

*GILMER COUNTY SCHOOLS GOALS 2015-2016*

- Reading** - all students will show an increase in reading proficiency on the GMAS-EOG/GMAS-EOC
- Math** all students will show an increase in mathematics proficiency on the GMAS-EOG/GMAS-EOC
- Writing** all students will show an increase in writing proficiency on the GMAS-EOG/GMAS-EOC

Ellijay Elementary School Goals

To increase **READING** proficiency, EES teachers and staff will

- Foster a love of reading
- Use assessments to determine, monitor and communicate individual strengths and weaknesses.

To increase **MATH** proficiency, EES teachers and staff will

- Focus on building number sense and problem-solving skills

To increase **WRITING** proficiency, EES teachers and staff will

- Practice writing across the curriculum

*"You get the best out of others when you give the best of yourself."  
—Harvey S. Firestone*

Ellijay Elementary School  
Family-School Compact  
2015-2016



Students + Parents + Teachers = Success

A Commitment to Learning

Developed jointly by  
EES Parents, Students, Teachers  
and Administrators

# We will:

## EES FAMILIES

- ♦ Expect my child to follow the school rules
- ♦ Check take home folders, agendas and other forms of communication regularly
- ♦ Help my child establish a homework routine
- ♦ Talk to my child regularly about what he/she is learning
- ♦ Help my child practice and memorize basic math facts
- ♦ Make sure my child has books to read at home and keep up with progress toward Accelerated Reader goal

## EES TEACHERS and STAFF

- ♦ Provide a positive learning environment
- ♦ Deliver a high-quality curriculum
- ♦ Regularly communicate with EES families
- ♦ Offer two parent conferences per year
- ♦ Use Reading and Math assessments to develop instruction suited for individual needs
- ♦ Set Accelerated Reader goals each quarter
- ♦ Use journaling and other methods to encourage writing across the curriculum

## EES STUDENTS

Follow school rules and respect the learning environment  
Read at home and school to meet my Accelerated Reader goals  
Show an adult all the information my teacher sends home

Do my homework  
Come to class prepared  
Practice basic math facts at home

*All Parents* are Invited to  
help develop the  
2015-16 Family-School Compact and Parental Involvement Plan

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