Rasco Mission

The mission of Grady B. Rasco Middle School is to provide a nurturing atmosphere where all students can learn, gain confidence, and explore opportunities.

Rasco Shared Values

We believe that learning requires the commitment and effort of a team, including parents, students, school and community. We go the extra mile to promote student success. We are team players who work collaboratively to solve problems with positive attitudes. We believe that every child is a unique individual, and the school exists for the benefit of each student to learn and grow.

Rasco Motto

"Teach the mind and touch the heart."

As a part of Brazosport Independent School District, our campus supports the goals established collaboratively by our district and community:

- Each student will be equipped to achieve the highest level of success in all curricular areas.
- All staff will actively contribute to organizational excellence.
- BISD will provide adequate resources through alternative funding and sound financial stewardship.
- BISD facilities will be equipped and maintained to exceed the highest standards of quality, safety, and innovation.
- Technology will be a fully integrated means for instruction and operations.
- Partnerships between the district and community will be strengthened in order to increase shared responsibility and trust.

Our Campus Performance Objectives for Academic Achievement:

The percent of 5th grade students that score Meets grade level or above on STAAR reading will increase from 58% to 64% and in 6th grade reading increase from 42% to 50%.

The percent of 5th grade students that score Meets grade level or above on STAAR math will increase from 50% to 56% and in 6th grade math increase from 41% to 47%.

The percent of 5th grade students that score Meets grade level or above on STAAR science will increase from 44% to 55%.

Communicating About Learning

Rasco Middle School is committed to communicating regularly with families about their student's academic learning and family involvement activities.

- Weekly Campus Newsletter through School Messenger
- Thursday handouts and updates through School Messenger
- Campus Website
- Parent Portal
- Google Classroom
- Campus Facebook Page
- Marquee

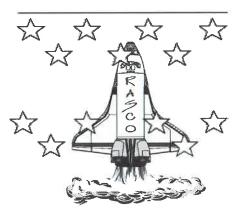
Do You Have Questions About Your Student's Progress?

Parents may contact their student's teacher by phone, 979-730-7225, or email through the school website, www.brazosportisd.net. Parent Portal is also available.

RASCO MIDDLE SCHOOL

"REACH FOR THE STARS"

School – Family Compact



What Is A School-Family Compact?

A school-family compact is a written agreement between schools and families that describe how they will work together to support children in reaching high academic standards.

As a school receiving Title I funds, Rasco Middle School developed this compact in collaboration with parents and students as a way to clarify responsibilities and provide a written commitment of how we agree to share these responsibilities for student learning.

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School Responsibilities

As a school, we will:

- Provide high quality curriculum and instruction by using the TEKS and the district-wide curriculum management and lesson planner.
- Design engaging lessons that are relevant, incorporate a wide variety of effective instructional strategies, elicit higher-order thinking skills, and integrate effective use of technology.
- Grade work promptly to make sure students understand instruction and assignments so it can be used to monitor student progress.
- Accelerate learning for students who do not master initial concepts by building background knowledge and utilizing different teaching strategies to address unique needs of struggling learners.
- Continually participate in professional growth opportunities to improve instructional techniques.
- Create and maintain an environment that respects diversity and differences among staff, students, and families.
- Teach, model and positively reinforce school and district expectations, and provide correction and re-teaching as needed.
- Communicate regularly with students and families regarding academic progress.

Home/Parent Responsibilities

As a parent/guardian | will:

- Ensure students attend school every day and arrive on time.
- Ensure students get adequate sleep, regular medical attention, and proper nutrition.
- Assist students in organizing school supplies and materials for school each day.
- Regularly monitor student's progress in school by reviewing assignments and grade information.
- Reinforce the importance of learning and why education is important to my child.
- Let teachers know if my student has any learning difficulties.
- Communicate questions and concerns with my child's teachers whenever they arise.
- Assist BISD with monitoring Chromebook usage.
- Respect the diversity and differences of staff members, students, and families.
- Support and reinforce school and district behavior expectations.
- Provide students learning opportunities that will enhance his/her ability to learn at school.
- Consider participation in volunteer and training opportunities available throughout the school year.
- Monitor parent portal to ensure students are completing assignments and to monitor student learning.

Student Responsibilities

As a student, I will:

- Come to school every day, arriving on time and ready to learn.
- Bring supplies, materials, and technology needed each day.
- Give maximum effort in each learning environment by participating in discussions and completing class/homework or tasks in a way that demonstrates learning.
- Ask for help when needed and ask questions to increase my understanding.
- Respect diversity and differences of teachers, students, and their families.
- Follow school and district behavior expectations.
- Resolve conflicts with others in a positive, non-violent manner.
- Report bullying when it is observed or experienced and respond to inappropriate conduct in others using the strategies taught by school staff.