

### Palm Springs High School Home-School Compact

#### **School Commitment**

# To support all students in succeeding at Palm Springs High School, the staff commits to the following:

- ➤ Hold high expectations for all students.
- > Respect all students and their families and welcome them to our school.
- ➤ Teach rigorous, relevant, and engaging classes, following California state standards.
- ➤ Provide a positive, safe, and effective learning environment for all students through consistent implementation of the school's policies as outlined in the student handbook.
- > Present parents with progress reports or report cards at the middle and end of each quarter and semester.
- Communicate with parents when students are not meeting class academic or behavior expectations.
- ➤ Provide support and planning so that all students leave high school prepared for the college and/or career of their choice.
- ➤ Provide information to parents on a regular basis through our website and phone calls.
- ➤ Reply to parent e-mails and phone calls in a prompt and courteous manner.
- ➤ Offer parents opportunities to become involved in our school through advisory groups, parent workshops, and as volunteers.
- ➤ Palm Springs High School will prepare its graduates per our Expected Schoolwide Learning Results (ESLRs) and School Plan goals.

#### **Parent Commitment**

## To support my student in succeeding at Palm Springs High School, I/We commit to the following:

- Ensure that my student attends school each day and is on time.
- ➤ Ensure that my student follows the school dress policies and behavior code as outlined in the student handbook and wears his/her ID daily.
- ➤ Respond to emails, phone calls in a prompt, courteous manner.
- > Respect all school staff members and other students and families.
- Ensure that my student gets enough sleep each night, provide nutritious meals, and encourage regular exercise.
- ➤ Limit television viewing and computer games; provide a quite time each day for completion of homework and/or reading.

- > Talk with my student each day about school and homework; set high expectations for his or her academic achievement.
- > Attend school events, workshops, and meetings, and when appropriate, participate in decision making and leadership opportunities at school.
- ➤ Communicate with the school regarding any special needs of my student.
- ➤ Initiate communication with school staff when there is a concern or question.

#### **Student Commitment**

### To ensure my success at Palm Springs High School, I commit to the following:

- > Come to school each day and arrive to all my classes on time.
- Come prepared with my supplies, books, homework, and other items needed for each class.
- > Participate in each class and do my best to do well.
- ➤ Ask for help if I am struggling academically. Try my best always.
- ➤ Communicate to an adult if I have a concern, problem, conflict, or question.
- > Follow the school dress code, wear my ID and have it visible all day, and follow all other behavioral expectations in the student handbook.
- > Encourage my parents to be involved in my school and future plans.