

OSSEO AREA SCHOOLS

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Cedar Island Elementary School

2018-19 School Year

Dear Parents and Guardians,

I am writing to invite you to consider becoming a volunteer at our school this coming year. The attached form is required for most volunteer assignments, including field trips and assisting in the classroom. So, even if you are not sure how or when you might volunteer this year, please consider filling out the form and returning it at your earliest convenience. If you need additional forms, they can be found on the Cedar Island website. For additional hardcopy forms, contact our Volunteer Coordinator, Barb Lindsay (contact information is below).

Parents and community members who volunteer their time and talents are essential to helping students meet our school's academic goals and advancing our district's mission: To inspire and prepare all students with the confidence, courage and competence to achieve their dreams; contribute to community; and engage in a lifetime of learning. District wide, more than 4,000 volunteers contribute nearly 150,000 hours of service annually, and we need your help to continue this tradition of community involvement in school.

In order to help ensure the safety of students, staff and volunteers, our school district has established a procedure for the way we place and support volunteers in their individual assignments. All school volunteers, regardless of school or assignment, will be required to:

Complete an application. Even if you are not sure whether or not you will volunteer this year, by filling out an application now, you will be ready to go for volunteer opportunities throughout the school year.

Sign in and sign out of the building each time you volunteer.

Wear a nametag during your volunteer service hours.

If you have any questions about volunteering in our school or the above safety and security features of our program, please contact our Volunteer Coordinator Barb Lindsay, lindsayb@district279.org, 763-315-7681.

Our goal is that you will enjoy the opportunity to share your time, talents and skills while helping students in our school succeed in school and in life.

Together we can support your successful volunteer involvement.

Sincerely,



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