

SCHOOL VOLUNTEERS

The Board believes one of the greatest resources available may be found in the citizens of the community who have special knowledge and talents to contribute to the District. The use of citizens as volunteers within the school program enhances the educational process not only for students, but for the community as well. Volunteers may provide additional support in the classroom, promote community-school cooperation in facilitating the learning process and provide for individuals who have expertise in various areas to be used as resource persons.

Recruitment and selection of volunteers is done at the local building level. Interested individuals should contact the building principal or his designee. The interests and abilities of the volunteers will be considered when making assignments.

Accountability for the program should include accurate record keeping at the local building level. Standard procedures for record keeping include hours contributed by various volunteers, types of services or donations made and an application kept on file at the local school for any volunteer who works directly with students, especially in tutorial relationships.

Volunteers who work directly with students may be required to have a criminal record check.

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