

"I know it is important to support my kids' school. But how do I get involved?"



Time and Talent

At Home

Stay up to date on what's happening in the classroom with your teacher's weekly letter

Stay up to date on what is happening school wide with the weekly update from the PTA. This information is also always available at westerlycreekpta.com

Read to and with your child at home everyday.

Help your child manage homework and complete on time.

Communicate with your child's teacher about your questions or concerns

In the Classroom

Attend Back to School night to be informed about the classroom

Be a room parent

Go on a class field trip

Sign up for a classroom job which includes coordinating parties, classroom cleanup, snack calendar, Teacher appreciation week, etc.

Ask your teacher how you can volunteer in the classroom or what other things they need help with.

Ask your teacher what items they need for their classroom that you could provide.

At the School

Come to Collaborative School Committee (CSC) meetings

Come to PTA meetings

Join the PTA

Participate in any of the activities at the school:

Welcome Back Class Lemonades
 Prospective Families Open House
 Welcome Packets/Brochure
 Teacher Appreciation Week
 Field Day
 Breakfasts for Staff meetings
 Lunches for Staff professional days
 Holiday Goodies for Staff
 Community Outreach and Support
 Newsletter and Weekly Update
 Coffee Talk
 Story Time
 Reading is Fun
 Scholastic Book Fair
 Math and Literacy Nights
 Art Shows
 Baby and Kid Stuff Sale
 Indoor Beautification
 Fall and Spring Spruce Up

Treasure



Your support:

- ✓ improves the student-teacher ratios by having paraprofessionals in every classroom
- ✓ Adds an art program not provided in the DPS budget
- ✓ Fills empty library shelves with books
- ✓ Prepares for updated technology
- ✓ Purchases additional classroom materials and programs for students

Main Fundraisers

Direct Giving Campaign
 Annual Golf Tournament
 Annual Auction

Other great ways to give

Grocery Certificates
 Box Tops for Education
 GoodSearch
 Original Works
 Spirit Wear
 School Supply Kits

For information on upcoming activities and fundraisers, stay tuned to the Weekly Update and check out www.westerlycreekpta.com.