

# Volunteer Opportunities for Sloat Parents for 2010-2011

There are so many ways to participate in your child's education! We've compiled a list of volunteer opportunities for you to take a look at.

If you have any questions, or you really want to claim one of these jobs before someone else does, contact our incoming VP Volunteers Cristina Gruta at [cgruta@gmail.com](mailto:cgruta@gmail.com) and Anne Lowell at [annemariefeld@yahoo.com](mailto:annemariefeld@yahoo.com)

## **Easy, ongoing jobs at school:**

- Copy & collate school newsletter
- Coordinate Wednesday envelopes
- Coordinate electronic opt-out for Wednesday envelopes
- Be responsible for stuffing Wednesday envelopes
- Be a room parent!
- Adopt-A-Book coordinator/helper
- Work in the library, shelving, bar-coding, or helping with classroom visits
- Help monitor lunch recess
- Provide oral Chinese or Spanish translation at meetings or events
- Take a Valet Drop-off shift one morning a week
- Sell Sloat t-shirts at events!
- Be an event photographer
- Coordinate event photograph sales
- Help coordinate after-school enrichment classes
- Help with cultural assemblies: Chinese New Year, African American Heritage, Cinco de Mayo
- Coordinate popcorn sales
- Help to coordinate our Scholastic Book Fairs
- Help coordinate hospitality at our special events
- Help coordinate Cash Appeal Campaign
- Copy & collate special projects
- Train volunteers on the RISO copy machine
- Help to coordinate the hanging and removal of art work in the halls

## **Ongoing jobs you could do from home or on weekends:**

- Edit school newsletter
- Coordinate room parent program
- Do Chinese or Spanish translations for flyers/newsletters, etc.
- Be the webmaster for [sloatparents.org](http://sloatparents.org)
- Coordinate the Valet Drop-Off program
- Coordinate eScrip, Box Tops for Education, or OneCause
- Represent Sloat at the enrollment fair

## **Seasonal jobs:**

- Lead Fall school tours
- Coordinate/help with staff appreciation lunches
- Work on the Scholastic Book Fair
- Help with the Cash Appeal campaign
- Help with school portraits (get a free picture package!)
- Help with the pumpkin patch or haunted house
- Work on the holiday food drive
- Help with the holiday catalog sale
- Help with the holiday sing-along
- Help with our walk/jog-a-thon, Sloat Stride: accounting, pledge packets, water table, prizes, or take a shift the day of.
- Work on Art Cards program
- Help with Adopt-a-Book program for our Library
- Help with the Talent Show

Help the Sloat group prepare for the downtown Chinese New Year's parade  
Help with the Rainbow-A-Fair festival: games, prizes, raffle, food, entertainment, or take a shift the day of  
Help plan the silent auction, and/or solicit donations  
Work at a Clean Up, Green Up, or help plan one of them!  
Help in your child's classroom: cleaning, reading, tutoring, copying, field trips, book orders, etc.  
Help coordinate 5<sup>th</sup> grade activities such as overnight field trip, graduation  
Help with our Kindergarten Welcome Day in August  
Help with our Kindergarten Assessment Day in the Spring 2011

**Have fun! Make friends! Make a difference in your child's school experience!**