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Hi Grand Peak Academy Families!

Exciting news!!! Our school will be implementing the Parent/Guardian Ambassador Program for the 2021-22 school year. This will be an amazing opportunity to get more involved in your child's school. Below you will find all the information on this new program and how to apply!

Parent/Guardian Ambassador Program

Purpose of this Volunteer Opportunity:

To promote partnership between teachers and families by giving an opportunity to get more connected with GPA. We feel this is extra important after a year of being mostly isolated from each other. We are anxious to rebuild our sense of community and family culture. We want to be a school known for partnering with families, and we intend to refocus on that mission!

Overview of Duties:

- Organize volunteer opportunities for the parents (Thursday folders, grading, bulletin boards, field trips, field day, core knowledge days, etc.)
- Communicate to parents when the classroom is running low on a certain supply and needs to be replenished
- Help collect items for special events like holiday parties or Core Knowledge days
- Help PTO with anything needing extra parent involvement
- Facilitate and organize teacher gifts
- All communication done with the parents will be through the Classkick Program (This program will be used school wide, so you only need one app to have access to all your kids' classroom communication)
- Communication with the teacher will either be done through their cell number or email (whichever they are most comfortable with)

What We Need:

- One (1) parent/adult per classroom (Each Elementary, Specials and Middle School classroom will have one)
- You do not need to apply for your child's specific classroom if you do not want to, so feel free to apply for whichever classroom interests you most! Also, this is open to any adult family members of students, not just parents/guardians.

Qualities we are looking for in our Parent Ambassadors:

- Organized
- Flexible
- Professional
- Tech Savvy
- Able to collaborate with the teacher and other parents

If you or another adult family member are interested in being an Ambassador, please fill out the application below that interests you (if you are interested in multiple classes, you can fill out additional applications). Please have these filled out by July 25th, and if you are selected, you will get a phone call and/or an email between the 26th and 28th. *All Classroom Ambassadors will automatically have their 20 volunteer hour requirement fulfilled.*

Applications:

- [Specials](#)
- [Preschool](#)
- [Kindergarten](#)
- [1st Grade](#)
- [2nd Grade](#)
- [3rd Grade](#)
- [4th Grade](#)
- [5th Grade](#)
- [6th Grade](#)
- [7th Grade](#)
- [8th Grade](#)

We are so excited to partner with our Ambassadors throughout this year! If you have any questions, please contact Emily Aiken, emily.aiken@grandpeakacademy.org, or our GPA-PTO, pto@grandpeakacademy.org

Sincerely,
Grand Peak Academy