

Selecting Nominees

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The responsibility of the nominating committee is to select the best-qualified available person for each office. Submitting more than one nominee for an office is not advisable. If the committee should select two names for the same office, each nominee for that particular office must be advised and informed of the name of the other nominee.

Students who are willing and have the time may serve as officers in the PTA/PTSA. According to California's Corporations Code and civil law, a student may serve in any PTA/PTSA office. All officers, adults and students alike, must perform duties of the office as outlined in the bylaws.

Nominee Requirements

Nominee:

- Must be a PTA member for at least 30 days at the time of the election;
- Must support the Purposes and basic policies of the PTA and recognize that PTA is an effective organization working for all children and youth;
- Should have effectively carried out previous PTA and/or other organizational responsibilities;
- Should have knowledge of the organization and its role in the school and community;
- Should be willing to give PTA priority and commitment including attendance at meetings;
- Must be fair and objective and concerned for the well-being and best interests of the PTA; and
- Must understand the importance of effective teamwork.

No member shall be eligible for the same office for more than two consecutive one-year terms or hold more than one elected or appointed office.