

STUDENT COUNCIL & CLASS OFFICER ELECTION PROCEDURES 2023-2024

Thank you for your interest in becoming a part of Student Council and/or Class Officers for the 2023-2024 school year. Please read the following information carefully as there are two separate categories, Student Council AND Class Officers.

The process for this year's elections will be as follows:

- Candidates must meet all eligibility requirements.
- Deadline to turn in a completed application: **Thursday, April 6th** (Return to the office)
- Elections will be held on **April 17th** for each grade level during Connect. There will be 4 Class Officers with additional Student Council candidates elected.

In order to be eligible for the ballot, all of the following requirements have to be met and approved.

- All candidates must have a cumulative GPA of a 2.5 or higher. This must be initialed by Mrs. Vogel in the HS office. (excludes 8th grade students running for Freshmen positions)
- Student Council Petition: Students must obtain 25 signatures from members of their class (**At least 5 need to be from teachers).
- The application packet must be turned in on time. No late applications will be accepted.
- **Statement Video (use Google Video) must be completed (45 seconds—1 minute in length).** Email video link to: kmiller@waynelocal.net

STATEMENT VIDEO SHOULD INCLUDE:

- Your name, the position you running for, and your grade next year.
 - In 45 seconds to 1 minute in length, use the following prompts:
 - If you are a current member** of Student Council, please tell us about what you feel you have done for the class as a representative and what your goals are for next year as a student council member.
 - If you are going to be a new member**, tell about what you plan to do for the class.
 - If you are running for Class Officer**, tell about your vision for the class, and how you plan to contribute to that effort.
 - If elected, what is your goal for the year? Will you try to address any issues? Do you have a plan or intention as to why you want to hold this position.
 - *These will be viewed prior to the voting on the day of election.*
 - Be professional and remember, these must be attainable goals.*
 - IMPORTANT: No use of songs or any other copyrighted material.**
- **Failure to complete any part of this application, will result in a disqualification.**

APPLICATION PACKETS DUE NO LATER THAN **THURSDAY, APRIL 6th**

STUDENT COUNCIL ELECTION RESPONSIBILITIES

Meetings are held during ETEH at the end of the day. You must have transportation to get to these meetings. If you have more than 3 unexcused absences, you will be dismissed from Student Council. If you are more than 5 minutes late, it will count as an absence. It is your responsibility to sign up for the REMIND texts.

As an officer or member of Student Council, you will be responsible for a minimum of 8 hours of community service for the year.

Student Council will sponsor several events during the year that you will be required to participate in two of the events. Example of such events are listed below...

- Semi-Annual Blood Drives
- Canned Food Drive
- Veterans Day Program
- Assistance with any other fundraising efforts, such as Split the Pots
- Teacher Appreciation Week Committee
- Special Fundraisers

I have read and understand the above member responsibilities. I fully understand if I fail to meet any of the requirements, I will be dismissed from Student Council and will not be permitted to run the next school year.

_____ I'd like to run for membership in Student Council .
_____ I'd like to run for a Class Officer Position (choose one from below)
_____ President _____ Vice President _____ Treasurer _____ Secretary
_____ I am a returning member of student council and am in good standing with the group on both community service hours and participation. <i>(initial here if it applies)</i>

Student's Printed Name

Parent's Printed Name

Student Signature

Parent Signature

Office Signature

Cum. Grade Pt.

PETITION FOR 2023-2024 School Year

Name: _____

Desired Position: _____

For the Class of: _____

**Please use shaded boxes for your Teacher signatures.*

Classmates signatures should be from your **current grade level.*

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