



75 Morton | MS 297 NYC

Looking to Get Involved?

2018-2019

Volunteer! It's fun! It's important! Each year the PTA organizes numerous community-building and fundraising events to support and augment the education of every 75 Morton student. There is something for everyone, whether you are at stay-at-home parent, part-time freelancer or full-time worker. The general time frame for each job is indicated in parentheses. **Please check whatever interests you and return this form to the 75M volunteers wearing yellow welcome stickers.**

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Student Name: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

- PTA Executive Board** – We've got two Member-at-Large slots reserved for new parents. Consider serving on our EB, where you can run a committee and really shape the school culture & community (*year round*)
- School Leadership Team (SLT)** – We've got one slot reserved for a new parent. This is your chance to contribute to the school's infrastructure & policies, including the Comprehensive Educational Plan (*year round*)
- Class Parent** – Limited to 1 per class. Class parents help foster community within the class, keep fellow parents informed, attend PTA general meetings and volunteer for PTA events. (*year round*)
Please note that we often have more requests than we are able to accommodate.
- Fundraising Committee** – Help us come up with new and creative ways to raise money for the school, including the October Bowl-a-thon, Theater Benefit, SoulCycle charity ride, bake sales, etc. (*year round*)
- Community Building Committee (Fun-raising!)** – The heart and soul of our school is its community. Brainstorm new traditions, activities and rituals to forge a cohesive, tight-knit community, like the fall picnic, Halloween party, Spring Dance, Career Day, Talent Show, Fun Fridays, Adult Book Club, Creative Writing Spa for Adults, etc. (*year round*)
- Annual Auction & Party** – A big, fun evening out in the Spring with cocktails, bites, a silent and live auction – PLUS an online Auction. This is the biggest, most important fundraiser of the year. From soliciting donations to organizing the auction, everyone's help is needed. (*Dec-Apr*)
- Yearbook** – Work with 75M teachers & students to assemble our end of the year keepsake. Assemble photos, help design & layout, aid in production. It's a big job - and the results are so worth it! (*Jan - May*)
- Communications / Website** – The PTA maintains our website, alongside the school, and is responsible for communicating important info to families via our weekly newsletter. Let your inner marketer free... (*year round*)
- Audio / Visual** – From helping to stage special events – concerts, talent shows, screenings – to occasional need for filming/photographing, to advising on equipment purchases, we need your input. (*year round*)
- Building Beautification / Transition** – We've got a big, beautiful building to fill. Help us move in, arrange furniture, decorate, and just generally make the place feel cozy! (*Aug - Dec*)
- Graphic Design / Signage / Merchandise** – We've got a terrific logo, designed by a Morton parent – but we're always looking for folks to help us adapt the basic elements for signage, merchandise, promo materials, etc. (*year round*)

*** **If you volunteered at your child's elementary school, what did you do? What other interests/expertise do you have that might help our community?**
