

## What is a Family-School Compact?

A Family-School Compact for Achievement is an agreement that parents, students, and teachers develop together. It explains how parents and teachers will work together to make sure all students get the support they need to reach and exceed grade level standards.

Effective Compacts:

- Begin with standards
- Focus on student learning
- Respond to school data
- Define everyone's responsibilities
- Depend on us to believe in them and use them!

## Jointly Developed

The parents and staff of Charles Haskell developed this Family-School Compact for achievement. Parents assisted with the suggestions for home activities to support learning, and school-wide meetings are held annually to review the compact.

**Parents are welcome to contribute comments at any time.**

**For more information on this Family-School Compact please contact your child's teacher.**

## FAMILY EVENTS

BACK TO SCHOOL NIGHT  
READING NIGHT  
PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES  
MATH NIGHT

## Communication about Student Learning

Charles Haskell is committed to regularly communicating with families about children's learning. Our communication methods with parents may include:

- Daily or weekly take home folders
- Parent-teacher conferences
- Monthly school newsletters
- Weekly class newsletters
- School Way App

**Do you have questions about your child's progress?** Parents may contact their child's teacher by phone or email. Email addresses are on the school website at <http://www.edmondschools.net/charleshaskell/Home.aspx>.

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## FAMILY-SCHOOL COMPACT



## 3rd Grade Focus For Student Success

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# Teachers, Parents, Students - Together for Success

## Our Goals for Student Achievement

### Charles Haskell School Goals

Charles Haskell administrators and teachers have studied our student performance data to decide on the most important areas of improvement for our school. The following goals are based on trend data.

**Reading** - To increase reading proficiency by 5% over our total percentage of 85% for the school year, our school will concentrate on the following areas:

- Using resource materials
- Vocabulary

**Math**— To increase math proficiency by 5% over our total percentage of 82% for the school year, our school will concentrate on the following areas:

- Geometry
- Number operations

**When teachers, students, and families work together, we CAN**

## In The Classroom

The 3rd grade team will work with students and their families to develop students' reading and math skills. Some of our key connections with families will be:

- Provide parents with a home learning kit full of engaging materials dealing with vocabulary development.
- Offer Parent Math Night to focus on developing math skills, including number operations and geometry.
- Our monthly newsletter will feature activities families can participate in at home to expose students to various resource materials and how to utilize them properly.
- Our school web page has links to family friendly web sites for improv-

## At Home

- Use a variety of shapes such as circles, squares, triangles to create other objects such as airplane, house, building, etc.
- When in the car have children identify shapes they see within other shapes. For example, squares inside window panes.
- When reading at home, help children break words down using prefixes and suffixes and use context clues to figure out the meaning of unknown words.
- Using a newspaper pick an article and have children read it and highlight unknown words while reading. Go back and use context clues to discuss

