



Why Parent, Teacher, (Student), Association?

What are the benefits of joining your school's PTA/PTSA?

- You become part of a National and State PTA/PTSA Organization with over 5 million members advocating for ALL children.
- You have the ability to participate in a vast array of local, state and national programs for both students, parents, teachers and families.
- You have the ability to apply for / participate in a numerous local, state and national grant opportunities for both individuals and schools.
- You have access to a large variety of local, state, and national training resources (online, in person, reading materials, workshops, webinars, etc.) - and the ability to submit ideas for new training topics.
- You have the opportunity to work with other state and, or national associations with family and child-oriented programs.
- You have the opportunity to discuss state and national issues to help form official PTA/PTSA position at both the state and national level.
- Your unit has the ability to Vote on state and national PTA issues (election of board members, resolutions, opinions, etc.).
- Your local unit is governed by PTA State approved Bylaws to ensure consistency, professionalism, equity and structure in decision making, budget setting, spending, election process, etc.
- Your local unit is exempt from federal Income Tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the IRS code as part of State PTA.
- Your local unit is eligible to received AIMS Insurance at group discount rates with state PTA.
- All Rochester PTA Local units come together under Rochester PTA Council to bring issues together, share information and resources, work with school administrators, state or national PTA, as well as the community at large.

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