Since before Meridian even opened its doors on August 30, 2011, parents just like you have volunteered their time and talents to make a huge, positive impact on our school. Parents who volunteer feel connected to the Meridian community, and they teach their children about service by taking action to continually improve our school. Whether you would like to be on campus or help from home, we offer a variety of volunteer opportunities to fit your interests, skills, and availability. We encourage every parent to **DO YOUR 20!** That’s 20 hours of service over the course of each school year.

**Q:** What is Volunteers in Partnership?
**A:** Volunteers in Partnership is the name given to our school’s parent group by the Meridian administration. Meridian truly appreciates our volunteers and knows that we are a crucial partner in our school’s success. Volunteers in Partnership supports Meridian with many projects and events, including fundraising, maintaining the playground and garden, planning and hosting social functions, and many other activities. We also support teachers and staff by helping with the morning car line, library visits and cafeteria duty.

**Q:** Who is Volunteers in Partnership?
**A:** You! Every Meridian parent is automatically a member, and extended family members are always welcome to get involved. You have the flexibility to determine which volunteer opportunities work best for you, so please jump in and start making a difference!

**How will you do your 20?**
Q: How do I get started as a volunteer?
A: Any one of these will get you started:

- Watch your email for the News for Parents from the Volunteers in Partnership newsletter. This monthly newsletter includes current news and volunteer needs. It’s distributed through email by the school the first Thursday of every month and is also published on the Volunteers in Partnership portion of the school website.

- Visit the Volunteers in Partnership website at http://www.mwschool.org/vip. Current Volunteer needs can be found under the Volunteer Now section on the right column.

- Attend Parents’ Meetings. These meetings allow parents to find good-fit volunteer opportunities, discuss parent topics, hear updates from admin, and connect with other Meridian parents. Our first Parent Meeting of the year will be held on September 3. Save the date!

- Contact a Volunteers in Partnership leader:
  Lisa Griffin - jeanielisab@yahoo.com
  Kimber Fuccello - kfuccello@gmail.com

UPCOMING VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES:

- Car Line Assistance
- Primary Cafeteria Duty
- Organize a high school or middle school dance
- Movie Night Hosts (K-2nd and 3rd - 5th)
- Library Assistance
- Marquee Update

Interested? Want more information?

Visit MWSchool.org > Volunteers in Partnership > VOLUNTEER NOW

Thank you in advance for making our the next year the best year yet!!!