

School Volunteers

The Board of Education recognizes the need to develop a volunteer program to support district instructional programs and extracurricular activities. The purpose of the volunteer program will be to:

1. Assist employees in providing more individualization and enrichment of instruction.
2. Build an understanding of school programs among interested citizens, thus stimulating widespread involvement in a total educational process.
3. Strengthen school/community relations through positive participation.

A volunteer is a person who works on an occasional or regular basis at school sites or other educational facilities to support the efforts of professional personnel. Such an adult volunteer worker will serve in that capacity without compensation or employee benefits of any type, except for liability protection as provided by law.

Use of volunteers within the district is not to conflict with or replace any regularly authorized personnel allotment.

The school principal or appropriate department or division head will define and assign responsibilities and tasks to be performed by volunteers in the respective schools. Volunteers will work with students under the immediate supervision or direction of a certified person.

Volunteers are expected to comply with all rules and regulations set forth by the district.

Volunteers will be approved by the Board of Education at a regular meeting following a favorable background check. Volunteers who work on a regular basis (at least once per week) may be provided with appropriate orientation and in-service.

Delta County School District 50J

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