

Dear Prospective Volunteer,

Thank you for your interest in volunteering at the Washington School for the Deaf. Volunteers play an important role at WSD and are highly valued by our school. As WSD's Volunteer Coordinator, I will help place you in an appropriate volunteer position, based on your interest and experience, available hours and ASL skills. We welcome all ASL skill levels, from beginners to native signers.

Please complete and return the attached application to Washington School for the Deaf - Attn: Volunteer Center, 611 Grand Blvd. Vancouver, WA 98661.

Once you turn in your volunteer application, I will schedule an orientation date approximately one week after your application has been received. This will give us time to check your references and run a criminal background check. During the orientation, we will discuss an appropriate placement. It is my goal that the volunteer's experience is an enjoyable and educational one, which is why the right placement is extremely important.

If you have any questions, please contact me. I can be reached at (360) 696-6525 ext. 4361 v/tty or Email: sharon.caton@wsd.wa.gov.

I look forward to working with you.

Sincerely,

Sharon Caton Volunteer Coordinator