regularly monitor your child's progress; contact your student's teachers/guidance counselor with concerns.	Monitor your own progress by using the Student Portal. Get organized and keep track of your assignments and deadlines. Do your best on all tests and assignments. Get proper nutrition and rest to be at your best each day!
Partnership Be Involved	Participate in school events as much as possible. Be available and prompt for pre-arranged parent conferences with the guidance department.	Stay informed and involved in your student's education. Serve on SAC/School Advisory Council Committee; serve on our Parent Involvement Committee. Contact RCHS for more information. Attend parent meetings sponsored by Title I in October, November and February. To receive text message reminders, text @rchsalerts to 81010 .	Actively participate in as many campus activities as you can. Take ownership of your high school experience. Make a difference at RCHS!
Communication Stay Informed	Communicate regularly with parents regarding student progress through conferences, progress reports, emails and phone calls. Respond within 24 hours to parent notes, calls and emails.	Establish regular communication lines with your student's teachers and/or guidance counselor. Visit the RCHS website regularly for up-to-date news and information. Ask students for flyers sent home.	Listen to all announcements and read the daily Bolts Bulletin newsletter posted in classes. Deliver all notices and flyers to your parents or guardians.
Learning Environment	Create a safe, supportive learning environment that effectively fosters student achievement. Facilitate a climate where respect for teacher and peers is paramount.	Engage your child each day in conversation about their classes and assignments. Intervene by contacting the student's guidance counselor for a conference.	Show respect for yourself, your administration, your teachers, and your peers by demonstrating proper behavior and a positive attitude.
<p>Visit the WWW.POLK-FL.NET website for important information:</p> <p>PARENT PORTAL: www.polk-fl.net/parents/parentportal.htm</p> <p>PARENT GUIDE: www.polk-fl.net/parents/formsanddocuments/PARENTGUIDE1415.pdf</p> <p>VOLUNTEERING: www.polk-fl.net/community/volunteers.</p> <p>PARENT CENTERS: www.polk-fl.net/parents/involvement/pirc.htm</p> <p>PARENT UNIVERSITY: www.polk-fl.net/parents/involvement/plug.htm</p> <p>FLORIDA STANDARDS: http://flstandards.org</p> <p>TESTING: www.polk-fl.net/parents/testing.</p> <p>Online Free/Reduced lunch application @ www.polk-fl.net or call 534-0588</p>		<p>www.ridgecommunityhigh.com</p> <p>Please visit our school's website for additional information, including curriculum and instruction; test dates; staff contact information; Title 1 resources; and other important dates.</p> <p>If you do not have access to our website please visit the front office for printed information or call the front office at (863)419-3315.</p>	<p>Signatures:</p> <p>Parent _____</p> <p>Student _____</p> <p>Teacher _____</p> 