

Lake Wales High School

School-Parent Compact 2020-2021

Lake Wales High School will share responsibility for improved student achievement by:

1. Providing high-quality curriculum and instruction
 - Hiring highly qualified and effective teachers & support personnel
 - Applying effective teaching strategies
 - Providing on-going effective/individualized professional development
 - Using current teaching materials and technology
 - Monitoring student progress continuously
 - Using curriculum maps as a guide/resource
2. Holding parent-teacher conferences and discussing this compact
 - To schedule appointments with a teacher, please call Student Services Department at 863-678-4222.
3. Providing parents with frequent reports on their children's progress
 - Interim reports
 - Report cards
 - Schoology
 - State assessment scores
4. Providing parents opportunities to communicate with staff via e-mail, phone, or in person
 - Before or after school
 - Scheduled times during the school day as arranged with teachers
 - Open House/Annual Meeting
5. Providing parents opportunities to volunteer in their child's school
 - SAC
 - Classroom activities
 - School-wide events, such as clubs, band, chorus, athletic teams, etc.
 - Parents MUST become a LWCS approved volunteer OR previously PCSB approved volunteer in order to participate in these opportunities including field trips; please contact the office for further information or the LW Charter Office at www.lwcharterschools.com.

Parents will share responsibility for improved student achievement by:

- Monitoring attendance, student progress and encouraging the use of H2H when necessary
- Making sure that homework is completed & student is prepared for class
- Monitoring amount of time your student watches television, plays video games, and is on-line on social networks such as Facebook, YouTube, Twitter, Instagram, etc.
- Ensuring students receive appropriate rest each night
- Participating, as appropriate, in decisions relating to my student's education
- Promoting positive use of student's extracurricular time, such as volunteering in our community
- Staying informed about student's education and communicating with the school by providing correct **and current** phone numbers (updating them when necessary) for School Messenger System; promptly reading all notices from the school or the school district, either received by student or by mail, and responding as appropriate.
- Possibly serving on various policy advisory groups, such as School Advisory Council (SAC), and/or parent lead school activity associations, such as LWHS Band Association or Athletic Boosters

Students will share responsibility for improved student achievement by:

- Being prepared for class with necessary materials, completing homework, utilizing H2H appropriately, and staying updated through Schoology
- Working with Chromebooks, smartphones and other technology in an appropriate manner for the school setting
- Giving parents or guardian all notices and information received by me from the school
- Coming to school with an attitude of excellence