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## Join an Ohio PTA Committee Today!

Are you interested in doing more to help Ohio’s children and families succeed? Would you like to become involved on the state level? Consider becoming a member of one of these state committees. Committees meet 3-4 times per year via free conference calls. For more information, contact the respective Ohio PTA Director or Board Member.

- **Advocacy** – Aids the Director of Advocacy in implementing the advocacy efforts of the Ohio PTA as it applies to monitoring the legislative bodies that make policy for education and other children and family issues.
- **Communications** – Works with Director of Communications to implement a communications plan for Ohio PTA and carry out public relations efforts to bring about awareness of Ohio PTA and its programs.
- **Diversity and Inclusion (Mosaic) Committee** – Ensures that local PTAs are inclusive, making each family feel invited and valued and that each family has a sense of belonging; and creates programs to educate leaders and members on the needs, cultural beliefs, traditions and family structures of the population they serve.
- **Education** – Aids the Director of Education in carrying out efforts to provide Ohio PTA members with information about changes in education practice and news about progress of education reform.
- **Family-School Partnership** – Assists the Director of FSP in providing members with information about how to involve the general citizenry in education efforts and how to help children and families have productive and rewarding lives. Also assists with implementation of National PTA **National Standards for Family-School Partnerships**.
- **Health, Welfare & Safety** – Aids the Director of HWS in providing the members with information about health, safety and welfare issues regarding children and families.
- **Leadership** – Assists the Vice President of Leadership in planning leadership conferences, reviewing and recommending updates to the Gold Key Leadership Program, and assisting with leadership development of PTA leaders. (Must at least have 2nd Step Gold Key Award to be member of this committee.)
- **Membership** – Assists the Director of Membership in developing a membership campaign and strategies for reaching membership goals.
- **Reflections** – Contributes ideas for encouraging participation and assists the Director of Family-School Partnership in organizing the entries for display for the judging. The committee will assist in organizing the annual display of winners at the Ohio PTA Convention and at other venues where they might be observed.

### Complete information below and submit to Ohio PTA:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Committee(s) of Interest:

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