

SCUSD Volunteer Registration Form

Thank you for your time and interest in becoming a Sacramento City School District Volunteer! As part of the pre-volunteer process, you are required to undergo a Fingerprint Background Check (BC--1) and have a TB clearance. **You are not authorized to volunteer on any campus until the mandatory requirements have been fulfilled and you have been notified.** If you will be a volunteer driver for any student activities, you must also complete the "Personal Automobile Use" form and fulfill the requirements of that process.

Personal Information

Last Name	First Name	Middle Initial	Date of Birth
Previous Names (maiden name, alias, etc.)			
Address	City	Zip	
Home Phone	Cell Phone	Work/Other	
Email Address			
School Sites Where I Will Be Volunteering: <i>Tahoe Elementary</i>			
In Case of Emergency Notify	Relationship	Phone number	
Place of Employment			
I am currently a Sacramento City Unified School District employee with fingerprints and TB clear on file.			
<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO			
Please bring your completed negative TB test to your site.			
<input type="checkbox"/> TB Clearance Attached – Valid Through: (Issuance date plus 4 years)			
<input type="checkbox"/> If necessary, X-Ray Clearance on file.			
<input type="checkbox"/> I have fingerprint clearance on file with the SCUSD HR Department. Year Completed			

I hereby certify that the information contained in this Registration Form is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and agree to have any of these statements checked by the District, unless I have indicated to the contrary. Furthermore, I release all parties and persons from any and all liability for any damages that may result from furnishing such information to the District as well as from the use or disclosure of such information by the District, or any of its agents, employees, or representatives. I understand that any misrepresentation, falsification, or material omission of information on this Registration Form may result in my failure to volunteer.

Signature of Volunteer

Heather Bennett

Date

8/7/23

***Signature of Site Administrator REQUIRED (print & sign)**

Date

SCUSD Volunteer Code of Conduct

As a Volunteer, Your Role and Responsibilities in the School Are Unique

Understand that your role is a supportive one. The teacher and principal are completely in charge. If the teacher leaves the room, the teacher in the next room assumes responsibility. You must not be left in charge of a classroom.

Remember volunteers are only permitted to work with students on school grounds and under the supervision of certificated staff. Have no outside contact with an individual student unless authorized by administration or parents.

Maintain student confidentiality at all times. Do not discuss any student with anyone except teachers, counselors, and volunteer coordinators.

Don't make promises you can't keep

Use good judgment and avoid any compromising situations. Work in a room with other people at all times. Never be left alone with one student out of view of other people. Always keep the door open. Always use adult bathrooms.

Strictly follow volunteer guidelines and discipline practices. Physical discipline is absolutely prohibited. Ask the teacher and volunteer coordinating staff for assistance with problematic student behavior.

Report immediately to a staff person any physical abuse or sexual exploitive behavior towards a student.

Don't engage students on any social media site, email, texts or take or show your picture or student's pictures/videos on your phone or other media devices

Volunteers Take Pride in Being Professional

Maintain a constructive attitude. Don't make negative comments about the school, its personnel or the students to other volunteers or individuals outside the school.

Be Prompt and consistent in your attendance. Teachers depend on volunteers and plan their work accordingly. Students depend on volunteers even more, especially on field trips. Notify your school as soon as possible if you are late or absent.

Keep an accurate record of your attendance by signing in each day you volunteer.

Dress and act professionally.

Establish and maintain good and frequent communication with your classroom teacher or volunteer coordinator.

Never be under the influence of drugs or alcohol when with students on or off school grounds.

Do not smoke on school grounds or at any time around students.

Do not lend money, contribute or solicit money for organizations while on school grounds.

Do not use the internet inappropriately by going to websites that are not conducive to a professional or educational environment.

Do not use cellphone in the classroom or at any time around students.

Health and Safety Are Always Important

Adhere to District, school, and classroom policies rules and regulations.

Refer any student in need of first aid or any type of medication to the teacher or front office.

Learn and follow fire drill emergency procedures and all school rules.

Notify the principal of any accident you had on school grounds. A written form must be submitted to the principal within 24 hours.

I agree to adhere to the above code of conduct at all times when I am a volunteer at a SCUSD school site or program. I understand that my volunteer status can be revoked at any time.

Signature

Site

Date

CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECK

FOR SITE/PROGRAM: Tahoe Elementary

Leather Bennett

SITE ADMINISTRATOR SIGNATURE

8/7/23

DATE

***Site Administrator's signature is mandatory to apply as a SCUSD Volunteer PRIOR to bringing packet to Serna Center.**

* BUDGET CODE: _____

IMPORTANT: This form is for **ALL VOLUNTEERS** or those working in programs where such screening is required. The prospective volunteer is instructed to bring this form, along with a valid California Driver's License or California Identification Card, plus their Social Security number to the Customer Service Specialist in the Serna Center in order to initiate the fingerprint and background check process. There is a fee of \$47 for this process. If the site is paying the cost, please add budget code above. If the volunteer is paying for the cost, we accept cash (only exact change), debit or credit card.

Prior to beginning any assignment, SCUSD Board policy requires that all volunteers be cleared to work by the Department of Justice.

I understand this requirement and **will not volunteer** with the District until clearance is received from the SCUSD Human Resources Office.

I have received a copy of the SCUSD rules and regulations for volunteers [BP1240 and AR 1240].

I hereby fully release and discharge the Sacramento City Unified School District, its officers, employees, agents and volunteers from any and all liability arising out of or in connection with this background check and all liabilities associated with and all claims related to this background check. For the purpose of this release, "liability" means all claims, demands, losses, causes of action, suits or judgements of any and every kind that arise as a result of the above named activity and resulting from any cause other than gross negligence.

Signature _____ Date _____

* If you need assistance with the fee of \$47, please contact the Tahoe front office.

CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECK

PLEASE PRINT

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Other names you have been known by: _____

Maiden Name: _____ DOB: _____

Home phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

A conviction may not necessarily disqualify you from the volunteer job for which you have applied. Convictions include diversionary offenses, or other offenses that have been plea---bargained, or for which you have pleaded no contest. Failure to reveal convictions is grounds for immediate termination. For security reasons, a screening will be done according to the level of volunteerism (See Volunteer Rules and Regulations).

References may be requested. Volunteer service may be terminated if service is unsatisfactory or no longer needed by the District. District policy is available on the website: www.scusd.edu

Have you ever been convicted of a felony or misdemeanor?

Yes _____ No _____

If Yes, please explain:

PHOTO RELEASE

I, _____, authorize the use of my photograph for school/district publicity purposes. I hereby fully release and discharge the Sacramento City Unified School District, its officers, employees, agents, and volunteers from any and all liability arising out of or connection with the use of my photograph and all liabilities associated with any and all claims related to such use of my photograph. For the purposes of this release, 'liability' means all claims, demands, losses, causes of actions, suits or judgments of any and every kind that arise as a result of the above described activity and resulting from any cause other than the District's gross negligence.

Signature: _____ Date _____

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