

Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Chair

PTA's mission is to make every child's potential a reality by engaging and empowering families and communities to advocate for all children.

To support that mission, units can appoint a chairperson of diversity, equity, and inclusion.

What Does a DEI Chair Do?

The DEI chair acts as a leader of a PTA unit's diversity, equity, and inclusion efforts. That will vary according to the needs, resources, and interests of the unit. Here are some examples of things the DEI chair might do.

- Meet with the Livonia PTSA Council DEI chair and other unit chairs to learn and share ideas
- Work with the unit's board as they plan events, helping them to consider ways to make those events more inclusive, such as:
 - Offering food options that accommodate people with dietary restrictions
 - Avoiding dates that are religious holidays
 - Making events free or low-cost
 - Making events accessible for all
 - Providing low-stimulus spaces for students who need it
 - Hiring minority-owned vendors
- Share the DEI content that council posts on Facebook
- Plan events that celebrate diversity and promote understanding and inclusion, such as multicultural nights
- Learn more about DEI through PTA conventions, workshops, PTA resources, Facebook groups, podcasts, books, documentaries, etc.
- Encourage people from diverse backgrounds to join your board or chair committees
- Create clubs that are related to DEI topics

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