

Connections Student Council-Introduction

Thank you for showing interest in the Connections Student Council. We look forward to an outstanding year led by student leaders who consistently promote responsible and respectful behavior. We are seeking highly motivated, hardworking, reliable students to serve Connections families and staff and our community through service projects and outreach opportunities.

Serving on the Student Council means being in a position of leadership; therefore, members need to be willing and able to plan, organize, advertise, prepare, and carry out many activities, both individually and collaboratively, for the good of the Council and the Connections Program.

The two primary goals of the Connections Student Council are to assist the staff with events and activities and to serve our community through outreach projects and service.

Student Council members are expected to attend meetings, assist with activities, and positively represent Connections in our community. Meetings will be held every 6-8 weeks, and the activities will be discussed and planned during that time.

Application Process

1. Fill out the Application Form completely. Incomplete applications will not be considered.
2. Request two letters of recommendation. You may use the form provided or you may submit written letters.
3. Sign the Student Council Permission Form.
4. Submit the completed application packet to Wendi Dutcher wdutcher@kpbsd.k12.ak.us at Connections.

Connections Student Council-Application Form

Student's Name _____ Grade Level _____

Student's Phone Number _____ Student's Email _____

Connections Advisor's Name _____

Parent/Guardian's Name _____

Parent/Guardian's Phone _____ Email _____

How long have you been a Connections student? _____

Activities/Sports/Extra-Curriculars/Interests (use another sheet if needed):

1. _____ Length of Participation _____

2. _____ Length of Participation _____

3. _____ Length of Participation _____

4. _____ Length of Participation _____

5. _____ Length of Participation _____

Community Service (use another sheet if necessary):

1. _____ Length of Participation _____

2. _____ Length of Participation _____

3. _____ Length of Participation _____

Please answer the following, and attach them to this application for submission:

1. Introduce yourself-Who are you? What makes you unique?
2. Why would you like to be part of the Connection Student Council?
3. What top three qualities do you possess? How can these qualities strengthen our Student Council and benefit our community?
4. How are you a role-model to your peers?
5. Share an example of a time when you served in a leadership role or spent time helping others.

Connections Student Council-Letter of Recommendation Form

Thank you for your willingness to submit a letter of recommendation for this Connections student. We are looking for students who are willing and able to serve our community, so your feedback is invaluable.

Please rate this student as accurately as you can using the criteria below; any additional comments would be greatly appreciated.

Student's Name _____ Grade level _____

How long have you known this student? _____ In what capacity? _____

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| 1. Motivation | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 |
| 2. Ethics | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 |
| 3. Respect for others | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 |
| 4. Kindness | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 |
| 5. Works collaboratively | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 |
| 6. Works independently | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 |
| 7. Academic achievement | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 |
| 8. Role-model | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 |
| 9. Community reputation | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 |
| 10. Service-minded | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 |

Overall Evaluation: Below Average Average Above Average Exemplary

Comments?

Your Name _____

Contact Phone Number or Email _____

Student Council Permission Form

Student Name _____

Student Phone _____ Parent Cell _____

Emergency Contact _____ Phone _____

Student Email _____

Parent Email _____

Allergies _____

Student Behavior Expectations

For the good of all involved, students are expected to behave respectfully, kindly, and safely while representing Connections Homeschool Program and KPBSD positively at all times. Members need to make every effort to attend the meetings and participate in the scheduled activities. Students who choose not to behave appropriately or participate will be removed from the Connections School Council.

I have read and understand the expectations.

Student's Signature

Date

I have read and understand the expectations. My child has my permission to participate in the Connections Student Council.

Parent's Signature

Date