



Application for Newton Falls Middle School Student Council



Name _____ Grade _____ Homeroom _____

Position: Class Representative

List a few of your ideas and goals for Student Council.

Explain why you want to be a part of the Newton Falls Middle School Student Council.

Student Signature _____ Date _____

Parent Signature _____ Date _____

Homeroom Teacher _____

Newton Falls Middle School Parents and Students:

I am excited to announce the formation of The Newton Falls Middle School Student Council! Student Council gives students the opportunity to develop leadership skills, experience the democratic process, plan and perform service projects to benefit the school and the community, and encourage and maintain a cooperative spirit within the student body.

Who:

1. The Newton Falls Middle School Student Council will consist of four class representatives from Third Grade, six representatives from Fourth Grade and six representatives from Fifth Grade.

- These representatives will be elected on Election Day, Friday, September 28, 2018. The students receiving the majority of votes will be the class representatives.

2. A student who wishes to be a candidate for the student council should:

- *Be a good citizen – follow all school rules.**
- * Be a hardworking responsible student.**
- * Get along well with other students and adults.**
- * Be excited about helping our school and community.**
- * Be able to attend the meetings.**



When & Where:

Student Council meetings will take place during the lunch/recess period about twice a month. However, it may be necessary to have some meetings after school for an hour in Mrs. Thompson's homeroom. This is different from the last few years, where all meetings were after school. I am going to try to have them during the lunch/recess period to alleviate the interference of after school activities; however if this does not work, we will have to go back to having meetings after school.

How:

Students who are interested in serving on the Student Council must fill out the attached application form and turn it into his/her homeroom teacher by Friday, September 21, 2018. Please note that a parent must sign the application.

Posters may be hung the week of September 24 on blank wall space in their respective grade level hallway or classrooms. Each student may have no more than three posters. Use common sense when creating campaign posters. Make sure all posters are **school appropriate**. Be sure

to ask Mrs. Thompson or your homeroom teacher, if you are unsure. All posters need to be taken down the day after elections.

Each class representative will give a short speech to their respective grade level on Friday, September 28, 2018 before elections.

I look forward to accomplishing wonderful things within our school and community as I work together with the student leaders at Newton Falls Middle School.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Thompson

Student Council Advisor

