



How Membership Fits into Every Part of PTA

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The Mission of PTA



To make every child's potential a reality by
engaging and empowering families and
communities to advocate for all children.

Figure out why you do it and the how will be easier.

What is a member?



- A member of Local, Council, State, and National PTA
- Shows support for your school
- Helps create a “village”
- Amplifies the voice of parents

SAMPLE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Local Bylaws Article X, Section 4

Article X,
Section 4. The
executive
committee and
the
commissioners
comprise the
Board of
Directors of this
PTA/PTSA.

Executive Committee

Article VI, Section 4a

Elected by membership

VPs	Teacher VP	Principal VP	President	President Elect	Secretary	Treasurer
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Article VI, Section 4a - Tells you the number of VPs to have - includes Teacher and Principal VPs

Commissioners

Article X, Section 2-3 - Appointed or Elected, tells you how many to have

Community Engagement	Education	Family Life	Health	Individual Development	Safety	Student Leadership
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Room Parents
Staff Appreciation
Student Stores
Holiday Stores
Holiday Celebrations
Carnival Celebrations
Carnival Fundraiser

Read-a-thon
Spelling Bee
Stem Nights
Book Fair
Parent Events
Reading Week
Geography Bee
Junior Achievement

Take your Family to
School Week
Fun Family Nights
Parent Education
Night
Family Dinner
Night Outs

Red Ribbon Week
Fitness Week
Track Team
Field Day
Maturation

Reflections
Battle of the Band
Talent Show
Character Education
Program
Yearbook
Field Day
Arts Week

Bike Rodeo
Green Ribbon Week
White Ribbon Week
Crossing Guards
Seatbelt Check

Open House
Battle of the Bands
Charitable Drive
Safety Patrol
Parent Teacher Conference
Welcome Spirit Days

Only Members Can...



- Serve in elected or appointed positions
- Attend board meetings
- Speak at board meetings
- Run PTA programs
- Vote

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Article VI, Section 4

a. The officers of this PTA/PTSA shall be one (1) President, one (1) President-elect, one (1) administrative vice president, one (1) teacher vice president, _____(number) additional vice presidents, one (1) Secretary, and one (1) Treasurer.

Recent Change



Previously:

a. The officers of this PTA/PTSA shall be one (1) president, one (1) president-elect, ____ (number, at least two [2] - this number includes the principal and teacher) vice presidents, one (1) secretary, and one (1) treasurer.

Currently:

a. The officers of this PTA/PTSA shall be one (1) president, (1) one president-elect, one (1) administrative vice president, one (1) teacher vice president, ____ (number) additional vice presidents, one (1) secretary, and one (1) treasurer.

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Article X, Section 2. The executive committee shall create such commissions as may be deemed necessary to promote the Purposes and carry on the work of this PTA/PTSA.

Section 3. ____ (number) commissioners (in PTSAs at least one shall be a student) shall be ____ (appointed by the officers of this PTA/PTSA - OR - elected by its general membership). The term of each commissioner shall be one year or until the selection of his successor.

Let Them Know It's Sponsored by PTA



- At Every Event
 - Display a banner
 - PTA tablecloth
 - Membership table
- QR code to MemberHub store in every newsletter

Special Committees



Special Committees

Sponsors	Fundraiser	Spirit Days
Box Tops	Membership	50 th Year of School Celebration

Article X

Section 5. The executive committee may create such special committees as it or this PTA/PTSA may deem necessary to promote the Purposes and carry on the work of this PTA/PTSA.

Section 6. Inasmuch as a special committee is created for a specific purpose, it automatically goes out of existence when its work is done and its final report is received by the executive committee.

Required Committees



Article VII, Section 6. The books of the Treasurer shall be reconciled annually by an auditor or an AFR committee of not fewer than three (3) members, who, satisfied that the treasury accounts are correct, shall sign a statement of that fact.

Article VI, Section 5, a. The nominating committee, which shall nominate an eligible person for each office for which elections are to be held, shall be elected by the membership of this PTA/PTSA at a general membership meeting prior to December 31.

Required Committees

AFR Committee

Nominating Committee

Election Committee

The Hierarchy of PTA



Local → Council → Region → State → National

National → State → Region → Council → Local

ARTICLE XI: Council Membership (Applies only to Local PTAs and PTSAs holding membership in a Council and must correspond to Council Bylaws.)

Section 1. This PTA/PTSA shall be represented on the voting body of the _____ Council of PTAs/PTSAs by the President or his alternate and the President-elect or his alternate (An alternate is selected from among their Local PTA/PTSA board.) and the principal or his representative.

Section 2. This PTA/PTSA shall pay annual Council dues of _____ per Local member, as provided in the Council Bylaws.

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Sponsors

