

Maine School Administrative District #15
 14 Shaker Road
 Gray, Me 04039

Please check all schools that you have
 or will apply to be a volunteer:

- Memorial School
- Russell School
- Dunn School
- Middle School
- High School

VOLUNTEER APPLICATION FORM

**THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS REQUESTED TO HELP US COORDINATE
 VOLUNTEER SERVICES AND TO ENSURE STUDENT SAFETY.**

Legal Name: _____

Physical Address: _____

Telephone: _____ E-mail Address: _____

Emergency Contact: Name _____ Telephone: _____

Date of Birth (required for background check): _____

Area(s) of interest for volunteering: _____

Children in School: (Names and Grades): _____

Volunteer's Employer (if applicable): _____

List any education, training, or experiences you have which would help us in meeting the needs of our students: _____

References: List three persons who can comment on your character and abilities whom we may contact if we have questions.

Name	Address	Phone	Relationship
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

BACKGROUND:

The following information is asked of all individuals who volunteer to work with our children to help insure the safety of our students.

	YES	NO
Have you ever been charged with or investigated for sexual abuse or harassment of another person?		
Have you even been convicted of a crime (other than a minor traffic offense)?		
Have you ever entered a plea of guilty or "no contest" to any crime (other than a minor traffic offense)?		
Has any court ever deferred, filed or dismissed proceedings without a finding of guilty and required that you pay a fine, penalty or court costs and/or imposed a requirement as to your behavior or conduct for a period of time in connection with any crime (other than a minor traffic offense)?		

If you answered YES to any of the previous questions, provide full details below, including with respect to court actions, the date, offense in question, and the address of the court involved (attach additional page(s) if necessary). Conviction or other disposition of a crime is not necessarily an automatic bar to volunteering.

If you have lived outside of Maine, please identify the states and dates:

Refusal to provide authorization for criminal records and reference checks, or providing false or misleading information on this application shall constitute sufficient reason to deny the application or to terminate service as a volunteer.

I understand that the District performs Criminal Record checks on all volunteers who work in the schools. In addition, the District may check references if it believes it is warranted in a particular case. I authorize persons and entities contacted by the District in connection with this application to provide information about me. I expressly waive in connection with any request for or provision of such information, any claims, including without limitation, defamation, emotional distress, invasion of privacy, or interference with contractual relations that I might otherwise have against the District, its agents and officials or against any provider of such information. I understand that if I am approved as a volunteer, that I will be required to sign a Volunteer Agreement. I further understand that the District reserves the discretion to deny my application or terminate my service as a volunteer any time it is deemed to be in the best interest of the District.

Applicant Signature

Date

OFFICE USE ONLY

- _____ Application reviewed for completeness
- _____ References checked (attach documentation)
- _____ Criminal record checked (documentation on file at Central Office)

Application approved: _____

Application denied: _____

Date: _____