

Mannion Mustangs

Student Body Officer Application

(for current 7th grade students only)



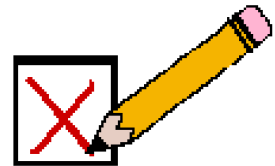
I, (Name) _____ officially file this application for the Mannion Student Council office indicated below for the 2019 - 2020 academic school year. I understand that I must maintain a 3.0 GPA and have no “failing” academic and/or “unsatisfactory” citizenship grades and have no disciplinary problems with the Dean’s Office in order to remain a member of student council. Grades will be checked quarterly to verify that student leaders are in good standing.

I understand that to be an eligible candidate for student government, this application must be completed by Tuesday, April 30th and returned to Mrs. Lundberg (Room 806) by 2:30 pm. If elected to office I agree to diligently fulfill all duties and responsibilities which are incumbent upon those who are entrusted to serve in student leadership positions. I also agree to attend student council meetings on Monday, Tuesday, and Thursdays from 2:15-3:15.

Check the Office for which you wish to be a candidate...

Student Body Officer Positions

- ☐ Student Body President
- ☐ Student Body Vice President
- ☐ Student Body Secretary
- ☐ Student Body Treasurer
- ☐ Student Body Historian



With this completed application you must also submit the following items:

1) A brief essay explaining the reasons you consider yourself to be a good candidate to serve as a student council member at Mannion MS... please include any service organizations that you have been involved with in addition to any leadership experience you have...

2) Two letters of recommendation from adults in our community who will confirm that you are a responsible and respectful person and would handle well the added responsibilities of being a student leader...

NOTE: One letter can be from a parent; the other must be from someone who is not a family relative...

Your Name: _____ Signature: _____
Parent Name: _____ Signature: _____
Phone Number: _____ Parent Email Address: _____
Student Email Address: _____

Election Schedule



ELECTION FOR

STUDENT BODY

OFFICERS

1. Candidate must currently be in 7th grade (and zoned for Mannion for the 2019 - 2020 school year) and must complete the "Student Government Application" by Tuesday, April 30th
2. Campaigning will occur on Mannion campus Monday, May 6th-Thursday May 9th ... Students may campaign using posters, buttons, etc... Each candidate will be responsible for clean up of all campaign materials at the end of the election...(By Friday, May 10th)
3. Voting will occur during all 6th & 7th Grade Science/Social Studies classes on Thursday, May 9th
4. Any 7th grade student who runs for a Student Body Officer position and is not elected into office will automatically be eligible to run for an 8th grade class office next September if he/she so desires (you will not be required to fill out the application information all over again next September if you choose to run for an 8th Grade Class Officer position but you must inform Mrs. Lundberg of your decision by Tuesday, May 21st)

IMPORTANT: Read carefully all rules for campaigning on page 3 of this packet...

You and your parents will receive an email on May 2nd if you have been approved to run for a student body officer position. Should you have any questions regarding student body officer elections please contact Mrs. Lundberg at lundbrl@nv.ccsd.net or 702-799-3020

Election Week / Campaign Guidelines

- * Posters may be displayed throughout the campus from Monday, May 6th through Friday, May 10th. Posters may be displayed in the hallways and classrooms of the 6th, 7th and 8th grade sections of the campus as well as inside the cafeteria... It is recommended (not required) that you hang posters on the orange-colored “corkboard” material that is high up on the hallway walls in the 6th, 7th, and 8th grade wings... Mrs. Lundberg has 2 ladders in room 806 that you may borrow for hanging campaign materials... (Posters may NOT be displayed INSIDE of restrooms)... You may use staples(NO STAPLE GUNS), push pins, or tape to hang your posters...

Each candidate is limited to a maximum of 20 large posters (standard poster board size) and 30 “mini-posters” (8.5 X 11) ...
- * All campaign posters must be neat and "readable" and cannot be put over another candidate's posters... You MAY NOT use the name of another candidate in any way on campaign posters, badges, etc... Any candidate who willfully damages posters of another candidate will be disqualified from the election...
- * All candidates MUST submit a list of the campaign slogans / statements that will be used on your posters... This list is due by 2:30 pm on Tuesday, April 30th... You can bring your list to Mrs. Lundberg in Room 806 ... Slogans or “campaign promises” on posters or badges cannot be in conflict with school or district policies...
- * If you would like to display your posters inside of classrooms you must first seek and obtain the permission of the teacher... Most teachers will be willing to allow you to display election posters in their classroom...
Campaign materials may NOT be placed on student lockers...
- * You must put up your campaign materials on your own time... not class time... Mrs. Lundberg will be on campus at 7 am each day of campaign week for assistance (Room 806)... Parents may assist their child with hanging campaign posters before or after school only (not permitted during the school day)... Parents must check in at the main office and obtain a visitor's badge...
- * Stickers MAY NOT be passed out as campaign items... unfortunately, past experience has shown that many of the stickers end up on lockers, desks, and other school property... It is permissible for you to print out stickers and then stick them onto note cards and then give them to students to pin onto their clothing... Use of GLITTER is also prohibited... There is NO LIMIT on the number of business cards, buttons, badges, and flyers you distribute during campaign week...
- * Using any food items as campaign material is prohibited... (Soda Pop, Candy, etc...)
- * Purchased items (such as tee shirts, pencils, toys, etc...) may not be distributed to other students as part of the campaign process...
- * Each candidate is responsible for removing all campaign materials no later than 3 pm on Friday (the day following Thursday's voting)...
- * Violation of any of the above rules could result in disqualification of the candidate. If you are not sure of something... please ask !

Good luck with your campaigning... We look forward to forming an excellent student council organization for the 2019 - 2020 school year !!!

Checklist of Items

Turn in on April 30th

- ☐ first page of application sheet
- ☐ brief essay
- ☐ two letters of recommendations
- ☐ campaign slogans