

Flat Rock PTO Interest Form

We encourage communication, collaboration, & support between FRMS staff & families with the ultimate goal of increasing STUDENT SUCCESS!!

On behalf of the 2017-18 FRMS PTO, welcome back! All parents and guardians of students at Flat Rock Middle School are members of the Parent-Teacher Organization (PTO). So what is the purpose of the Flat Rock PTO and what do they do?

- Raise funds through three primary fundraisers: Candy Sales, Spirit Nights, & Spirit Wear
- Provide funding for classroom and specialist investment
- Teacher Appreciation & Campus Beautification
- Provide volunteers to assist with School of Hard Knocks, Book Fair, Open House and more!

There are no dues to pay and we welcome involvement at any level. Our largest volunteer needs are the Fall Candy Sale and Proctoring for the End-of-Grade Tests. For those who love to dig-in and help set the direction for next school year, we will be recruiting for committee chairperson positions in the spring.

Please return this form to your child's teacher or submit online ASAP to allow us to contact you and get you involved!

Areas of Interest & Talents (Select all areas in which you are interested):

- Book Fair
- Candy Sales
- □ Care & Family Concern
- Early Dismissal
- Fundraising
- □ Grant-writing
- Open House
- Proctoring
- □ Publicity & Communications

Name:

Other Phone:

Best Phone:

Email (print clearly):

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Student(s) name(s): Homeroom/Grade :

If you have talents, businesses or connections that could be utilized to help Flat Rock Middle School, please list below:

□ School Grounds/Campus Beautification

- □ School of Hard Knocks
- □ Spanish Translation
- Spirit Nights
- Spirit Wear
- Teacher Appreciation
- □ Volunteer Coordination

FRMS Volunteer Opportunities

Areas of Interest	Brief Description
Book Fair	Volunteers work with the FRMS media specialist during designated book fair events (Dec, Mar)
Candy Sales	Assist with collecting funds, distributing candy, counting money, and other organizational needs (Sep, Oct)
Care and Family Concern	Team assists staff to coordinate support for school families in times of crisis (yearlong)
Early Dismissal	Assist with teacher lunches on early dismissal days (yearlong)
Fundraising	Assists in multiple fundraising opportunities throughout the year, including Spirit Nights, Spirit Wear, and obtaining donations for events through-out the year.
Grant-writing	Team assists staff in obtaining and fulfilling grants (through Asheville City Schools Foundation, Jones PTO Global Scholars Initiative Fund, and others)
Open House	Provide families with information about upcoming school & PTO events, assist with signing families up for Ingles Tools for Schools (Sep)
Proctor	Volunteer as a proctor for North Carolina End of Grade Testing. Proctors serve as an extra set of eyes, while staff administers testing (May, June)
Publicity & Communications	Creates flyers & various communications for school events & activities, provides input for social media feeds (Facebook / Twitter) (yearlong)
School Grounds/Campus Beautification	Team coordinates campus improvement and beautification efforts (yearlong)
School of Hard Knocks	Assist with coordination and implementation of "School of Hard Knocks" event for 8 th grade students. (April)
Spanish Translation	Help translate PTO & school documents, provide spoken translation of PTO meetings & parent involvement events (yearlong)
Spirit Nights	Contact local restaurants to schedule & coordinate Spirit Night events (yearlong)
Spirit Wear	Assist with collecting funds and distributing Spirit Wear items to classrooms (yearlong)
Teacher Appreciation	Team coordinates teacher appreciation Teacher Appreciation Week in May and smaller teacher appreciation activities (yearlong)
Volunteer Coordination	Assist in recruiting parent volunteers (yearlong)