



We are committed to your child's success in school and promise to work together to create an environment that inspires each learner to excel.

The Pequea Valley Intermediate School will....

Provide high quality curriculum and instruction in a supportive and effective learning environment that enables the participating learners to meet the State's student academic achievement standards as follows:

- ❖ Facilitators will receive ongoing professional development on scientifically based research practices for the classroom.
- ❖ The curriculum will be written according to the State's standards.
- ❖ Hold parent-teacher conferences two times a year during which time this compact will be discussed as it relates to the individual child's achievement. (Fall and Spring Conferences)
- ❖ Provide parents with reports on their child's progress.
 - Grades K – 6 will receive a report card at the end of each trimester. (3x a year)
 - Grades 7 – 8 will receive a report card at the end of each marking period. (4x a year)
- ❖ Provide parents with reasonable access to staff. Staff will be available to speak with parents at scheduled conferences as well as before and after school as requested by parents.
- ❖ Provide parents opportunities to volunteer and participate in their child's class, and to observe classroom activities. Parents may request to come observe classroom activities at any time. Parents may volunteer their time before, during and after school.
- ❖ Promote cultural diversity within our school system.
- ❖ Provide a variety of learning opportunities that focus on the total child including social and emotional learning opportunities.

As a classroom facilitator in the Pequea Valley Intermediate School....

I will provide high quality curriculum and instruction in a supportive and effective learning environment that will enable success for every student and:

- ❖ Will treat each child with dignity and respect.
- ❖ Strive to address the individual needs of each learner.
- ❖ Acknowledge that parents are vital to the success of this school and its learners.
- ❖ Provide a safe, positive and healthy learning environment for each learner to excel.
- ❖ Will assure every learner has access to quality learning experiences appropriate to their development.
- ❖ Will assure that school staff communicate clear expectations for performance to both learners and parents.
- ❖ Will assure appropriate participation of parents in the decisions relating to the education of their children.
- ❖ Acknowledge that each child develops in her/her own way and at his/her own speed.
- ❖ Strive to build a strong relationship with each parent.

As a learner in the Pequea Valley Intermediate School...

I realize that my education is important. I know that I am responsible for my own success. Therefore, I agree to carry out the following responsibilities to the best of my ability:

- ❖ Develop a positive attitude about school.
- ❖ Return completed homework on time.
- ❖ Be a cooperative learner and carry out the facilitator's instructions and directions.
- ❖ Ask for help, when needed.
- ❖ Be respectful to school personnel, other learners.
- ❖ Teach responsibility and the importances of caring for personal property and the property of others.
- ❖ Take responsibility for my own behavior.
- ❖ Explore appropriate extracurricular activities during the school day or after school hours.
- ❖ Share school activities with parents on a daily basis.

As a parent of a learner in the Pequea Valley Intermediate School...

I realize the importance of working cooperatively with the school. I understand that my participation in my child's education will help his/her achievement and attitude. Therefore, I join with the school by carrying out the following responsibilities to the best of my ability:

- ❖ Promote a positive attitude about school and appreciate the value of a good education.
- ❖ Create an atmosphere that supports learning by encouraging reading and other learning activities.
- ❖ Send my child to school regularly, on time, well fed and well rested.
- ❖ Monitor assignments and encourage homework completion.
- ❖ Review all school communications and respond promptly.
- ❖ Attend school functions and conferences.
- ❖ Encourage my child to demonstrate respect for school personnel, his/her classmates and school property.
- ❖ Participate in decisions relating to the education of my child.
- ❖ Review my child's progress with him/her and plan strategies for improvement.
- ❖ Work to nurture a strong relationship with the school.
- ❖ Model a character that I expect in my child.

As a principal of Pequea Valley Intermediate School...

I am committed to providing a safe and orderly environment that is conducive to learning. As the instructional leader of the school, I will support the facilitators in their effort to teach all learners. Opportunities for the establishment and attainment of high expectations will be made available to all learners. The administration is committed to engaging families and creating a welcoming atmosphere.

Together we will create an environment in which all learners are inspired to excel.

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