



October Volunteer Opportunities

Please e-mail Kim Stevens at <u>kim.stevens@bearcreekschool.com</u> with any questions or to express interest in volunteering.

Volunteer Opportunity: Bulletin Board Assistant. Volunteers are needed to assist with the cutting and preparation of Bulletin Board materials.

Volunteer Opportunity: K-Kids/ Builder's Club Materials. Volunteers are needed to assist with the cutting and preparation of materials for the K-Kids and/ or Builder's Club.

Volunteer Opportunity: Virtual Guest Reader. Volunteers are needed to video record themselves reading a story, which can then be emailed to a teacher to share with the class.

Volunteer Opportunity: Box Top Receipt scanning. Volunteers are needed to assist with the scanning of receipts.

Volunteer Opportunity: Telephone Calls to Legislators. Bear Creek Community Charter School is seeking a handful of parent volunteers to make weekly phone calls to elected officials in Harrisburg, delivering a message in support of public charter schools. This is a two-hour commitment for one day a week, or every other week. You can make the calls from home, or you can come to the school to make the calls. The only thing you need is time, pleasant voice, and a telephone (unless you come to the school and use our telephones). Calls must be made Monday through Friday between 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. We will provide you with the names and telephone numbers of the offices to call, along with a script of just a few lines. All you have to do is make the call, tell them you are a parent of a charter school student, and recite the script. Since you will be talking to an office staffer, they will normally just jot down the message and thank you for your call. If you are interested in volunteering to make calls, please send me an e-mail at jim.smith@bearcreekschool.com and include:

- 1. Your first and last name.
- 2. Your telephone number.
- 3. Your e-mail address.
- 4. What day of the week works best for you?
- 5. Will you make calls from home or come to the school?

Once we begin this campaign, we will send you an e-mail with instructions, script and a list of elected officials and their telephone numbers. When you are done, you will send me an e-mail confirming how many/who you reached.

Volunteer Requirements: All volunteers must complete and submit a Volunteer Application as well as Pennsylvania State Police Criminal Background Check and a Pennsylvania Child Abuse Clearance. Please visit the school's web site at *www.bearcreekschool.com* and select "Parents" to learn more about the volunteer application and clearances that are required.