

Montabella Junior/Senior High
Parent/Teacher/Student Compact
A Promise of Commitment to Excellence

Parent/Guardian Responsibility:

It is important to have my child reach his/her full academic potential. Therefore, I will:

- ❖ Believe my child can learn
- ❖ Show respect & support for my child, the staff, and the school, and recognize and respect diverse cultures within the school
- ❖ Remind my student of behavior expectations at Montabella Junior/Senior high and support the school in its efforts to maintain proper discipline and provide a safe and orderly learning environment
- ❖ Make sure my student is on time and strives for 100% attendance and will contact the school when absent [regarding absences]
- ❖ Check with my child daily regarding information sent from school, major assignments given, and current grade levels
- ❖ Encourage my child to participate in class, complete as much homework as possible, and take advantage of available remediation opportunities
- ❖ Promote an environment at home so my child understands that living in a group, whether it be a family or classroom, requires standards of behavior and cooperation, and that one must accept the consequences of one's actions
- ❖ Use internet reports or progress reports to monitor my student's achievement in specific classes
- ❖ Attend conferences, meetings, parent nights and participate in school committees when available
- ❖ Keep lines of communication open and model respect by going to the teacher first when there is a concern

Parent Signature _____ Date _____

Educator Responsibility

Students must be given the opportunity to succeed. Therefore, I will

- ❖ Believe each child can learn
- ❖ Show respect & support for my students, their parents, and recognize and respect diverse cultures within the school
- ❖ Demonstrate professional behavior and a positive attitude
- ❖ Provide a positive atmosphere for teaching and learning in the classroom and guidance and support in GASS class
- ❖ Enforce the rules and policies of the school consistently and fairly
- ❖ Make efficient use of academic learning time
- ❖ Provide individualized strategies to increase student competencies as needed (i.e., organizational strategies, test-taking strategies, reading strategies)
- ❖ Utilize a wide range of teaching techniques to benefit the wide range of learning styles in order to meet the state curriculum standards and ensure student success on state assessments
- ❖ Strive to teach, not to tell
- ❖ Maintain open lines of communication with students, parents, in order to support their learning and respond to parent communication within 24 hours, when appropriate

Teacher signature _____ Date _____

Student Responsibility

It is important that I do the best that I can. Therefore, I will:

- ❖ Believe that I can learn
- ❖ Show respect for my parents, my peers (and their belongings), the staff, and the school, and recognize and respect diverse cultures within the school
- ❖ Follow rules at my home and school
- ❖ Come to school every day prepared, ready to learn, and in class on time
- ❖ Give my parents (or guardian) all papers and information sent home with me from school
- ❖ Finish my schoolwork and participate in classroom activities
- ❖ Take responsibility for my actions
- ❖ Take advantage of guidance, support, and additional time offered in GASS class
- ❖ Take advantage of the additional opportunities offered to me through tutoring and remediation classes
- ❖ Communicate with my teachers and parents by asking for help when I need it

Student signature: _____ Date _____