



### **What is a School-Parent Compact?**

A School-Parent Compact is an agreement that parents, students, and teachers develop together. It explains how parents, teachers and students will work together to make sure all students are academically successful.

#### **Effective Compacts:**

- Link to academic achievement goals
- Focus on student learning
- Share strategies that staff, parents, and students can use at home
- Explain how parents and teachers can communicate about student progress
- Describe opportunities for parents to observe, volunteer, and participate in the classroom



### **Jointly Developed**

Arnold's teachers and staff work collaboratively with its stakeholders to create the school's instructional plans, which includes but not limited to, Arnold's annual Title 1 Plan, Arnold's Comprehension School Improvement Plan, and Arnold's School-Parent Compact.

Parents are welcome to provide feedback on any established plan, including Arnold's School-Parent Compact, anytime during the school year.

All feedback is welcomed. The feedback will be collected and reviewed during scheduled revision meetings throughout the 2019/2020 school year.

Please call the school at 770-473-2800 or visit Arnold's School Website at [102clayton.k12.ga.us](http://102clayton.k12.ga.us) for additional information regarding the school-parent compact.



### **Building Partnerships**

There are multiple opportunities for Arnold's parents to volunteer and play a pivotal role in their student's education.

Please consider getting involved with Arnold's faculty, staff, and your students through some of the following events and programs that we have scheduled.

Some of Arnold's programs and events consists of the following:

- Parent Engagement Workshops
- Title 1 Workshops
- Grandparents Week
- Math/Science Night
- Career Day
- Bring Your Parents to School Day
- Annual Title 1 Revision Meeting
- Family Read-In 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of the month



### **Communication about Student Learning**

Arnold Elementary School offers ongoing events/programs/activities throughout the 2019/2020 school year to assist in building capacity throughout the community.

Arnold's Events/Programs/Activities that provide parents and students access to the staff:

- District's Open House
- September Parent/Teacher Conferences
- Parent Resource Center (M-F/8:00am - 4:00pm)
- Weekly Red Folders
- Infinite Campus
- DOJO

# **J.W. Arnold Elementary**

## **2019-2020**

## **School-Parent Compact**

***Where excellent behavior, work habits, and achievement go hand in hand...***

**School Mascot: Eagle**  
**School Colors: Blue and Gold**



***Growth Mindset: Becoming Is Better Than Being***

**Mr. Myron Allen, Principal**  
**Mrs. Nicole Chapman, Assistant Principal**  
**Mrs. Lorei Smith, Parent Liaison**

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## **WELCOME TO ARNOLD ELEMENTARY**

We welcome you to the best school in Clayton County! Arnold loves its hardworking students who soar with excellent behavior. Arnold has outstanding teachers and dedicated parents. Everyone always works together. We know you will, too, because now YOU are a Soaring Eagle!!!



### **Clayton County's District Goals**

By the end of the 2020 school year, Clayton County Public Schools will increase the percentage of students scoring at the Proficient and/or Distinguished levels on the GMAS by at least 3 percentage points in each content area.



### **J.W. ARNOLD'S Instructional Goals**

By the end of the 2020 school year, J. W. Arnold Elementary School will increase the percentage of students scoring at the Proficient and/or Distinguished levels on the GMAS by at least 3 percentage points in each content area.



### **Areas of Emphasis**

Arnold Elementary School overall core instructional goals are in direct alignment with the district's overall achievement goals.

Arnold's Core Instructional Emphasis for the 2019/2020 school year compliments with the Joe Ruhl's, Teaching Methods for Inspiring Students of the Future: Incorporating the Six C's for Increasing Student Achievement.

The focus is to allow students to become more responsible for their learning and taking ownership within the classroom setting. The Six C's discussed

are Caring, Collaboration, Creativity, Choice, Communication, and Critical Thinking



### **THE SCHOOL WILL:**

- Provide Interactive Notebooks to be utilized in all content area
- Ensure that daily writing is occurring across all core content
- Ensure Accelerated Reader Goals are a daily focus to increase comprehension, fluency, and vocabulary
- Ensure hands-on, discovery-based learning opportunities to create an environment in which it safe to take academic risks
- Ensure that parents have daily access to the Parent Resource Room to check out instructional materials to support their child while at home



### **ARNOLD'S PARENTS WILL:**

- Review/ assist students with on-line resources
- Read and review Accelerated Reader materials with students
- Review/ check homework and grades daily
- Review and check grades regularly on Infinite Campus
- Stay in continuous communication with teachers to ensure their student's academic success
- Review Math Facts and read nightly



### **ARNOLD'S STUDENTS WILL:**

- Recommit themselves daily to academic growth by reciting and following the Arnold Creed.
- Read more at home.
- Do their homework.
- Be responsible, respectful, and persistent (Schoolwide Goals)
- Do my best in all my classes.



### **PERSONAL GOAL SETTING**

**My personal goal for Math is:**

**My personal goal for ELA/Reading is:**

**My teacher can assist me in reaching my goal by:**

**My family can assist me in reaching my goal by:**

