## Why Should I Volunteer at Westside?

"When do I have time to volunteer?" you ask yourself. "I'm too busy being a parent!" Volunteering is important for all of us. Volunteering at your child's campus may be one of the most important things you can ever do for your child. Why, you ask? Because it sends a very clear message to them (and other students) that you're devoting your most precious commodity — yourself — to something that's important to you — them and their education. It shows them you support them and their teachers, and that what they do matters to you.

## It's all about them.

We're talking about our teachers and staff... the very teachers and staff who nurture your child everyday throughout the school year. We need your helping hands and smiling faces on our campus to help lighten the load for our staff giving them more time in the classroom. We appreciate your time and talents!

## You're number one!

The number one reason people don't volunteer is because no one asked them. Well, we are asking for you to be involved! Your time and knowledge is needed and wanted by our staff and students. The diversity of our community and the experiences you can share with our students are valuable to us. Whether it's a little time or a lot – on campus, or at home – mom, dad or grandparent – WE NEED YOU. We could not do it without you!

## Get Involved Today!

Our volunteers are an extremely important part of Westside.

They perform different tasks, such as:

- Chaperoning field trips
- Helping in the library or office
- · Serving special lunches in the cafeteria
- Providing food for teacher appreciation luncheons
- Helping with school events like Book Fair, Carnival or Field Day
- Helping with school programs like Run Club, Westside Garden or Leader In Me
- Helping in the classroom
- ...and many more! Check out our complete list of opportunities!