



Middle School **Student Council** Application for Candidacy 2011-2012

Offices Available – job descriptions are posted on the Middle School Students page as “Student Council Documents”

Please review the job descriptions online and don't waste paper by printing them!

President	Community Service Chair	Vice President
Fine Arts Commissioner	Secretary	Boy's Representative
Treasurer	Girl's Representative	Publicity Chair

Requirements

- ❖ Student must be in good academic standing and be able to maintain this throughout the year.
- ❖ If elected, the student must be able and willing to enroll in Student Council class for a letter grade each quarter. This will be in place of your enrichment block.
- ❖ The student must remain in good behavioral standing, abiding by the Middle School Code of Conduct.

Campaign Timeline

Monday, May 2 (convo)	Students sign up for consideration to be a candidate
Monday, May 2 (class meeting)	Approved students receive applications
Thursday, May 5	Lunch meeting for all candidates in room 28 12:30pm
Friday, May 6	Completed applications to Mrs. Hudson by 3:15pm
Monday, May 9	Typed copy of speech due to Mrs. Hudson by 3:15pm
Weds May 11 - Fri. May 13	Campaigning
Friday, May 13	Speeches given in Campaign Center at 11:30am, voting directly afterwards in advisory classrooms.

Campaign rules:

- ❖ You must attend ALL election meetings and be on time.
- ❖ Approved publicity:
 - Posters hand-made on a poster board or computer generated flyers are the only approved campaign advertisements. You may post only 5 such items total!
 - You may not campaign using e-mail, regular mail, gifts or any other means other than the 5 posters or flyers. Campaigning will take place at SCHOOL only.
- ❖ Posters may be hung on Tuesday 5/10 starting at 3 p.m. You may only hang posters on middle school buildings - anywhere on Crimson Corner, Sillers Hall facing the field only, the gym facing the field only, and the gateway building facing the field.
- ❖ Posters must be hung with blue tape.
- ❖ You may not cover, deface or move anyone else's poster.
- ❖ All campaigning must reflect the qualifications of the candidate, absolutely no negative campaigning!
- ❖ All campaign posters must be taken down by 3:15 p.m. on Friday, May 13.
- ❖ Failure to comply by the above rules will remove the applicant from the election process.

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Statement of Candidacy

This form must be turned in to Mrs. Hudson no later than
Friday, May 6 at 3:15pm

Name _____

Office _____

Responsibility Pledge

As a candidate for an office on the Middle School Student Council, I pledge to be a responsible student and uphold the standards outlined in our Code of Conduct. I promise to be appropriate in all situations and be a good role model for the rest of the student body. I will act as an ambassador between the students and faculty to best represent everyone's needs.

Student signature _____

Parent signature _____