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**BETHUNE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
CAREGIVER - STUDENT - SCHOOL COMPACT**

BETHUNE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL MISSION

Bethune Elementary School fosters a teaching and learning environment with high expectations that encourages students to reach their full potential. Using a variety of programs, including magnet curriculums and parent and community involvement, we strive to meet the diverse needs of our students and challenges of a changing society.

VISION STATEMENT

Parents play an integral part in the academic success of students; therefore the staff members of Bethune Elementary School seek to work in partnership with families. We believe ALL children can learn and will grow to become productive citizens.

AS A CAREGIVER, I, _____, WILL

- See that my child attends school regularly and on time.
- Support the school in its efforts to maintain proper discipline.
- Establish a time and place for homework and review it regularly.
- Read a book with my child and discuss it.
- Check my child's book bag everyday for school papers and schoolwork.
- Check out books from the media center.
- Make sure my child gets a good night's sleep.
- Contact my child's teacher as often as possible.
- Call the school if I have concerns that the teacher can't help me with.
- Volunteer at the school or do tasks at home as often as possible during the school year.
- Attend programs and activities at the school.

Signature Date

AS A STUDENT, I, _____, WILL

- attend school regularly.
- show respect and cooperate with others.
- come to school each day with my homework and supplies.
- share paperwork given to me in school with my caregiver.
- obey school and bus rules.
- believe that I can and will learn.

Signature Date

AS A TEACHER, I, _____, WILL

- provide homework assignments that involve caregivers.
- teach lessons according to the student needs.
- assist caregivers so that they may help their child.
- share portfolio information about student progress with student and caregiver.
- use clear standards for measuring student progress.
- make learning enjoyable with special and safe activities.
- explain assignments to students clearly.
- seek ways to involve parents.

Signature Date

AS A PRINCIPAL, I, Mary Lou Ridge, WILL

provide a safe environment that allows for positive communication between the teacher, caregiver and student.