

PTA MEMBERSHIP & VOLUNTEER SIGNUP FORM

Child's Name: _____

Teacher & Grade: _____

Parent/Guardian Member 1: _____

Parent/Guardian Member 2: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email (please write clearly): _____

Amount enclosed: \$6 x ____ members + \$____ additional donation = \$____. (CASH ONLY, PLEASE)

Membership costs \$6 per parent/guardian member. Greenbelt Elementary PTA is a non-profit organization, so all donations are tax-deductible.

2008-2009 PTA Student Directory

The PTA publishes a Student Directory, which is mailed home to families. The directory is only distributed to school families. Participation is voluntary.

I/We **do not** want the following information included in the 2008-2009 PTA Student Directory:

All info Address Phone Email

Additional Information (such as cell phones): _____

PTA Volunteer Opportunities

I am willing to help the PTA with the following (please check all that apply):

- Events Committee: organizes events such as the Spring Fair, Multi-Cultural Dinner and book fairs
- Membership Committee: helps to recruit new members
- PTA Student Directory Committee
- Arts Committee
- Middle-Years Committee (building relations with/preparing students for middle school)
- Fundraising Committee
- Publicity: writing/editing articles/taking photos for the News Review, Gazette, etc.
- Maintaining PTA bulletin boards
- Copying flyers/stuffing folders etc.
- Grant-writing
- Teacher Appreciation Week
- Room parent: helping your child's teacher put up art work, organize field trips, etc. (please write your child's name, grade and teacher)

GREENBELT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PTA

Welcome to Greenbelt Elementary School! The Greenbelt Elementary School Parent Teacher Association (GESPTA) is a very active organization made up of parents, teachers and administrators at the school. Parent involvement is essential in children's education, and we hope you will join us at GESPTA meetings and participate in events and activities.

GESPTA Mission Statement

The purpose of the Greenbelt Elementary School PTA is to:

- a. Promote activities that enhance the joy and well-being of GES students and staff in a way that complements and enriches the learning environment;
- b. Advocate on behalf of students, staff and the school;
- c. Build community within the school, and enhance the relationship among the school, parents, and the wider community; and, encourage the community's investment of time, energy and money into Greenbelt's public schools.

GESPTA Website can be found at <http://greenbelt.com/gespta/>

GESPTA Email List

GESPTA has a group email list which allows members to post questions and join in discussions about GESPTA, the school, or education in general.

To join this list, send an email to greenbelt_elem-subscribe@yahoogroups.com or alternatively join yahoo (free) at www.yahoo.com, then go to http://groups.yahoo.com/group/greenbelt_elem to add your name to the group list.

To post messages to the group, simply send email to greenbelt_elem@yahoogroups.com

GESPTA Meetings are held the first Tuesday of every month from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. Meetings are usually held in the Media Center. Free babysitting is available in the gym.

