Huaxia South Chinese School "President's Volunteer Service Award" Regulations

Huaxia South Chinese School is a non-profit organization which has been officially authorized to verify volunteer service time for volunteers and to award the United States "The President's Volunteer Service Award" (PVSA). (For more information about the award, please visit the official website www.presidentialserviceawards.gov).

The campaign aims to encourage people, especially the younger generation, to actively serve the community and work together to create a better learning, work, and living environment. Under the leadership and supervision of the principal and the school board, the TA director is responsible for validating and applying for the work of school volunteers.

The school will guarantee the process with the principles of fairness, openness and impartiality. Students and adult volunteers (U.S. citizens or green card holders) who are over the age of five can apply. The review is conducted once a year and applications start at the beginning of a new school year, with registration ending at the end of October. Volunteers who sign up should register their personal account on the official PVSA website and connect to the school account by the ROS KEY provided by the school at the time of registration. The school establishes a file for each volunteer who has signed up and tracks the volunteer's service time within a year. The school completed its review in September of the following year.

If the registered volunteer reaches the following required service hours within 12 months, Huaxia South School will apply for the corresponding President's Volunteer Award for the volunteer at his request.

Hours by Award	Bronze	Silver	Gold
Kids (5-10)	26 – 49	50 – 74	75 +
Teens (11–15)	50 – 74	75 – 99	100 +
Young Adults (16-25)	100 – 174	175 – 249	250 +
Adults (26 and older)	100 – 249	250 – 499	500+
Families and Groups*	200 – 499	500 – 999	1,000+
President's Lifetime Achievement Award: Individuals			
who have completed 4,000 or more hours in their			
lifetime			
* Two or more people, with each member			
contributing at least 25 hours toward the total			

The calendar year for PVSA at Huaxia south school runs from September 1 to August 31 of the following year. Applicants who have served at least two-thirds of Huaxia South open weeks or 40 school service hours during the application year are qualified for the award application, and each time their school service is based on the school's official check-in record.

For volunteer service hours outside Huaxia South School, the applicant is required to provide the corresponding supporting documents signed by the volunteer organization or responsible person.

The community volunteer service activities at Huaxia South school include:

- 1. Participation in teaching: all unpaid teaching, the class time can be credited to the community volunteer service time
- 2. Teaching assistants: All unpaid teaching assistant hours can be credited to the community volunteer service time
- 3. Participation in school Spring Festival Gala, graduation ceremony, talent show and community activities (such as Track and Field Game, Mind Sports Tournament, Huaxia Debate, Multi-Cultural Day, Marlboro Day, Senior Day, Marlboro Parade, etc.) performances or services, the time can be credited Community volunteer service activity time.
- 4. Other school activities: participating in Huaxia South related activities, such as fund-raising, bazaar, the time can be credited to the community volunteer service time.

The school will recognize the winners at the year-end general meeting and award certificates and medals.

All members of the board of directors of the school are reviewed and approved. In the process of implementing the Articles, the members of the board have the right to make comments on the amendments to the articles of association. The board of directors shall promptly convene a plenary meeting to discuss the amendments.

In the course of the implementation of this regulation,

Huaxia South Chinese School Board

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