

INDIAN MOUNDS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL-FAMILY COMPACT
2016-2017

In order to help your child grow as a learner:

Indian Mounds Elementary and Bloomington Public Schools will:

- provide high-quality curriculum and instruction in a supportive and effective learning environment by providing time for teachers to attend classes and seminars, and work with peers to continue to learn new effective strategies to teach children.
- communicate with you, the parent(s)/guardian(s) as equal partners in your child's education.
- provide you ways to support your child's education outside the classroom (online website and newsletters).

Indian Mounds Elementary Teachers will:

- participate in conferences in fall and spring to meet with you and discuss your child's academic progress.
- explain approaches to teaching, expectations, and the grading system.
- provide you with a report card in January/February and June.
- regularly assess and monitor your child to make sure we are providing the correct intervention to meet his/her individual needs.

In order to support the learning and progress of my child I/we, as a family will:

- send my child to school every day that they are healthy and make school attendance a priority.
- provide a quiet and supportive environment for my child to do homework, and practice reading and math.
- review my child's homework and making sure that the homework is completed.
- limit the amount of time of television/electronic games my child watches/plays.
- attend parent-teacher conferences.
- inform my child's teacher about how/she learns and functions.
- volunteer at school and participate in my child's education.

In order to keep learning I, as a student will:

- come to school every day on time, ready to learn and try my best.
- show respect for myself, my school, and other people.
- let my teachers and family know when I need help.
- read on my own or have a parent read to me 20 minutes every day outside the school day.
- use the learning tools and books my teachers send home for me, and return my homework on time.

Please review this with your child in order to achieve our mutual goal of providing the highest quality education for your child.

Thank you for your support and involvement in your child's education. We value your role in working to help your child receive high academic standards.

PLEASE POST ON REFRIGERATOR-OR IN YOUR HOME LEARNING AREA

Bloomington provides Title I services as schoolwide programming at four elementary schools: Indian Mounds, Oak Grove, Valley View and Washburn. A schoolwide program is a comprehensive reform strategy designed to upgrade the entire educational program in a Title I school. The primary goal is to ensure that all students, particularly those who are low-achieving demonstrate proficient and advanced levels of achievement on state academic achievement standards.