



2019-2020 Washburn High School Site Council Recruitment Form

The Washburn High School Site Council is recruiting members for the 2019-2020 school year!

What is the Site Council?

The Site Council is a group of **staff, parents, students, and community members** who provide support and advice to the Washburn High School administrative team and represent the Washburn community at school events. The Site Council is responsible for working on behalf of Washburn's common good and for all students.

Who can serve on the Site Council?

Any parent, student, staff member, or community member who supports the mission and vision of Washburn High School is eligible to serve. The Site Council seeks members with diverse backgrounds, cultures and interests. We strive to keep a balance of members based on feeder school, ethnic backgrounds, and grades of students represented. Overall membership is limited based on our by-laws.

When does the Site Council meet and what is the time commitment?

The Site Council meets monthly at Washburn **on the 2nd Thursday of each month** during the school year (September-May) from **4:30-6:00pm**. Meeting times are subject to change based on the group's needs.

Time commitment:

- Attend monthly meetings (9-10 meetings depending on budget planning)
- Volunteer at least two school wide events during the school year as a representative of Site Council for the purpose of connecting with the greater WHS community and promoting the work of Site Council

How can I become a member of the Site Council?

If you would like to join the Washburn Site Council, please fill out the recruitment form on the next page. **Please consider carefully if you can commit to attending the monthly Site Council meeting** and if you are open to fulfilling the 2 year term. We do prioritize creating a membership that represents our study body.

Paper forms can be sent by postal mail to Washburn High School or scanned and sent by email to:

Mike Wedl, Site Council Co-chair

wedlx002@umn.edu

How does the selection process work?

Completed application forms must be received by **August 31, 2019**. Members will be selected by a nominating committee made up of Washburn's Principal and two current Site Council members. Keep in mind we strive to have a diverse membership including trying to balance members from our different feeder schools. New members will begin serving in the Fall 2019.

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Name:	
Address:	
Phone Number:	
Email:	

Are you?	Staff	Student	Current Parent	Community Member
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➤ If you are a parent or community member, where did your child attend elementary school?

- Barton
- Burroughs
- Green Central
- Hale
- Lyndale
- Other (Please Specify): _____

➤ If you are a parent or community member, where did your child attend middle school?

- Barton
- Field
- Justice Page
- Other (Please Specify): _____

➤ What grade(s) will your student(s) be in next year? _____

➤ Please let us know if you have a particular passion for:

- Academics
- Arts
- Athletics
- AVID
- Advanced Academics (IB, AP, etc.)
- English Language Learning
- Equity
- Special Education
- Support Services
- Other (Please Specify): _____

➤ Do you speak a language(s) other than English? Yes No

If yes, which language(s)? _____

Would it help you to have a interpreter at Site Council meetings? Yes No

[See questions on next page]

1. Why do you want to be a member of Site Council?

2. In what ways do you see the Site Council supporting diversity and inclusion at Washburn?

3. Please share your interests, activities or experiences that you feel may be relevant to serving on Site Council. *(Keep in mind we are actively recruiting members who represent diverse cultural, socioeconomic, and/or other underrepresented groups to serve on Site Council.)*