



Dear Prospective Volunteer,

Have you or your organization ever sought out an opportunity to make a huge impact within the Pasadena community? Have you ever had a desire to really make a **tangible** difference in the lives of children with far-reaching effects? Did you know that studies have shown that math and early numeracy skills are the greatest academic predictors of educational and future career success?

It is for these reasons that the African-American Parent Council of Pasadena Unified School District has created the **Math Power Hour (MPH)** in conjunction with the PUSD, the United Teachers of Pasadena, Reading Partners, and Pacific Oaks College. During the school day volunteers will assist with providing 1st and 2nd grade students of PUSD a firm and fundamental understanding of early math concepts, as well as fostering confidence and a positive attitude towards math.

So, we are calling all education advocates and compassionate members of our community to volunteer during the 2019-2020 school year! We are looking for individuals who believe in equitable access to education for all students, and who believe in the potential of PUSD students to thrive.

The process is simple:

- Sign up to volunteer
- Let us know your availability during the school day Monday - Friday
- Acquire clearance
- Attend an orientation
- Assist in a 1st or 2nd-grade classroom-during the math hour
- Commit to 1 school year minimum (October 2019- March 2020)
- Prepare to change the course of children's lives

Interested? Please follow this link and fill out a [Questionnaire](#) and an MPH volunteer will reach out to you shortly with next steps. We are embarking on an amazing journey to assist our children and we would love to have you join us.