



# Kramer Lane PTA

Dear Kramer Lane Families:

We are so excited to kick off the new school year. The Kramer Lane PTA is looking forward to another year filled with exciting events and activities for our children and families.

There's no better way to understand and be a part of what's happening in your school district and to be a part of your child's education than to become a member of the PTA. The power of the PTA is in its membership. The PTA improves education, health, and safety for every child and our voice is more powerful with each additional member.

Studies have shown that students do better when parents are involved. Teachers and administrators know the importance of education and recognize that a strong partnership between themselves and the parents is equally vital to the success of students. Each of our fabulous teachers has committed to joining our PTA. Let's see if each of our parents can as well. Don't forget Moms, Dads, grandparents, other family members, and members of the community can all join. The more diverse our membership is, the more experience we can pull from, the better we serve our children!

Below are some great reasons why everyone would want to be a PTA member. The PTA enables you to:

- Tap into a NETWORK. PTA functions are opportunities to meet other parents and teachers, building rapport and discussing issues that are on your mind. You can share ideas, concerns, and experiences.
- Watch Yourself GROW. By volunteering with the PTA, you put your skills and hobbies to use for a noble cause—your child and all children in the community.
- Speak Up. PTA can be a way for you to more effectively suggest, support, and drive change at your child's school. By getting involved at your child's school you'll be part of the solution by helping to make positive change.
- Be a ROLE MODEL. By becoming a PTA member, you'll be demonstrating to your child the importance you place on education and their academic achievement.
- Enjoy Substantial benefits. Individuals and local units can take advantage of a host of benefits from PTA membership including discounts and offers from member benefit providers and sponsors, magazine subscriptions, leadership training, e-newsletters and much more. Go to the following web-site to see all the benefits of membership. [http://pta.org/member\\_benefit\\_providers.asp](http://pta.org/member_benefit_providers.asp).

In addition to those benefits, here at Kramer Lane the PTA provides valuable activities and services for the children, including author visits, cultural arts events, community service events, science club, family events such as family science night and family fun night, reading programs, scholarship program, celebrations such as the Field Day picnic and Halloween festival, class celebrations and more. We encourage both parents to join. Your membership helps fund these events and activities.

Please send your membership dues in your child's backpack to PTA Membership Committee. Thank you for supporting your Kramer Lane PTA.

Sincerely,  
PTA Membership Committee

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**Please support your PTA by becoming a member. Make your check payable to Kramer Lane PTA.  
Dues are \$9.00 per person.**

Family Name (Parents First & Last): \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_ Teacher \_\_\_\_\_

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Number of Memberships (one per parent recommended) \_\_\_\_\_ Total Amount Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

***THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING KRAMER LANE PTA***