

Methacton School District Volunteer Policy Review

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Agenda

- Definitions
- Classifications of Volunteers
- TB Test requirement
- Superintendent approval
- Raptor System
- Website Update

Policy Changes

Definitions

- Adult
- Certifications
- Direct volunteer contact
- Person responsible for the child's welfare
- Routine interaction
- Visitor
- Volunteer

Positions Volunteers

- Volunteer Organizations
 - Home and School members
 - Booster Club members*
 - Theatre Company
 - Post Prom – Actual event
 - Do Moore
- Chaperones
 - Dances
 - Field Trips
 - Fun Day/Field Day
 - Outdoor Ed
- Service Projects
- Building Helpers
 - Recess Monitor
 - Cafeteria Helper
 - Classroom Helper (class and parties)
 - Library Helper
 - Office Helper
 - Kindergarten Kid Writing
 - Reading and Mathematics Tutors
 - Watch Dog Dads
- Mentors/Coaches
 - Volunteer Coach
 - Mentor for Incubator

Guest Volunteers

- Activity Helpers
 - Ice Cream Social
 - Bingo Night
 - Fundraisers
 - Post Prom/Theatre production – Set up/Building sets/Pit
 - Book Fair/Holiday Shoppes
 - Sort donations and pack bags for Backpack program
- Concession Stand
- Presenters and Guests
 - Career Day
 - Assembly presenters or guests
 - Guest Readers
 - Guest lecturer for Incubator
 - Art Goes To School

TB Test Requirements

- Requirement as defined by the School Code
- Direct student contact
- Ten (10) hours per week or more

TB Language

- Positions defined as having direct student contact that need to be counted for TB eligible hours are the following:
 - Classroom helper
 - Recess volunteer
 - Cafeteria volunteer
 - Mentor
 - Tutor
 - Chaperone
 - Volunteer Coaches
- If you are filling any of the positions above for ten (10) or more hours per week, you will need to get a TB test

Superintendent Approval

- Gives the Superintendent or designee the authority to approve volunteers
- No longer need to be approved at a board meeting each month
- Will be done weekly following the completion of the volunteer requirements

Technology Upgrades

Raptor System

- Application
 - <https://apps.raptortech.com/Apply/NDU5MDplbi1VUw==>
- Volunteer requirements (clearances)
- Upload and management of clearances

Website Update

- Link: <https://www.methacton.org/Page/996>
- Defined Process
- Position volunteer examples
- Guest volunteer examples
- TB test information

Communication

- Communication with the public
 - Website
 - Social media
 - Flyers to Townships and LP library
- Communication with parents
 - SchoolMessenger
 - Social Media
- Communication with staff
 - Email

Questions

Thank you,
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