

Would you like to be a Room Parent for your students class?

Room parents coordinate communication between individual teachers and families. The room parents coordinate volunteer opportunities within the classrooms, help communicate teacher expectations, gathers chaperones for field trips and help interested parents coordinate on optional classroom gift for the teacher. **They are responsible for planning and coordinating classroom parties, events and activities.** They coordinate with the PTF president and Vice-president about items the teachers need in their classrooms. You are our eyes and ears. Room parents gather a complete email and phone list of the parents in each classroom and make that available to the Volunteer Coordinators. They help the Volunteer Coordinators gather Volunteers for activities when needed throughout the school year. They try their best to make everyone feel involved.

We will try and have a Room Parent meeting every other month to see what you need, what your teacher needs and how the PTF can better serve our school.

They communicate a positive message to the parents about Volunteering.

WHAT IS A VOLUNTEER

A volunteer is many things; an extra pair of hands, an extra measure of individual attention for a needy child, an extra pair of ears for listening and a vital link between the school and home. Volunteers are one of the most valuable assets our students enjoy; their time is highly valued and greatly appreciated. Volunteers are special because they provide an extra resource for the enrichment of all and serve as an example of service for our community, school and church.

Please fill out the information below if you would like to become a Room Parent for the 2010-2011 school year. We would like Room Parents in place before school starts.

Name: _____ Email address: _____

Phone Number: _____ Best time to contact you: _____

Grade/Teacher you are room parent for _____

Thank You for committing to be a Room Parent. You are very valuable to our teachers and our school. You make all the difference.

** Please note: **Everyone must complete a new background check** by the end of August. By having everyone complete their background checks at that same time, it will be easier to keep up with. If you plan on going on field trips (even if you don't have other students in your vehicle), volunteering in the school or helping with an event, you must have a background check to ensure safety for all of our students. The background checks are free and can be completed on the school website.*

