



Dartmouth Middle School 2020-2021 ASB Student Leadership Election

Dear Students,

We are excited that you are considering running for an ASB Student Leadership position for the 2020-2021 school year. The following is information you will need to consider as you make a decision to run and procedures once you make that commitment.

- ASB Student Leadership meets as a class during the regular school day; This class replaces your elective. Due to scheduling constraints, there is a strong possibility you may not have lunch with your grade level.
- Student Leadership is service oriented and many of our activities require before or after-school hours or time over the weekend.
- All students who wish to run must have a 2.5 or higher GPA, officers require a 3.0 GPA or higher.
- Student Leadership members **are required to maintain the required GPA throughout the year.**
- All students who wish to run for student leadership must not have any repeated or major discipline issues.
- All students will be running for “ASB Student Leadership.” Officers will be selected on an interview basis (8th grade only).
- Selection is determined by interview, student behavior, grades, teacher evaluation, popular vote and an essay.
- Depending on the number of applicants, elections may or may not be necessary.

Once you make the commitment to run for ASB Student Leadership you must complete the following application items and turn them into the ASB office or room 607 on or before **Friday, February 7th**. **NO late applications will be accepted!**

Application items included

1. This packet (guidelines agreement and code of conduct)
2. 2 Teacher Recommendations.(1 can be a club leader or coach, but one must be a current teacher)
3. You must write a one-half page typed or 1 full page handwritten paper on what qualities a Student Council representative should have and what would make you a good representative or Dartmouth?

If all the required paperwork is turned in on time, you will receive a pass to attend a **group interview during the week of 2/10-2/13**.

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Qualifying names will be posted on the ASB office door on **Friday, February 14th.**
Schoolwide Elections will be held during the week of February 24th-28th. **Results will be posted on March 3rd.**

Return with required paperwork on or before Friday, February 7th.

We have read and understand the above guidelines for running for ASB Students Leadership for 2020-2021

Student Signature _____

Parent Signature _____

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**Dartmouth Middle School ASB Student Council
Code of Conduct 2020-2021**

Student Name (Printed): _____

Students involved in co-curricular (Drill Team/cheer, ASB Student Council, Choir, Band, Yearbook) and extra-curricular (Athletic teams and Academic Teams) programs at Dartmouth Middle School are considered leaders and representative of our student body. As leaders and representatives of Dartmouth, they are required to meet and follow defined expectations of academic Achievement, citizenship, and behavior as follows:

- 1. Academic Achievement:** Student Council Representative who falls below a 2.5 GPA and an ASB officer who falls below a 3.0 GPA will be placed on academic probation and can be removed from ASB Student Council for the remainder of the year. Grades are checked at the end of each triad.
- 2. Behavior:** All candidates must exhibit good citizenship. Any ASB representative that receives any disciplinary action resulting in ATS or any ASB representative whose actions negatively impact the program's reputation and/or causes the student to be looked at as a negative role model for the ASB Program, shall also be placed on behavioral probation as determined by the ASB advisor and the Dartmouth Administrative Team. This includes behavior complaints filed against the student by staff members. Behavioral Probation will last 6 weeks and removes the students from the normal activities and freedoms of the class. Students on probation may not participate in any ASB activities, business meetings, dress up days, etc. Students on behavioral probation will do alternative activities assigned by the ASB director during this time. At the end of the probation period, students will meet with the ASB director to determine if the student will be removed from probation and returned to normal class activities or removed from the ASB program. Any student who is suspended for any reason will be removed from ASB for the remainder of the school year. Students who are permanently removed from ASB for the remainder of the school year will be placed in another elective.

3.

We have read, understand, and agree to follow the Dartmouth Middle School ASB Student Council Code of Conduct.

Student Signature

Parent Signature

Date

Date

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