



Parkside Elementary



Welcome to the 2022-2023 School Year!

This packet contains your introductory PTO information.

WHO IS THE PTO?

The Parkside Parent Teacher Organization (PTO) partners with parents, students and staff to enhance our children's educational and social experience at Parkside Elementary School. Thanks to the overwhelming support of Parkside families, the PTO has provided funds for social events, assemblies, field trips, instructional materials, teacher allowances and more.

To learn more about us, go to our **website at www.parksidepto.com**.

PTO COMMUNICATIONS – Purple Paper, ParksidePTO.com, Email, Facebook & Twitter All our paper communications will come home on PURPLE paper. Please look for these purple papers in your child's book bag throughout the year. Keep up-to-date on current PTO happenings on our

Website: parksidepto.com or email us at ParksidePTORiverside@gmail.com. You can also follow us on Facebook and Twitter where we post many notifications and reminders. www.facebook.com/weareparkside and on Twitter @ParksidePTO. To receive emails, please join the PTO to be the first to hear new information.

WHY JOIN?

We encourage all parents/caregivers to become a PTO member and help throughout the year. You do not have to be a member to volunteer or attend any of our events, but your membership contribution helps us fund many of our activities throughout the year. **All members will receive an email with any new information prior to us posting to social media and sending information home, which means first dibs on volunteer opportunities and access to events.** You will also be included on any surveys we are looking for feedback on.

Volunteering at the school with and for your child can be rewarding. We are hopeful this year will reflect a more normal school year and volunteer opportunities will arise throughout the year in school and at events.

*****JOIN BY FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 2021 TO RECEIVE A FREE GIFT*****