

## **The PTSA Difference**

The Washington Mathematics Science Technology Parent Teacher Student Association (WMST-PTSA) has with its formation given opportunity to the creation of a parent/school partnership that will lead to outstanding student scholarship. PTSA's work for students through membership meetings that resolve problems and support teachers; additionally, members volunteer for WMST school events, attend workshops on parenting and become informed on issues regarding children. Our goal at WMST is to create a closer relationship between home and school and to support an environment in which WMST parents and teachers may cooperate efficiently in the education of their children. To accomplish these goals WMST-PTSA will team up with our head of school, teachers, business leaders and community groups in an effort to bring resources to our school.

**The name of our organization says it all: Parent Teacher Student Association.**

**Our philosophy is welcome to a new beginning with our WMST-PTSA!**

WMST PTSA membership includes parents, teachers, and students. For new school parents, we give a warm welcome and encourage them to join our big family. This goal is the special focus at our yearly "Back to School Night," a night in which many parents join our organization.

As for parents of continuing students we make them feel welcome with the open door policy of our WMST administrators, the willingness of teachers to accommodate parents with one on one student/teacher/parent conferences and a capable and knowledgeable staff that indeed makes every attempt to cater to parent request.

Our Parent-Teacher-Student Association's goal is to create a bridge between home and school. Moreover, our hope is that our partnership with our parents will pool a wealth of knowledge, talents, and skills that will help us to educate our youngsters.

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