

(To be posted on campus and read on daily bulletin for a two-week period)

**PALOS VERDES PENINSULA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**STUDENT MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION**

Any student interested in applying for the student member seat to represent his/her school on the Palos Verdes Peninsula Unified School District Board of Education may pick up an application form in the Activities Office. The term of office is for a period of one year, beginning July 1, 2021, and running through June 30, 2022. The application deadline is Friday, May 14, 2021. Interested applicants will be invited to appear before a school selection committee. Copies of Board Policy 9150 and other materials concerning the position are also available for review in the Activities Office.

**2021-2022 STUDENT MEMBER OF THE  
PALOS VERDES PENINSULA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT  
BOARD OF EDUCATION**

**APPLICATION FORM**

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NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ HOME PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ GRADE: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Street) (City) (Zip Code)

1. What is your grade point average? \_\_\_\_\_
2. List the extra-curricular activities in which you have participated in any elected or appointed offices you have held in high school:  
(a) Activities: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(b) Elected or Appointed Office(s): \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
3. Are you a candidate for any elected or appointed office next year? (specify office) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
4. What characteristics, background, or experience do you have that make you especially qualified for this position? (be specific) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
5. How did you become interested in this position and what are your major reasons for applying? (be specific) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
6. List any references that may be contacted about your background/qualifications:  

<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>	<u>TELEPHONE #</u>
1. _____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____
7. Have you ever attended a Board of Education meeting?    ☐-Yes    ☐-No

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7. Have you ever attended a Board of Education meeting?      Yes      No

## Palos Verdes Peninsula

### Board Bylaw

#### BB 9150

##### Student Board Members

The Board of Education believes that engaging the student body and seeking its input and feedback regarding the district's educational programs and activities are vital to achieving the district's mission of educating district students. To enhance communication between the Board and the student body and to encourage student involvement in district affairs, the Board shall include at least one student Board member selected by the district's high school students in accordance with procedures approved by the Board.

The term of a student Board member shall be one year, commencing on July 1 of each year. A student Board member shall have the right to attend all Board meetings except closed (executive) sessions. (Education Code 35012)

(cf. 9321 - Closed Session Purposes and Agendas)

A student Board member shall be seated with other members of the Board. In addition, a student Board member shall be recognized at Board meetings as a full member, shall receive all materials presented to other Board members except those related to closed sessions, and may participate in questioning witnesses and discussing issues. (Education Code 35012)

(cf. 9322 - Agenda/Meeting Materials)

A student Board member may cast preferential votes on all matters except those subject to closed session discussion. Preferential votes shall be cast prior to the official Board vote and shall not affect the final numerical outcome of a vote. Preferential votes shall be recorded in the Board minutes. (Education Code 35012)

(cf. 9324 - Minutes and Recordings)

A student Board member may make motions that may be acted upon by the Board, except on matters dealing with employer-employee relations pursuant to Government Code 3540-3549.3. (Education Code 35012)

A student Board member shall be entitled to be reimbursed for mileage to the same extent as other members of the Board but shall not receive compensation for attendance at Board meetings. (Education Code 35012)

(cf. 3350 - Travel Expenses)

(cf. 9250 - Remuneration, Reimbursement and Other Benefits)

##### Student Board Member Development

As necessary, the Superintendent or designee may, at district expense, provide learning opportunities to student Board members, through trainings, workshops, and conferences, to enhance their knowledge, understanding, and performance of their Board responsibilities.

The Superintendent or designee may periodically provide an orientation for student Board member candidates to give them an understanding of the responsibilities and expectations of Board service.

Legal Reference:

#### EDUCATION CODE

33000.5 Appointment of student members to State Board of Education

35012 Board members; number, election and terms; pupil members

#### GOVERNMENT CODE

3540-3549.3 Educational Employment Relations Act

Management Resources:

#### WEB SITES

CSBA: <http://www.csba.org>

California Association of Student Councils: <http://www.casc.net>

National School Boards Association: <http://www.nsba.org>

Bylaw PALOS VERDES PENINSULA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

adopted: September 23, 2002 Palos Verdes Estates, California

revised: February 28, 2008

revised: October 27, 2011