

PALS Application 2023-2024

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

APPLICATIONS DUE:	WEDNESDAY February 15, 2023
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Step 1. Fill out the information below.

Step 2. Have teachers complete confidential recommendations.

Step 3. Turn in all forms.

Upon receiving all of your forms on time, you may be contacted to schedule an interview.

Name:	Student ID #:
Cell Phone:	Class of:
Email:	
What language(s) do you speak OTHER than English?	

Current Class Schedule:

	Class	Teacher		Class	Teacher
1			5		
2			6		
3			7		
4			8		

1. Write 3 words that you feel best describes your personality:

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2. What are 3 words your TEACHERS would use to describe you in class?

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3. What clubs/teams/activities are you or have you been involved with at the school or in the community?

Do you have a job? If so where?	

4. What experiences have you had in working with children or with your peers? What have you learned about yourself and about kids through your experience?

5. What is your biggest strength and weakness & WHY?

Strength:	Why:
Weakness:	Why:

6. Why would it be important for a PAL to follow all school rules and policies?

7. Give 1 detailed example of how you've shown your leadership skills in the past 6 months.

8. Explain in detail why you want to be a PAL.

PALS CONTRACT

PALS is a TEA approved course, local credit, which focuses on mentoring at risk students at the elementary schools. PALS will travel to the elementary campuses within the MFISD district and mentor students on those campuses.

PALS agree to:

- Attend all classes regularly and punctually.
 - Be honest and maintain integrity.
 - Be respectful to all teachers and peers.
 - Be in School Dress code when visiting campuses
 - Follow rules in the Student Code of Conduct.**
- Be tobacco, alcohol, and drug free.
 - Maintain passing grades in all classes.
 - Attend to PAL(s) during assigned time.
 - Keep and promote a positive attitude.
 - Be a positive role model.
 - NOT have an EPIC placement while being a PAL**

- I have read and understand all PAL requirements listed above. Failure to disclose any needed information to my potential PAL sponsor may result in non-admittance to the program.

-I Understand any EPIC placement will be cause for removal from the PALS program and /or any future consideration

Applicant Name:	
Signature:	
Date:	

Parents/Guardians:

The PALS program will allow your student to work with students needing personal and academic assistance. Please sign below if you give your child permission to be considered for the PALS program. It is important to discuss the impact and responsibility that comes with being a mentor with your child and to understand that this program is not to be taken lightly. Please do not look at this program as a resume builder for college; it is about the relationships and the positive influences that are made.

Parent/Guardian

Date

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Teacher Recommendation

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Teacher Name:	
Date Received:	

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Rate This Student in the following categories (1-5)
 {1 = Lowest 5 = Highest}

Trust Level with others		Leadership	
Emotional Maturity		Cooperation	
Listening		Academic Integrity	
Dependability		School Attendance	
Self- Discipline		Self - Confidence	
Ability to work w/ minimal supervision			

Overall Recommendation (Please Circle One)

- | | |
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| Strongly Recommend | Recommend |
| Recommend with reservation | DO NOT recommend |

Please write a short paragraph about this student including personal characteristics and potential. Use the back of this sheet as needed. We value your thoughts! Thank you!

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