

Building Partnerships

There are many opportunities at our school for parents to participate and play a role in their child's education. Please consider joining the faculty, staff, and fellow parents through some of the following events and programs:

- PTA
- Watchdogs
- Mentors
- Literacy Partners
- Culture Night
- Field Day
- Destination Imagination
- School Carnival
- Title I Family Fun Night
- Explore Faubion



Communication about Student Learning

Faubion Elementary 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:

- Weekly folders
- Email or text messages
- Current grades available through txConnect
- Grade Level Parent Orientations
- Goal setting conferences in fall and student-led conferences in the spring
- Report cards once per 9 weeks and Progress reports at middle of grading period



What is a School-Home Compact?

Our annual school-home compact offers ways that we can work together to help our students succeed. This compact provides strategies to help connect learning at school and at home.

Effective Compacts:

- Link to academic achievement
- Focus on student learning
- Share strategies that staff, parents, and students can use
- Explain how teachers and parents will communicate about student progress
- Describe opportunities for parents to volunteer and participate in the school.

Jointly Developed

Parents, students, and staff work together and share ideas to develop the school-parent compact. A Title I Parent Information Meeting is held each year to review and revise the compact based on the school's academic achievement goals and students' needs.

Parents are welcome to provide feedback at any time. All feedback will be collected and reviewed during the annual revision meeting with parents.



2017-2018

School-Home Compact

Faubion Elementary



**"Once a Panther,
Always a Panther"**

Bobbie Steiner, Principal

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Goals for Student Achievement



Teachers, Parents, and Students
--Working Together for Success --



District and Campus Goals

Goal 1: Maximize academic growth for each student.

Faubion will increase the overall percentage of students meeting or exceeding expected progress for STAAR in Reading and Math by 3%.

Goal 2: Prepare each student for college and career success.

Faubion will increase the percentage of students reading on or above grade level from beginning of year to end of year in Kindergarten through 5th grade by 5%.

Goal 3: Inspire the whole child.

Faubion will continue to implement a coordinated approach to school health that creates a healthy school environment which promotes physical activity, health, wellness, and the success of the whole child.

Goal 4: Engage every student in relevant learning.

-80 percent of Faubion classroom observations and walk-throughs will indicate an alignment to the cognitive demand of students tasks and products to the learning objectives.

-Parents will have the opportunity to learn about the bullying definition and investigative process.

Goal 5: Ensure a world class workforce focused on student achievement.

Faubion will increase the number of teachers trained in PLC through the 3-day Solution Tree PLC Summit by 10%

Goal 6: Manage resources effectively.

Teachers

- Will help students set and meet goals.
- Will give students opportunities to assess their own learning.
- Will provide students and parents specific feedback about student learning progress.
- Will provide students with intervention and challenge and equip them with tools and strategies for learning.
- Will plan opportunities for students to collaborate.
- Will follow the LISD guaranteed and viable curriculum, use data from assessments to plan instruction, and collaborate with other teachers to implement research-based strategies.
- Will provide a supportive and safe learning environment.
- Will communicate regularly with parents about student progress through email, phone, notes, or in person.

Parents

- Will help their child set and meet goals.
- Will talk with their child about what he or she is learning.
- Will limit their child's absences as much as possible and ensure their child arrives at school on time each day.
- Will read, sign, and return information received from school.
- Will communicate regularly with teachers about their child's progress through email, phone, notes, or in person.
- Will attend meetings and conferences about their child's progress or arrange for a phone conference.
- Will create a quiet place and time for homework at home with learning materials available.
- Will establish age-appropriate routines for for bedtime, reading, and homework.

Students

- Will come to school every day.
- Will pay attention and actively participate in class and do their best.
- Will ask questions when they don't understand.
- Will collaborate and work with other students.
- Will set goals and work hard to reach them.
- Will complete and turn in all class and homework assignments on time.
- Will read every day both in and out of school.
- Will talk with their parents about what they are learning and about their progress.