

Norwood Elementary School

400 S Main St, Norwood, NC 28128
(704)961-4000



Title I Norwood Elementary School's Student Compact

Teachers'/Staff's Commitment:

I fully commit to Norwood in the following ways:

- I will communicate respectfully with the Norwood staff, students, and parents at all times.
- I will maintain the expectation that ALL Norwood students graduate from high school and become exemplary citizens through furthering their education or entering the workforce.
- I will encourage all children equally to perform their personal best each day.
- I will be a positive role model for Norwood students.
- I will be humble and accept the responsibility of being a lifelong learner.
- I will plan and execute outstanding lessons every day.
- I will teach in the best way I know how, continually research and learn ways to improve my teaching.
- I will support and encourage all Norwood stakeholders, including but not limited to students, parents, and staff.
- I will create and maintain a safe and positive learning environment for Norwood students.
- I will arrive at school by 6:50AM and remain at school until my duties for the day are complete. If I must go over my allotted time, I will seek prior approval from administration.
- I will make myself available to students, parents, and staff by returning calls/emails within 24 hours.
- As a teacher, I will keep parents informed about their child's performance and progress.

I understand that failure to meet these Norwood commitments can cause me to disappoint myself, my coworkers and my students. I also understand that failure to meet these commitments can cause me to be unsuccessful or to lose privileges.

Teacher/Staff Signature: _____ Date: _____

Principal's Commitment:

I fully commit to Norwood in the following ways:

- I will provide a safe and orderly environment that is conducive to learning.
- I will serve as instructional leader of the school.
- I will model sound moral character.
- I will support the teachers in their efforts to teach all students.

I understand that failure to meet these Norwood commitments can cause me to disappoint my school and community. I understand that failure to meet these commitments can cause me to be unsuccessful or to lose privileges.

Principal Signature: _____ Date: _____

Student's Commitment:

I fully commit to Norwood in the following ways:

- I will treat my classmates, teachers and parents with respect at all times.
- I will speak to others in the way in which I want others to speak to me, and make sure that my body language is positive at all times.
- I will solve my problems with respectful and appropriate words.
- I will be honest, even when it means I may get in trouble.
- I will make sure that classwork, homework, and assessments with my name on them are representative of my best work.

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- I will do the right thing, even when no one is watching me and even though others around me are making poor decisions.
- I will stay on task and give 100% of my effort to all of my endeavors.
- I will push through my struggles by using all available resources.
- I will always strive to do my best, and encourage my peers to do the same.
- I will arrive at school by 7:25AM everyday during the school year.
- I will come to school each day with my materials for learning and with all of my homework completed.
- I will come to school each day with a positive attitude, well-rested, and ready to learn.
- I will follow directions the first time they are given.
- I will ask for help when I need it.
- I will follow the dress code.

I understand that failure to meet these Norwood commitments can cause me to disappoint myself, my classmates, and my family. I also understand that failure to meet these commitments can cause me to be unsuccessful or to lose privileges.

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Family Commitment:

I fully commit to Norwood in the following ways:

- I will communicate respectfully in a timely manner with the Norwood staff at all times and ask for help if needed.
- I will encourage my child to speak to and treat others in the way that he/she wants to be treated and solve problems with words.
- I will encourage my child to do the right thing, even when nobody is watching them and even though others around are making poor decisions.
- I will maintain the expectation that my child will become an exemplary citizen through higher education or the workforce.
- I will ensure that my child comes to school prepared, I will check my child's homework, review and sign his/her agenda, and his/her reading log every night. (As applicable to your child's grade level.)
- I will make sure my child is well rested, comes to school with basic needs met and homework completed.
- I will always encourage and support my child. .
- I will make sure that my child arrives at school by 7:25AM every day. If I want my child to eat breakfast at school, I will have him/her there by 7:00AM.
- I will schedule vacations and appointments during non-school time whenever possible.
- I will attend family nights and conferences and be an active participant in my child's education.
- I will ensure that the school has my current, correct contact information.
- I will respect the value of instructional time and will call or schedule teacher conferences before or after the instructional day.

I understand that failure to meet these Norwood commitments can lead me to disappoint my child. I also understand that failure to meet these commitments can cause my child to be unsuccessful and lose privileges.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____