## D.E.S.K

## Dad's Empowering Super Kids

Dads....how many times have you walked in the door at 6:00 and your son or daughter is standing there waiting to tell you about the day they had. Who they played with, what they did in class, or even who they ran into in the hall. You hear the names, have met their teacher and even a couple of their friends, but do you wonder sometimes what their world is like on a daily basis? Well, I have been working the past 4 months on a project that I call D.E.S.K because these are some of the questions I have asked myself. I attended a field trip with my son's preschool group a week ago and there were 730 pre-school kids there from all different programs. I looked and counted best I could at the number of volunteers / chaperones and counted 47 women and 3 men (including me). It was an incredibly rewarding experience and I want more dad's to have the same. So here is my challenge and ask of you.

Georgetown Elementary is starting a Reading Bootcamp on February 1<sup>st</sup> and they are in need of volunteers for this project. I would like to fill these volunteer spots with dads. This is our opportunity to give back to the school, staff and children who make a difference in our kid's lives every day. And the best part of all, it's so much fun!

- Dates Monday, February 1<sup>st</sup> Friday, April 23<sup>rd</sup> (meets daily)
- Times 8:45 11:30 am and 2:30 3:30 pm
- Role Oversee and assist children with their reading as they need it.
- Bonus On the day you volunteer, you are welcome to join your child or children for lunch and recess.

- Reward Making a difference in our school, helping out another child, enjoying some time with your child and seeing how they spend some of their day.
- How to get involved If you would like to volunteer, you can contact me and let me know what time slot you would like to work, what day and if you would like to volunteer weekly, monthly, or just for a day, that's great. Please understand that we have a short window to February f'st so I would like to fill February and then we can move on to fill the remaining spots. If you cannot volunteer until after February, just let me know and we can get you scheduled for a later time.
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I am really looking forward to this challenge and project and looking forward to working with all of you in the future.

Sincerely,

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