

2018-2019 PVHS "A-Team" Link Leader Application

Name: _____ Current 1st Period Teacher: _____

Email: _____ Cell: (_____) _____ Graduation Year: **MUST BE Class of 2021**

Link Crew is a YEAR LONG high school transition program that welcomes freshmen and makes them feel more comfortable throughout their first year of high school. Built on the belief that students can help students succeed, Link Crew trains mentors from junior and senior classes to be Link Crew Leaders. As positive role models, Link Crew Leaders are mentors and student leaders who guide freshmen to discover what it takes to be successful during the transition to high school. If you have any questions about Link Crew please talk to one of the current coordinators or officers.

"A-Team" Link Leader Role Description:

- Help support the Link Crew coordinators and serve as assistants to our Link Crew Officers and Leaders.
- Shadow the junior and senior Link Leaders and help mentor freshmen throughout the school year.
- Assist with logistics at events such as the Freshmen Orientation and Link Crew activities

MANDATORY Informational Meeting: Tues, May 1st at 8:30 AM or 3:45 PM in (RM 585). You must attend one.

Important Expectations and Dates. (Please record these dates on your family calendar and your cell phone).

If you cannot attend every minute of the following events, you should not apply to be a Link Leader.

Event	Date(s) and Time(s)	Notes
May Development Day	Wed., May 23rd 2018, after school Gymnasium	*MANDATORY
Summer Front Office Shifts	<i>Various dates and times available from Late May-Early August.</i>	*MANDATORY , You will sign up for your preferred time/dates at May Development Day.
Link Leader Training	Mon., July 30th 2018 (9 am -3 pm)	*MANDATORY
	Tues., July 31st 2018 (9 am – 11 am) Cafeteria or Gym	
Freshmen Orientation	Wed., August 1st, 2018 (7 am-12 pm) Gym	*MANDATORY
First Day of School	Friday, August 10th 2018	Required to wear Link Crew T-Shirt. You will help freshmen throughout the day.
Monthly Meetings	First Tuesday of Every Month (unless otherwise stated) Room 585	*MANDATORY. If you miss 3 meetings unexcused you will lose your status.
Activities / Events	<i>Various times during the year.</i>	You should make every effort to contribute to as many of these events as you can.

Application Questions (must be typed on a separate sheet of paper and stapled to this paper):

Question 1: Attach a photo of yourself (preferably a headshot)

Question 2: What activities are you involved in both inside and outside of school? *Use bullet points*

Question 3 must be answered in short essay format (at least 1 Paragraph / 150 Words):

Question 3: Why do you want to be an "A-Team" Link Crew Leader?

Completed Application and Teacher Evaluation Form must be turned into Mrs. Conklin (RM 585) NO LATER than 3pm on Wed., April 25th. Get your Teacher Evaluations out ASAP. LATE applications or LATE Teacher Evaluation Forms will not be considered. Applicants will receive their outcome letters in early May (An application does not guarantee acceptance).

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

Link Crew Teacher Evaluation for 2018-2019

To be completed by Link Crew "A-Team" Applicant

Applicant's name: _____ (incoming sophomore)

Teacher's name: _____

How do you know this teacher? _____

Why have you asked this teacher to complete your evaluation? _____

To be completed by evaluator

Please evaluate the following qualities for the Link Crew applicant using the chart below and return to Mrs. Conklin's mailbox no later than 3:00 PM Wednesday, April 25th. Your evaluation WILL NOT be seen by the applicant and we really appreciate your willingness to offer insight and honest evaluation of the candidate so we can best support our freshman class next year!

Quality	Weakness	Area of improvement	Average ability	Demonstrates quality	Major strength
Teamwork	1	2	3	4	5
Dependability	1	2	3	4	5
Communication skills	1	2	3	4	5
Enthusiasm	1	2	3	4	5
Willingness to help others	1	2	3	4	5
Honesty/Integrity	1	2	3	4	5
Positive Role Model	1	2	3	4	5
Thoughtfulness/Caring	1	2	3	4	5

Teacher received this Evaluation Form on this Date: ___/___/___

Total Score: _____/40

Please circle one of the following:

- I highly recommend
- I recommend
- I recommend with reservation
- I am reluctant to recommend
- I do not recommend

Additional comments: (optional)
