



## 2023-2024 Brevard County Public Title I Schools

### McNair Magnet Middle School School-Family Compact for Learning



District and School-based Title I Family Engagement Programs in Brevard County will strive to **BUILD RELATIONSHIPS** in order to create real family engagement for **every** child, every family, **every** teacher, **every** day

This document was jointly developed by the families, students, and staff of McNair Magnet Middle School. This agreement explains how families and teachers will work together to make sure all students reach grade-level standards. Meetings are held each year to review this Compact and make changes based on student needs.

**School academic goal(s) and/or focus area(s)**

ELA instruction is an area of focus because of the steady decreases in the 3 areas of ELA achievement. Over the past few years, we have consistently seen decreases in ELA proficiency, learning gains, and the learning gains of the lowest 25%. Additionally, ELA achievement of two pivotal subgroups (SWD and ELL) have both been below 41% for 2 consecutive years. We are expecting growth in our overall ELA proficiency percentage. We are looking for a 5-percentage point increase from in ELA proficiency. This will be evidenced by comparing base line scores on PM1 to the concluding scores that will be produced on PM3.

**Working together for success:**  
In the classroom

Teachers will attend professional development throughout the year on Critical Reading strategies. Teachers will regularly lead students through the critical reading process while also incorporating AVID reading, writing, and collaboration strategies into their daily lesson plans.

**Working together for success:**  
At home

McNair Magnet School will host curriculum nights throughout the school year that will provide parents with tools, resources, and strategies to aid them in supporting their student’s learning outside of school hours. Parents are encouraged to utilize FOCUS to access their student’s grades and test scores. Additionally, parents can help their students get organized with their binder/backpack and review class notes.

**Working together for success:**  
Student responsibility

Students are expected to be in class at their scheduled times. They should be active participants in class to be successful. Students are encouraged to “S.O.A.R.” daily by being successful, organized, accountable, and respectful. S.O.A.R. is a key component of our PBIS (Positive Behavioral Intervention Support) system that is an evidence-based, tiered framework for supporting students’ behavioral, academic, social, emotional, and mental health. Students who are in class actively participating and following their S.O.A.R. procedures are more successful. Students need to maintain their AVID schoolwide binder and fill out their planner daily for each class.

<p><b>Communication:</b> Staying informed</p>	<p>Families and teachers can communicate questions and concerns through several communication tools: phone calls, email, FOCUS messaging, and student planners. Teachers will communicate student progress by notifying parents if a concern arises whether it be academic or behavioral, by returning graded work, except for district required assessments, providing online interim reports September 14<sup>th</sup>, November 28<sup>th</sup>, February 13<sup>th</sup>, and April 26<sup>th</sup>, and providing online report cards in FOCUS October 17<sup>th</sup>, January 11<sup>th</sup>, March 18<sup>th</sup>, and the final report card in late June.</p>	
<p><b>Building Partnerships</b></p>	<p>Families can be involved in their child’s education by attending family engagement events such as our Title 1 annual meeting, academic nights, and other events throughout the year. Families can also become a member of our School Advisory Council (SAC), Parent Teacher Organization (PTO), attend parent teacher conferences, and become a school volunteer.</p>	
<p>Visit <a href="https://www.brevardschools.org/">https://www.brevardschools.org/</a> for important information  <b>FOCUS PARENT PORTAL:</b> <a href="https://tinyurl.com/BrevardFE">https://tinyurl.com/BrevardFE</a>  <b>B.E.S.T. STANDARDS:</b> <a href="https://www.cpalms.org/Homepage/BEST_Standards.aspx">https://www.cpalms.org/Homepage/BEST_Standards.aspx</a>  <b>Online Free/Reduced lunch application:</b> <a href="#">Horizon Free &amp; Reduced Apps</a>  <b>Add money to your child’s lunch account:</b> <a href="#">My Payments Plus</a>  ***All McNair Magnet School students receive free breakfast and lunch every day. If you wish for your child to be able to purchase extra a la carte items, you can add money to his or her account using the above link.</p>	<p><a href="https://www.brevardschools.org/McNairMS">https://www.brevardschools.org/McNairMS</a>  Please visit our school’s website for additional information, including curriculum and instruction; test dates; staff contact information; Title 1 resources; and other important dates.  If you do not have access to our website please visit the front office for printed information or call the front office at  <b>321-633-3630</b></p>	<p><b>Don’t forget to check out the Community Connect website for information on all the available resources for your family.</b>   <a href="https://bpscommunityconnect.findhelp.com/">https://bpscommunityconnect.findhelp.com/</a></p>