

Veritas High School Compact

The Veritas High School mission is to prepare Milwaukee students for post-secondary education success through completion of an academically challenging, values-based curriculum in a safe and supportive environment.

As staff members, we pledge to:

- 1. Provide quality curriculum and instruction that is aligned to district and state standards.
- 2. Prepare well-planned and meaningful lessons.
- 3. Create a welcoming environment for all students and families.
- 4. Respect the cultural diversity of our students.
- 5. Communicate clearly and frequently with families concerning their children.
- 6. Infuse the "Six Great Questions" into the curriculum.
- 7. Send home progress reports during the midpoint of each term and reports cards at the end of each term.
- 8. Provide parents an opportunity to attend formal conferences two times a year.
- 9. Encourage parents to attend school events.
- 10. Allow classroom observations and visits at any time.

As a student I pledge to:

- 1. Follow the rules as identified in the student/parent handbook.
- 2. Attend school daily and arrive on time.
- 3. Complete homework in a timely manner.
- 4. Show respect for self, other people, and property.
- 5. Accept responsibility for my own actions.

As a family we pledge to:

- 1. Ensure that our child is at school daily and arriving on time.
- 2. Follow school procedures as identified in the student/parent handbook.
- 3. Provide a quiet place to do homework.
- 4. Contact teachers and administrators directly regarding concerns.
- 5. Attend parent/teacher conferences.
- 6. Participate in school activities.