



**School-Parent Compact**  
***International Charter School of Atlanta***  
**2018-19**  
***Revision Date 09/01/2018***

Dear Parent/Guardian,

International Charter School of Atlanta, students participating in the Title I, Part A program, and their families, agree that this compact outlines how the parents, the entire school staff, and the students will share the responsibility for improved student academic achievement as well as describes how the school and parents will build and develop a partnership that will help children achieve the State's high standards.

**JOINTLY DEVELOPED**

*The parents, students, and staff of the International Charter School of Atlanta (ICSAtlanta) partnered together to develop this school-parent compact for achievement. Teachers suggested home learning strategies, parents added input about the types of support they needed, and students told us what would help them learn. Parents are encouraged to attend annual revision meetings held in August each year to review the compact and make suggestions based on student needs and school improvement goals. Parents are also encouraged to participate in the annual Title I parent survey that is also used as a tool to collect parent feedback regarding the current Title I programs and policies.*

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

**ICSAtlanta's GOALS:**

*All students will make adequate progress towards meeting academic expectations in math and ELA.*

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

**SCHOOL/TEACHER RESPONSIBILITIES:**

ICSAtlanta will:

*Teachers will maintain blogs that outline all of the objectives for the week and provide additional information and resources to help parents support learning.*

*ICSAtlanta will provide access to multiple online learning resources, including MobyMax, Myon, Spelling City, Typing Tutor, RazzKids, etc.*

*ICSAtlanta will publish and distribute a monthly PYP newsletter that describes objectives and activities.*

**PARENT RESPONSIBILITIES:**

We, as parents, will:

*Read the blogs and newsletters regularly to stay informed and find resources for their children.*

*Allow students to attend afterschool tutoring as needed.*

*Communicate any concerns about my child's wellbeing and academic progress to his/her teacher or counselor.*

**STUDENT RESPONSIBILITIES:**

*Students will complete all work assigned to them during the day and at home and will complete all practice online.*

*Students will give all communications from the school to their parents as needed.*

**COMMUNICATION ABOUT STUDENT LEARNING:**

ICSAtlanta 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:

- *Class blogs, updated weekly*
- *Parent Portal*
- *Emails from the school at least weekly*
- *Parent-Teacher conferences*
- *Weekly folders (elementary)*
- *Emails to parents on student's progress*
- *Phone calls as needed*

**ACTIVITIES TO BUILD PARTNERSHIPS:**

ICSAtlanta offers ongoing events and programs to build partnerships with families.

- *Parent-Teacher Conferences*
- *Parent Education Nights*
- *Curriculum Nights*
- *Volunteering for special events*
- *Open House*

**Please sign and date below to acknowledge that you have read, received, and agree to this School-Parent Compact. Once signed, please return the form to your child's teacher. We look forward to our school-parent partnership!**

School Representative Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_