

J.B. Stephens Elementary School Compact 2019-2020

J.B. Stephens School staff, along with the parents of students participating in activities, services and programs funded by Title I, agree that this compact outlines ways parents, school staff, and students will share the responsibility for improved student academic achievement and the means by which the school and parents will build and develop a partnership that will help children achieve the state's high standards.

Staff and School Responsibilities:

We, as a staff of J.B. Stephens Elementary, will provide high-quality curriculum and highly effective instruction in a supportive environment that enables the participating children to meet the state standards. Staff development will continue to be an on-going process.

The staff will:

- *Be available for parent-teacher conferences to discuss individual student progress and achievement.*
- *Provide timely reports via e-mail, phone, conferences, and notes.*
- *Provide parents with the opportunity to visit/participate in their child's academic activities. In addition, parents are encouraged to set up appointments to learn specific strategies to assist their child's learning style.*
- *Provide a safe and supportive learning environment.*
- *Respect the school, students, and families associated with J.B. Stephens.*

Student Responsibilities:

We, as students, will share the responsibility to improve our academic skills and meet the state standards.

We will:

- *Come to school prepared to learn each day and work hard.*
- *Complete assignments and homework.*
- *Ask for help with needed.*
- *Give our parents or guardian all notices and information received from school each day.*
- *Respect and cooperate with all adults in the school.*
- *Understand our classmates have a right to learn without distraction and disruption.*
- *Limit our TV watching, video game playing, and internet usage.*
- *Study everyday after school.*

Parent and Guardian Responsibilities:

We, as parents (or guardians) of J.B. Stephens Elementary student(s), will share the responsibility to improve our children's academic skills and meet the state standards.

We will:

- *Monitor attendance.*
- *make sure our child is well fed and rested.*
- *Provide a homework area and regular schedule so that our child can study or read at home each evening.*
- *Make sure all homework is completed and signed if necessary.*
- *Participate, as appropriate, in decisions relating to our child's education by attending parent-teacher conferences.*
- *Help our child to understand what his/her responsibilities are to the school, to the family, and to himself.*

Student signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent signature: _____ Date: _____

Teacher signature: _____ Date: _____

Questions/Comments:
