

# 2025-2026 PTSA Student Council and Student Officer Positions



## What is PTSA?

PTSA is an organization where students work with parents and the school administration to create a welcoming, fun, and safe school environment. The PTSA oversees the school memory book and organizes activities like Red Ribbon Week, Spirit Week, and the School Variety Shows!

Any student can apply to be a part of the MCMS PSTA Student Council!

**\*\*Involvement in MCMS 2025-2026 PTSA is a year-long commitment. \*\***

Students who are applying for a position in the PTSA will be required to do work outside of school hours for the memory book, stay after school from time to time, and show excitement for group morale.

**The PTSA Student Council is in search of students who are...**

- Reliable
- Organized
- Self-motivated
- Trustworthy
- Responsible
- Creative
- Fun
- Innovative
- Driven and hardworking
- Academically proficient

# Applying Information

The PTSA is in search of the best of the best to help accomplish a great school year! Please complete the following to be considered for next year's PTSA Student Council.

1. Parent and Student Signature:

Please read through the enclosed PTSA Student Requirements with your parents. Discuss with your parents if you'd be a good fit to the PTSA Student Council for the 2025-2026 school year and if you'd be willing to comply with the requirements and responsibilities if you were chosen to be a part of the PSTA Student Council. If you both agree, please sign the PTSA Student Requirements sheet and return it to Ms. Araujo on the day of your interview.

2. Short Answer Essay:

Complete **ONE** of two essay prompts. If you are a returning student, please complete the "Returning PTSA Student" options and if you are a new student applying to be a PTSA member, please complete the "New PTSA Student" options. Students should use complete sentences and answer your chosen essay question to the best of their ability. Once completed, please return it to Ms. Araujo on the day of your interview.

3. Teacher Recommendations:

Have **THREE** of your teachers fill out a Student Recommendation based on your class attitude, class participation, class work, and leadership skills **BEFORE** the day of your interview. It will be your responsibility to ask three teachers to fill out the digital recommendation form.

**\*If you are in 6th grade, please have your current classroom teacher complete this survey.**

4. About Me Poster:

You need to create a digital "WECLOME BACK TO SCHOOL" poster. Programs like Adobe Express and Canva would work great for your poster! This poster will be one way to showcase your creativity, personality, and hard work to create something from scratch. You will be graded on your creativity,

clarity, and overall presentation. Please email Ms. Araujo at [daniela.araujo@jordandistrict.org](mailto:daniela.araujo@jordandistrict.org) with your final poster **BEFORE** your interview.

5. Interview:

You will sign up for an interview time slot on **TUESDAY** May 6th OR **WEDNESDAY** May 7th, between 3:10-4:00. Interviews should take around 5-8 minutes. Ms. Araujo, a member of the Mountain Creek Administration, and current 9th-grade PTSA students will interview you on one of these days at your assigned time in Ms. Araujo's classroom, 2703. Please be prompt and wear clothes that fit the occasion.

Please bring your Parent and Student Signature and Short Answer Essay. Your digital About Me Poster and teacher evaluations should be done **BEFORE** your interview!

**\*\*Students will be notified on Friday, May 10th, if they will be a part of the 2024-2025 school year PTSA Student Council on a list that will be posted on the wall outside the front office after school.**

***\*\*Needed Student Positions for 2024-2025 School Year\*\****

9th Grade: 6 Students

8th Grade: 6 Students

7th Grade: 6 Students

Total of 18 Students

*If you don't make it, please consider applying again for MCMS PTSA Student Council!! Thank you ALL for applying and wanting to get involved in MCMS PTSA Student Council!*

# PTSA Student Requirements

Looking forward to next year, the PTSA Student Council is looking for dedicated students who are willing to work hard to help create a welcoming school environment at Mountain Creek Middle School.

Student and Parent, please read together the expectations and requirements for the PTSA Student Council during the 2025-2026 school year.



