

# *Communication about student learning*

Barnett Elementary is committed to providing consistent communication with our families about our students. Some ways Barnett communicates with our families are:

- Class DOJO
- Barnett Website
- Skyward Emails
- Skyward Call-outs
- Weekly Folders
- Parent/Teacher Conferences
- Barnett Facebook Page
- Monthly Parent Pow Wow
- Peek of the Week

## *Building Partnerships*

Barnett Elementary works hard to build great relationships with our families as well as the community. Some of the ways we do this are:

- Meet the Teacher-Virtual
- ESL Night
- STREAM Night-Virtual or Spring
- Open House
- Fine Arts Performances
- Grade Level Holiday Performances-Virtual
- Career Day/Guest Speakers

# **Building the *BEST* at *BARNETT***

## What Is a School-Parent Compact?

A School-Parent Compact is an agreement that parents and staff members develop together. It explains how parents, students, and teachers work together to make sure all of our students achieve and succeed. The compact is developed each year by parents, teachers, counselors, and administrators.

## Effective Components

- Link to goals of the school improvement plan
- Focus on student learning
- Describe how teachers will help students develop skills using high-quality instruction
- Share strategies that parents can use at home
- Explain how teachers and parents will communicate about student progress
- Describe opportunities for parents to volunteer and participate in the classroom

# **BARNETT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL COMPACT**



Building the *BEST* at Barnett!

# Improving Initial Instruction

## At Barnett

### Elementary we will...

- Focus on best practices when planning lessons
- We will attend weekly planning meetings
- We will attend weekly Professional Learning Committees

### As a parent I will...

- Support learning through communication with teachers
- Support my child's learning through homework or virtual learning

### As a student I will...

- Actively participate in my learning
- I will complete homework or virtual assignments to support my learning

# FOCUSING ON STUDENT GROUPS

## At Barnett Elementary

### we will....

- Apply Best Teaching practices to all student groups
- Focus on specific data based on our student groups
- Differentiated instruction for students

### As a parent I will....

- Support learning through communication with teachers
- Support my child's learning through homework and virtual learning

### As a student I will....

- Actively participate in my learning in class or virtually
- I will complete homework or virtual learning to support my learning

# IMPROVING CULTURE

## At Barnett Elementary

### we will....

- Allow students to be rewarded for good work ethic and conduct grades
- Provide students with DOJO points when they are showing our BEST Traits
- Send home Being our BEST cards to acknowledge things students have done.
- Build relationships across the campus through our BEST House System
- Implementation of 7 mindesets for social/emotional learning

### As a parent I will....

- Look at student DOJO points every day and talk to them about their positive and negative points
- Read monthly 7 mindset newsletter

### As a student I will....

- Follow BEST Expectations
- Take responsibility for my actions
- Follow classroom expectations
- Practice 7 Mindsets daily