

Eight Great Reasons to Join the CLS PTO

1. Your child benefits.

Research shows that children whose parents are involved in their schools get better grades, do better on tests, and have fewer discipline problems at school.

2. There is a LOT to be done – We make a difference!

Schools are continually asked to do more with less. Our help is needed more than ever!! Our fundraisers help offset costs of classroom supplies, field trips, and more!

3. You'll get to know other parents who share your concerns and interests.

We have a common goal – creating the best possible educational experience for our children.

4. We can match tasks to your interests and abilities.

There are so many ways to contribute, some of which are sure to complement your strengths, interests, or professional skills. Many tasks can be done after school hours!

5. We pledge to honor your time constraints.

Joining a PTO and volunteering can seem daunting, but it doesn't have to be. Spend an hour at a plant sale or book fair, and your efforts will be appreciated! And it's always OK to say no when you're too busy!

6. Our fundraising efforts go to support many programs, events, and equipment.

Our PTO funds school-wide assemblies, field days, visiting authors, running club, and much more!

7. The work is rewarding.

Your child spends a lot of time at school. The PTO is a great way to get involved in their day and share school-related experiences with your child.

8. We have fun!

Volunteering shouldn't feel like a chore. Helping out at an event, whether it's a movie night or book fair, can bring a welcome change to your weekly routine and can be fun for the whole family!

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I would like to be a PTO Member!	
Your Name:	
Your Child's Name/Teacher:	_
Your E-mail Address:	