

Want to make a difference in your child's BGS experience? Volunteer to be a

# HOMEROOM PARENT

## So what does a Homeroom Parent do for their class?

Homeroom Parents duties include:

- organizing and running **four class parties** during the year
- assisting with the **Thanksgiving Feast**
- **attending PTO meetings** and sharing important information with the teacher and other parents (you may take turns attending the PTO meetings, but at least one Homeroom Parent from each classroom should attend each meeting *or find an alternate to attend from the class*)
- **collecting class fund monies**
- **communicating** with the teacher
- **sharing information** with your class about class activities and any additional messages from the PTO

## How many Homeroom Parents are needed?

Each class can have up to **3 Homeroom Parents** - we'll hold a lottery for those classrooms where we have more than 3 volunteers to randomly select the homeroom parents.

## I have multiple kids at BGS - can I be a Homeroom Parent for all of them?

If you have more than one child in the school, you may submit your name for each class. *However, you will only be allowed to be Classroom Parent for one of the classrooms.* You can be listed as a "helper" for the other(s) if space allows.

## Do I need to be a Stay-At-Home Parent to volunteer for this?

*Absolutely NOT!* We have volunteers of all kinds - while some are home full time, many work full or part time. So long as you can commit to helping with the plans laid out by your Homeroom Parent team, we can make it work! Once Homeroom Parents are selected, you can work with your team to divide responsibilities and play to each others strengths and availability.

## When would I start?

We'll select Homeroom Parents via lottery on Wednesday, Sept. 25. You'll be notified and then provided information to share with your class during Back to School Night on Oct. 3.

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IN?

## HERE'S WHAT YOU CAN DO NEXT:

- **Sign up online here:** <http://bit.ly/BGSRmPrt2019> by **Mon., Sept. 23**
- **Join us for a MANDATORY information session, "So You Want to be a Homeroom Parent?" on Tues., Sept. 24 at 6:30** to make sure you know what you're signing up for.
- *Contact our Homeroom Parent Coordinators, Jenn Winchock (77poohgirl@gmail.com) or Sally Bartlett (sally6178@gmail.com), if you can't attend.*