

Dolphin Ambassador Application

The Dana Hills High School PTSA Dolphin Ambassador Program is searching for responsible, motivated, caring, and empathetic student leaders who will volunteer to serve as tour guides, role models, and mentors to new and current students at DHHS. Confident social skills are needed as you will interact with new students to ensure their proper transition into DHHS.

If you are interested in becoming a Dolphin Ambassador, please:

Check us out on Instagram: @dolphinambassadors

1. Fill out this application thoughtfully and save as a PDF. *Feel free to type your responses.*
2. Save your current transcript as a PDF. Grades are not a determining factor, but we expect students to have at least a 3.0 or B- average.

You can visit <https://www.danahillspta.org/dolphin-ambassadors> STEP 3 for help with saving your AERIES transcript.

3. Email your application and transcript to dolphinambassador@gmail.com. If you have any questions or need help with converting your application to a PDF, please feel free to reach out to the above email address.

All Dolphin Ambassadors are required to be members of the Dana Hills High School PTSA.

*****Qualified applicants will be contacted within two weeks.*****

Name:

First

MI

Last

Home Address: _____

Grade: _____ Member of PTSA? _____

Personal Email address: _____

Contact Number: Home: _____ Cell: _____

Middle School you attended prior to DHHS: _____

Are you currently on academic or disciplinary probation? Yes ____ No ____

Do you speak another language besides English? _____

Are you a member of any clubs or sports? If not, what hobbies or activities have you been involved in this past year? (Please list)

Describe some of your personal qualities and/or experiences that will help you be a tour guide, mentor, and role model to other students at Dana.

Are there any other skills or talents you can offer Dolphin Ambassadors? Skills or talents can involve public speaking, technology skills such as graphic design, organizational skills, etc. Please describe any skills or ideas that could enhance our program.

Are you able to arrive at Dana Hills 30 minutes before school begins to give a new student tour? **Y** or **N**

Are you willing to invite that new student to sit with you and your friends for lunch at Dana Hills? **Y** or **N**

If you have a zero period, are you willing to miss part of your class time to meet a new student? **Y** or **N**

Many of our ambassadors have a zero period, so we ask that each ambassador accepts one counselor tour request per semester. *

How did you learn about our program? If one of our current ambassadors encouraged you to join, please let us know who. 😊

I grant permission to be contacted by the PTSA for the PTSA Committee to review my academic and disciplinary records in order to verify accuracy of the information on my application.

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Dolphin Ambassador Declaration of Commitment

School Year: _____ (example: 25/26)

I attest that I:

- Am a member of DHHS PTSA. (Please join at DanaHillsPTSA.org).
- Will volunteer at Registration and New Student Orientation in August.
- Will participate in Dolphin Ambassador (DA) lunchtime activities and social events.
- Will have no more than 2 "unexcused" absences from monthly meetings or events per semester. (Unexcused absences are defined as absences that were not cleared or otherwise excused by a DA advisor prior to the event or meeting.)
- Will promote DA events and help incoming students become more engaged in DHHS.
- Will represent Dolphin Ambassadors in a responsible and professional manner at all times. If determined by the school to have not acted in such a manner, you will be asked to leave the DA program.
- Will commit to volunteering a minimum of 10 school or community volunteer hours per semester. DA tabling, DA tours, and DA lunchtime or afterschool volunteering events can go towards this goal. Hours are to be logged into the Helper Helper app, applied to the Dolphin Ambassadors Featured Goal, and must be validated to receive volunteer credit.
- Commit to at least one academic year with the Dolphin Ambassador program.
- Recognize that being selected as a Dolphin Ambassador is a privilege and honor. Students volunteering 2 years or more (40+ hours of service applied to the Dolphin Ambassador Featured Goal) will be awarded a medal of recognition at the Senior Awards ceremony for their service. If I fail to fulfill my DA obligations and commitments, I may be asked to leave the Dolphin Ambassadors organization.
- Will check for communication from DA daily (i.e. texts, emails, HelperHelper app, Remind app, GroupMe app or any other communication methods used by Dolphin Ambassadors).
- Grant permission for the PTSA Committee to review my academic and disciplinary records to verify accuracy of the information on my application.
- Grant permission to be contacted by the PTSA for interviews and for my name and photo(s) to be used in media articles for PTSA related events.

Student Name (printed): _____

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Name (printed): _____

Parent/Guardian **email** address: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____