

Eastshore Elementary School



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Volunteering at Eastshore 2011-2012

What are your gifts, talents, hobbies, skills? Chances are you have the ability to make a difference for the Eastshore community by contributing even a small amount of time to one of the areas listed below.

In order to be able to offer all of the great programs and activities that students and families enjoy at Eastshore...your help is needed!

Please place an "X" next to the activities that sound interesting to you and return this form to your child's teacher.

Parent Name: _____ E-mail or telephone # _____

Vol.	2011 - 2012	Description	Date
	Yearbook Committee	Do you love to take photos? The more helpers, the better!	Photography Starts first day of school
	Historian	Keeps track of the volunteer sign-in sheets and ultimately reports total number of volunteer hours to District/State PTA in order to conform to PTA's "non-profit" status	throughout year, online form completed in spring
	"Reflections" Student Art Competition Committee	Assist with "Reflections" – a national arts competition open to all grade levels. Distribute theme and rules, coordinate judging at school-level. Submit all paperwork and artwork to organizers.	Beginning of school year- October
	"Copy Cats" Workroom assistants	Work shifts making photocopies for classrooms and school administration. Training mandatory Work a shift with a friend, it's fun!	On-going
	Legislative Action Committee	<u>Are you concerned about all the cuts in education funding? This is a great way to help your fellow parents understand what is happening and what we can do to make a difference!</u> Attend district and county-level meetings and roundtables. Inform school community about legislative issues at PTA Meetings and by other means. Can attend trip to Sacramento with other PTA representatives to lobby our state officials on behalf of education.	Monthly + optional overnight Sacramento trip in spring.
	IPSF Ambassador	Attend monthly meeting of Irvine Public Schools Foundation and report back to Eastshore parents and staff through emails and PTA Meetings. Distribute IPSF materials to school. IPSF offers training.	Monthly
	International Night Committee	Help plan, publicize and solicit volunteers for International Night event.	October 7

	Red Ribbon Week/ Walk to School Day Committee	All Irvine schools cooperate with the Irvine Police Dept. in this event to encourage drug-free students. Assist in the decoration of school, collection of Pennies for Prevention; coordination of student events. Work with the school staff to encourage students And families to walk to school on designated day.	October
	Spiritwear Committee	Help with ordering and distribution of our school T-Shirt/sweatshirts. Data entry at home.	October
	Harvest Cup Soccer Coaches	Fifth or Sixth-grade parents to assist Eastshore's student soccer teams in this city-run tournament. Teams are made of 5th and 6th grade boys and girls.	October Dates TBD
	Costume Co-op Committee	New event we tried out for the first time last year. Collecting gently used costumes and selling them for a small fee. Committee will publicize collection and sale, work collection dates and sale dates.	October
	Pancake Breakfast Committee	Fathers to help with shopping and preparing fruit for the breakfast and set up cooking and serving stations. Father or mother to coordinate Pre-sale of tickets.	October 21
	Talent Show	Committee to publicize sign-ups and event, coordinate music and performances, assist with rehearsal, night of event assist participants and help ensure the evening runs smoothly.	December 2
	Guy Stuff Committee	<u>6th grade</u> mothers to assist in organizing or setting up this evening event for 6th grade boys to learn about physical and emotional changes of growing up.	February 18 2012
	Mother-Daughter Tea Committee	<u>4th grade</u> parents to assist in organizing or working at this evening event for 5th grade girls to learn about physical and emotional changes of growing up.	March/April TBD
	Staff Appreciation Committee	Assist with "Welcome Back Teachers" luncheon day before school begins. Help plan and organize Staff Appreciation Week events.	Sept. 7/ May 7-11
	Jogathon Committee	Assist with creating and distributing information; soliciting sponsors; coordinating volunteer efforts; ordering and distributing T-shirts and incentives.	March 28
	Carnival Committee	Help plan content of, organize volunteers for, or pre-sell tickets for the school carnival.	June 1
	Book Fair	Working shifts to assist in setup and cashiering during lunch, after school, and one evening.	Week of and Night of Open House
	6th Grade Graduation Committee	<u>5th grade</u> parents to plan and work at a small reception following the graduation ceremony.	June 21 (last day of school)