

I'm interested in serving on Trenton High's
School Advisory Council

Name: _____

Address: _____

City _____ Zip Code _____ Phone _____ Cell: _____

Understand that by completing and returning this application:

- You agree to run for a vacant position as a parent, teacher, staff member, student, or community representative on the School Advisory Council for THS (see note below)
- If elected, you will receive notification of meetings by phone or e-mail. Notifications of meetings will be posted on the THS website.
- Your attendance at every meeting is expected for continued membership.

Signature _____ Date _____

Note: SAC membership is voted on, and newly elected members will be notified prior to the next meeting. tear along here

Trenton High School
1013 North Main Street
Trenton, Florida 32693



SAC NEEDS YOU!

This council, which meets monthly, assists in making recommendations on how our school operates. This council's membership is comprised of elected teachers, parents, staff, students and community members.

- Are you interested in what goes on at school?
- Would you like to have a voice in the decisions that are made to improve our school?
- Are you willing to commit to attending eight meetings during the school year for approximately 1 hour.

If you answered yes to the above questions, then you are just the person we are looking for to serve on Trenton High's School Advisory Council. Complete the attached Interest Form and return to our main office. For more information, contact our principal at (352) 463-3210.

Note: You can also nominate someone who you think would be a good fit for one of these roles!

Gilchrist County Vision Statement

To continually provide high performing schools that include diversified experiences to all students so that they exit college and / or career ready, are productive, contributing citizens, and have an appreciation for and willing to serve their community.

Trenton High School
**School
Advisory
Council**



Mission Statement

To empower students to become contributing members of society by developing positive growth mindset of life-long learning through a rigorous and relevant school environment.

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Additional Information

- Attendance at meetings is mandatory. Any elected member with two consecutive, unexcused absences must be removed from the membership roster.
- The School Advisory Council operates in the Sunshine. Transparency is key. Meeting agendas including any items to be voted on must be shared at least three days in advance with all SAC members.
- Any action involving the expenditure of SAC funds must be voted on.
- Any action involving the School Improvement Plan must be voted on.
- Voting cannot occur unless a quorum is present.
- A quorum is defined as a majority of the membership roster.



WHAT IS SAC?

By law, every school in Florida must have a School Advisory Council (SAC). This council consists of teachers, support personnel, parents, and community members. Fifty-one percent (51%) of the council must be parents and/or community members not employed by the school.

ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

SAC Members:

- Are actively involved in developing their school's mission.
- Approve bylaws that govern how SAC business is conducted.
- Assist in the preparation of the school's annual budget.
- Decide how to spend the SAC fund to meet the School Improvement goals.
- Examine all aspects of their school when developing the school improvement plan (SIP).
- Approve submitting any charter district waivers for school board approval.
- Decide jointly with school staff how to spend Florida School Recognition (A+) funds if awarded by the state.
- Determine and prioritize the needs of the school.
- Assist in recruiting and retaining other SAC members.
- Participate in efforts to encourage support for the goals and activities of the school.

To: TRENTON HIGH SCHOOL

Attention: Principal

RE: SAC Membership