The PTSA is an organization where students work with parents and the school administration to create a welcoming, fun, and safe school environment. Any student can apply to be a part of MCMS PSTA Student Council. We are looking for students who are reliable, organized, self-motivated, trustworthy, responsible, creative, fun, innovative, driven, and hardworking. If your student is interested in being a part of the PTSA Student Council, they will need to commit to a year of working alongside the Mountain Creek Middle School PTSA.

Students applying for a position in the PTSA will be asked to...

- Attend monthly meetings after school
- Attend school activities
- Give up time in TA for PTSA Student Council meetings and responsibilities
- Follow all school rules
- Maintain a 3.0 GPA average. *(If you fail to maintain the 3.0 GPA you will be placed on probation for the following quarter. If at that time you are unable to bring your GPA to a 3.0 you will be removed from the group.)*
- Maintain good citizenship (No N's or U's)
  - *Probation will be enforced for one quarter*
- Complete work **outside** of school hours for the memory book
- Stay after school once a month
- Show **excitement** for MCMS school spirit

*\*\*Probation Clause- If you do not follow the MCMS School Rules, maintain 3.0 GPA, or maintain good citizenship, you will be placed on probation for one quarter. Probation will consist of no student participation in all/any group activities. If you are unable to maintain a 3.0 GPA, you will be removed from PTSA.*

*\*\*Suspension Clause- If you are suspended as a result of school rules infraction you will be placed on probation for one quarter. If you are suspended due to a safe school violation (weapons, drugs, illegal activity, etc.) you will be removed from office.*

# PTSA Student Application

**\*\*Please fill out and return with your interview.\*\***

Check one statement:

       I understand the responsibilities, requirements and expectations to be a part of PTSA Student Council including staying after school once a month, and will do my best to follow them to the best of my ability. I understand that my failure to do so may result in the termination of my responsibilities. I am willing to abide by these rules.

       I am not willing to abide by the rules set forth by Ms. Araujo to be a part of the PTSA Student Council.

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

## PTSA Student Information Sheet

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Student School Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade (2025-2026): \_\_\_\_\_ T-Shirt Size: \_\_\_\_\_

Allowed to use Remind App on phone for group reminders (circle): Y/N

Parent's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Email: \_\_\_\_\_

# New PTSA Student

Essay Prompts (\*\*Please fill out and return with your interview.\*\*)

## Directions:

Students must complete **ONE** of the following two essay prompts. Please use complete sentences and answer the chosen essay question to the best of your ability. Once completed, please return it to Ms. Araujo on the day of your interview.

Essay #1	Essay #2
Describe. In your opinion, what makes a good leader? What qualities do you have that would qualify you as a great leader?	Explain. What is the purpose of a group like PTSA and how do you think you'd fit into it?

I will complete essay #\_\_\_\_\_

# Returning PTSA Student

Essay Prompts (\*\*Please fill out and return with your interview.\*\*)

## Directions:

Students must complete **ONE** of the following two essay prompts. Please use complete sentences and answer the chosen essay question to the best of your ability. Once completed, please return it to Ms. Araujo on the day of your interview.

Essay #1	Essay #2
Describe. Reflecting on your time in PTSA last year, what is something you did well at and something you want to change for this year? Include specific details on how you will accomplish this task.	Explain. What are you going to do next year (if asked back) to bring up the group morale, spirit, and effectiveness? Include specific details on how you will accomplish this task.

I will complete essay #\_\_\_\_\_

# Teacher Evaluations

Please cut out the boxes below. Fill them out with the teacher names you'd like to ask to complete an evaluation in behalf of your character and work ethic.

Sign each paper with your name. Hand each slip of paper to the three teachers you've chosen. Please instruct them to fill out the evaluation **before** Wednesday, May 7th at 3:30 pm.

Dear \_\_\_\_\_,

I'm applying to be a part of the 24-25 PTSA Student Leadership Team. Will you please complete a short survey in my behalf about my class performance and my leadership skills?

Please use this link to take the survey. It needs to be completed before 3:30 pm on Wednesday, May 7th.

<https://bit.ly/MCMSinterview25>

Thank you for your time,

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