



# THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF PHILADELPHIA

## ***H.A. Brown Elementary School*** **School-Parent Compact**

***School Year 2025-2026***

***Revision Date:***

***04-10-2025***

Dear Parent/Guardian,

### **JOINTLY DEVELOPED**

*The H.A. Brown Academics Plus Elementary School, and the parents of the students participating in activities, services, and programs funded by Title I, Part A of the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) agree that this compact outlines how the parents, the entire school staff, and the students will share the responsibility for improved student academic achievement and the means by which the school and parents will build and develop a partnership that will help children achieve the State's high standards. This school-parent compact is in effect during the school year 2024-2025. The Spring Meeting was held on 4/17/24 to allow parents input into the development of this Compact.*

To understand how working together can benefit your child, it is first important to understand the district's and school's goals for student academic achievement.

**[The Board of Education's updated Goals and Guardrails are available on the School District Website at www.philasd.org.](http://www.philasd.org)**

### **H.A. Brown Elementary School GOALS**

*H.A. Brown Board Goal 1 (Academic)*

*At least 45% of grade 3-8 students will score proficient/advanced on the ELA PSSA.*

*H.A. Brown Board Goal 2 (Academic)*

*At least 32.6% of grade 3 students will score proficient/advanced on the ELA PSSA.*

*H.A. Brown Board Goal 3 (Academic)*

*At least 25.2% of grade 3-8 students will score proficient/advanced on the Math PSSA.*

*H.A. Brown Board Goal 4 (Climate)*

*At least 61.4% of all students will attend school 90% of days or more.*

To help your child meet the district and school goals, the school, you, and your child will work together:

### **SCHOOL/TEACHER RESPONSIBILITIES:**

H.A. Brown Elementary School will:

*Communicate and send home comprehensive resources to families across all areas of study to help support their students. The school will provide summer learning materials for families to help their students avoid the summer learning gap.*

*H.A. Brown Elementary School will hold parent-teacher conferences at the conclusion of each of the first three report card periods. At these conferences, parents will be given information about student progress and tools for tracking student progress through Infinite Campus.*

*IEP meetings will be held annually for every applicable student, and additional amendment meetings will be held as needed. MTSS Meetings will be held as needed for students demonstrating needs in behavior, attendance, or academics.*

*Parents are welcome to meet with the staff and administrators. It is recommended that parents make appointments to meet with a staff member, as we do not want to interrupt the instructional program, by sending a note or calling for an appointment time. Parents may also arrange to volunteer for a specific school event or observe in a classroom by making arrangements with the classroom teacher. Parents are asked to participate on class trips as chaperones as well. In addition, parents will receive invitations to participate/attend assemblies, school shows, and evening activities.*

### **PARENT RESPONSIBILITIES:**

We, as parents, will:

*Monitor attendance.*

*Make sure that homework is completed and summer learning materials are utilized.*

*Monitor the amount of television and screen time my child has.*

*Volunteer, as able, in my child's classroom/school.*

*Participate, as appropriate, in decisions relating to my child's education.*

*Promote positive use of my child's extracurricular time.*

*Stay informed about my child's education and communicate with the school by promptly reading all notices from the school or the school district, either received by my child or by mail, and responding, as appropriate.*

### **STUDENT RESPONSIBILITIES:**

*Complete my homework every day and ask for help when I need it.*

*Utilize continuing summer learning materials.*

*Read at least 30 minutes every day outside of school time.*

*Give to my parents or my guardian all notices and information received by me from my school every day.*

*Arrive to school in uniform and on time daily unless I am ill.*

*Keep my school and space clean.*

*Be kind to others and treat them as I would want to be treated.*

*Actively engage in my community through positive and responsible actions.*

### **COMMUNICATION ABOUT STUDENT LEARNING:**

*H.A. Brown Elementary School is committed to frequent two-way communication with families about children's learning. Some of the ways you can expect us to reach you are:*

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- *Notifications of Parent-Teacher Report Card Conferences*
- *Provide to each parent an individual student report about the performance of their child on the State assessment in at least Math and English Language Arts*
- *Robo-Calls through the School Messenger system/Email/Text messages, Class Dojo, Social Media, etc.*
- *Parent Portal*
- *Teacher websites or other web-based communication resources*
- *Monthly Calendars/Newsletters*
- *Daily Folders*

**ACTIVITIES TO BUILD PARTNERSHIPS:**

*H.A. Brown Elementary School offers ongoing events and programs to build partnerships with families.*

- *Parent Volunteer Orientations*
- *Parent Cafes*
- *Parent Workshops*
- *Friends of H.A. Brown*
- *Open Houses*
- *FACE Office*