

Galeton Area SD

2025-2026



School-Parent Compact

Purpose

This compact outlines how parents, school staff, and students will share the responsibility for improved student academic achievement.

Federal Stakeholder Meetings

Please note that this School-Wide Agreement is formally reviewed bi-annually during Federal Programs Stakeholder Meetings.

Stakeholder Input

These meetings involve parents, community members, and staff to ensure the compact remains relevant and effective in meeting the needs of our student body. These meetings are open to the public and advertised for participation.

Commitments

School Commitment: Quality Education

The Galeton Area School District staff will provide a high-quality curriculum and evidence-based instruction in a supportive environment. We commit to:



- **Standards-Based Learning:** Delivering instruction aligned with PA Core Standards in a way that is engaging and accessible to every student.
- **Effective Communication:** Providing parents with frequent reports on their children's progress through the **CSIU Parent Portal**, quarterly report cards, and mid-quarter updates.
- **Professional Access:** Maintaining an open line of communication via email, phone, app-based text messaging, or pre-scheduled meetings to discuss student needs.

Parent/Guardian Commitment: Active Support



We, as parents, will support our children's learning by:

- **Attendance:** Ensuring my child attends school regularly and arrives on time.
- **Environment:** Establishing a quiet time for homework and monitoring my child's screen time and sleep habits.
- **Engagement:** Checking the school portal regularly and attending parent-teacher conferences to stay informed of my child's milestones.
- **Advocacy:** Communicating with teachers when my child is struggling or when there are changes at home that may affect their learning.

Student Commitment: Personal Responsibility



I will take ownership of my education by:

- **Effort:** Putting my best effort into every assignment and asking for help when I don't understand.
- **Readiness:** Bringing my required materials to class and staying organized.
- **Character:** Following school rules and showing respect for my teachers, peers, and myself.
- **Communication:** Delivering all notices and newsletters from school to my parents immediately.

Building the Partnership



To ensure a true partnership, Galeton Area School District will:

- **Accessibility:** Provide information in a language and format that parents can easily understand.
- **Feedback:** Actively solicit parent input on school policies and the Title I program.