

Harry F. Abate Elementary School

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PARENT – TEACHER PARTNERSHIP COMPACT
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Our School Promises to:

- invite and promote communication with families through:
 - frequent reports and calls about student progress
 - opportunities to volunteer and participate in classrooms
 - parent-teacher conferences
 - reasonable access to teachers and staff to answer questions and concerns
 - home visits by Administrative Team
- invite families to September Open House where school programs are demonstrated and explained to visitors
- create balanced literacy learning for children, so that they will become competent readers, writers, listeners and speakers
- welcome family involvement through activities planned by the Abate Parents-Teachers-Partners Group and school staff
- continue parent representation on the School Quality Council
- give information through mail and in person concerning students' assessment results
- continually develop "Safety Net" programs for students with:
 - new reading programs and the addition of intervention blocks
 - club activities for children to investigate their interests
 - collaboration with the Niagara University's College of Education

Our Family Promises to:

- read with our child daily
- attend Open House, conferences, and school activities
- share the responsibility for improving our child(ren)'s achievement
- monitor our children(s)
 - attendance and punctuality
 - homework
 - television watching
- provide a place at home for our child to read, write, study and play
- ask school personnel for guidance and assistance about ways in which our family and our school can keep improving the ways we work together for our common cause – the education of our children

Student Name: _____

Parent Name: _____

Parent Phone #: _____

Parent E-mail: _____

Best Time to Contact: _____

Parent Signature: _____

Teacher Signature: _____

Please complete and return to your child's teacher asap.