



## Family & School

### Partnership



Proverbs 22:6 “*Train a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not turn from it.*”

1 Corinthians: 23-24,31 “*Everything is permissible but not everything is beneficial. Everything is permissible, but not everything is constructive. Nobody should seek his own good, but the good of others. So whether you eat or drink or whatever you do, do it all to the glory of God.*”

What an honor it is to raise a child! In today’s world it can be an awesome, but sometimes scary responsibility. The passages above remind us that the Lord gave this privilege first to parents long before Lutheran schools existed. Bay Pines Lutheran School is here to partner with you to educate and lead your child to know their Savior. That means training them to use all their talents to serve the Lord in the best way they can. When we work to create an atmosphere of communication and cooperation, your child will benefit.

Involved parents make for involved children. Parents who are engaged in school and church activities encourage their children to come, explore, make friends, and learn. Parents, teachers, and students each have expectations. All need to know that they will work as partners in many aspects of school and home life.

### EXPECTATIONS

#### **CAREGIVER COMMITMENT**

I will be **SAFE** by

- Following school safety procedures with regards to drop off and pick up, including AfterCare attendance protocols
- Communicating schedule and location changes promptly, including absences and tardies

I will be **RESPONSIBLE** by

- Ensuring children in my care
  - Arrive at school on time, in dress code clothing, well-rested and well-fed, ready to learn
  - Complete all homework assignments
  - Use technology appropriately to enhance their learning
- Reading and adhering to the Family Handbook

I will be **RESPECTFUL** by

- Communicating directly with a teacher or staff member about any issues
- Ensuring that my children are punctual and prepared for school
- Speaking positively about the school, the staff and my children’s classmates
- Adhering to school policies

I will be **A LIGHT** by

- Speaking positively about the school to others
- Supporting the mission of Bay Pines Lutheran School

## STUDENT COMMITMENT

I will be **SAFE** by

- Following all school rules and procedures
- Listening to the direction of teachers and staff during drills and emergency situations

I will be **RESPONSIBLE** by

- Being ready for school when the bell rings
- Following the school dress code
- Turning in my completed homework at the beginning of each school day
- Doing everything in my power to ensure my academic success and the success of my classmates
- Utilizing technology properly to enhance my learning

I will be **RESPECTFUL** by

- Displaying a respectful attitude to teachers and staff members with my words and actions
- Treating fellow students with kindness and respect
- Treating school property with respect

I will be **A LIGHT** by

- Striving to exhibit Christ-like behavior in all that I do on the school campus, on social networks, and in my community

## TEACHER COMMITMENT

I will be **SAFE** by

- Establishing and maintaining a safe school environment
- Communicating with caregivers regarding their child's wellbeing in a professional and timely manner

I will be **RESPONSIBLE** by

- Communicating with caregivers in a professional and timely manner
- Doing everything in my power to ensure my students' growth and academic success

I will be **RESPECTFUL** by

- Being accessible to students and families when questions arise

I will be **A LIGHT** by

- Remaining committed to teaching biblical principles