

Parental Responsibilities

German Language School Cleveland

Mission Statement:

The German Language School Cleveland teaches the German Language to children and adults in a cultural setting within a supportive classroom environment. Assessments, formal and informal, are a regular part of classes.

The responsibility of educating the children is two-fold

- 1. Primary The responsibility of education children belongs to the parents.
- 2. Secondary The responsibility of enhancing the education children belongs to the school.

Although this responsibility is shared with school and faculty, parental responsibility remains the first priority.

The greatest single factor in building a child's intellectual and moral attitudes is the example that is provided by you in the home. The role that you play in the school as parent/guardian is crucial in following and supporting the policies and programs of our school.

Being your child's prime educators, you, the parents, need to:

- Avoid criticism of teachers and school policy in front of children.
- Insist that your child(ren) obey all regulations and principles of good behavior.
- Have your child(ren) <u>arrive on time and prepared</u> for school.
- Monitor your child(ren)'s progress and provide an area where homework can be completed.
- Participate in fundraising, essential in keeping our tuition as low as possible.
- Pay all fees, (misc. and books), as well as tuition, on time.
- Accept responsibility for helping your child(ren) develop self-control.
- Cooperate with and support the faculty and other school personnel by observing these policies and guidelines. If in the opinion of the faculty the student's behavior seriously interferes with the German Language School Cleveland, the school will exercise the right to dismiss the student.