

Volunteer Application For Lafayette Elementary School 2022-2023

One of the most important relationships that exist for a child is the Parent-School relationship. According to the *Family is Critical to Student Achievement* by Anne Henderson and Nancy Berla (National Committee for Citizens in Education, Wash. D.C., 1994), **students whose parents are involved in the school realize these benefits: higher grades and test scores; better attendance and more homework done; fewer placements in special education classes; more positive attitudes and behavior; higher graduation rates; and greater enrollment in postsecondary education.** For that reason, Lafayette Elementary School encourages involvement of parents through an active Parent Volunteer Program and an active PTA.

1. **Name** _____

2. **Address** _____ **Phone** _____

Email Address _____

3. **Student's Name** _____ **Student's Teacher** _____

4. **You are a:** ___ Parent ___ College Student ___ Grandparent/Relative ___ Other

5. **I would like to volunteer during the following days/times (Check all that apply):**
___ Monday ___ Tuesday ___ Wednesday ___ Thursday ___ Friday
___ Mornings ___ Afternoons ___ Evenings

___ I am ___ am not interested in participating in the PTA

(You ___ may ___ may not submit my name to the PTA)

6. **In what capacity do you want to serve as a volunteer:**

___ *Cafeteria Hostess ___ *Classroom Helper ___ Chaperone ___ Provide Treats ___ Other

***Indicates areas of greatest need**

7. **Available starting date:** _____ **Ending Date** _____

8. **Provide a reference:** (Optional)

Name _____ Business _____ Phone _____

As a Volunteer in the school, you must adhere to the following guidelines:

- A. You will work directly under the supervision of a classroom teacher or an administrator
- B. You will not have direct contact with students without a teacher's supervision
- C. You will not have access to confidential information

My signature below indicates that I have not been charged and/or convicted of any offense(s) involving children and that I'm willing to comply with all of the guidelines above.

Volunteer Signature _____ Date _____

Thank you for your interest in serving as a volunteer at LES. You will be contacted by an administrator.

Administrator's Use Only

Date Started: _____ Assignment: _____

Note: A request for an assignment does not guarantee placement in that assignment.