

Paradise Valley Unified School District #69  
Title I Services 2015-2016  
**Whispering Wind Academy Learning Compact**

**SCHOOL COMMITMENT**

Whispering Wind Academy is committed to providing a quality education for ALL students. We are committed to preparing our students for success at the University level. The mission of Whispering Wind Academy is to cultivate, lead, and inspire ALL students to become innovative thinkers and life-long learners through a challenging, meaningful, and engaging curriculum emphasizing Science, Technology, Engineering, Math and Global Geography. We commit to doing the following things at school:

- ❖ Staff will treat each child with dignity and respect.
- ❖ Teachers will communicate with parents at least twice per month.
- ❖ Objectives will be posted in every classroom so that students will have clear expectations for their learning and performance.
- ❖ Achieve time will occur at least 4 times per week. It will focus on Math and Reading. This time is provided to facilitate flex grouping, in which students will receive enrichment or remediation based on data collection.
- ❖ PATHS time is 1 time per week, where teachers facilitate social emotional teaching in an effort to improve the overall student behavior and interaction with others.
- ❖ Teachers will determine monthly SMART goals tied to their Professional Learning Community goals. These will be driven by the data collected on student performance assessments each month.
- ❖ We recognize that parents are vital to the success of our school and its students, and we will encourage parent involvement through a variety of means.
- ❖ WWA will host a minimum of 3 parent involvement activities throughout the 2015-2016 school year.

**FAMILY COMMITMENT**

We want our children to do well in school. We will work with WWA by doing the following things:

- ❖ We will send our child to school on time every day, unless they are ill.
- ❖ We will check their papers and homework daily.
- ❖ We will work a minimum of 10 minutes daily on learning and reviewing student work.
- ❖ We will provide a quiet place for our child to complete homework assignments and read daily.
- ❖ We will limit the time allowed for TV and electronic game playing.
- ❖ We will communicate with the school via phone, e-mail, written note, or personal visit.
- ❖ We will attend Literacy & Math nights and parent academies.

**STUDENT COMMITMENT**

I understand that I am responsible for my learning and behavior. I will:

- ❖ arrive at school on time each day.
- ❖ set the goal of being "the best I can be."
- ❖ assume responsibility for all of my choices.
- ❖ have materials necessary to successfully complete my daily school and homework assignments.

**Please sign and date:**

**Teacher** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent(s)** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Student** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_