GRANITE FALLS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
STUDENT- PARENT- SCHOOL COMPACT

The Caldwell County Board of Education has adopted Shared Accountability Standards (Policy 3420) that establish promotion requirements for students. They have also adopted policies (1320/3560) which details parent involvement with the Title One program. The Board of Education strongly believes that learning takes place when there is shared effort, interest, and motivation by students, parents, and staff. Parents play a vital role in their children's success at school, and it is critical that parents work with teachers to ensure that their children meet higher academic standards. Granite Falls Elementary School also believes in the above statements and we encourage all students, parents, teachers, and principals to sign this Shared Accountability Pledge.

As a student at Granite Falls Elementary, I pledge to…

- Respect myself and the property and rights of others
- Attend school regularly and on time
- Follow the school rules
- Come to school dressed appropriately, with necessary materials, and prepared to work
- Ask my teacher questions when I don't understand
- Complete and return my assignments on time

Signed _____ **Date** _____

As the parent/ guardian of _____, I pledge to…

- Provide ample, quiet study time at home and encourage good study habits
- Make sure my son/ daughter is well-rested and at school on time
- Support the school staff in their efforts to promote appropriate behavior
- Reinforce the school rules
- Encourage my son/daughter to read/do homework prescribed by his/her teacher(s)
- Talk regularly with son's/daughter's teacher(s)
- Attend parent/teacher conferences as requested

Signed _____ **Date**_____

As a classroom teacher at Granite Falls Elementary, I believe every child can learn and I pledge to…

- Explain my expectations, instructional goals, and grading system to the student and parent
- Teach the North Carolina Standard Course of Study
- Provide classroom climate that is conducive to learning
- Communicate with parents through conferences and progress reports
- Employ a variety of teaching methods which work best for students
- Provide enrichment and remediation opportunities for the students as needed
- Respect the cultural differences of my students
- Explain, promote, and enforce school/classroom rules

Signed _____ **Date** _____

As the principal of your son's/daughter's school, I am committed to providing a safe and orderly environment that is conducive to learning. I will support the teachers in their efforts to teach all students. I am committed to each child's success in school and promise to work together to promote his or her achievement.

Signed _____ **Date** 9-7-21