



Top Reasons to Support Friends of Franklin PTA

- Friends of Franklin projects improve the learning environment for all students and staff at Franklin Middle School.
- Past projects include: sound equipment in the auditorium, TV monitors for student announcements in the hallways, and Active Learning Lab furniture.
- Money donated to Friends of Franklin supports projects that are selected by building staff that directly benefits our students.
- Your donation is tax deductible.
- Your employer may have a matching gift program – you can double the impact of your donation.
- Franklin PTA will be grateful for your support. **All monetary donations of any size are important!**
- You will feel **great** knowing you have personally helped fund a project important to the success of your student at Franklin Middle School.

When does the PTA meet? We meet once a month at Franklin in the conference room. We follow an agenda, usually hear from our Principal, and end on time.

PTA meetings occur the first Monday of every month during the school year (unless otherwise communicated) and we will meet over the lunch hour. Please refer to the calendar on the Franklin website for the dates and times.

Questions? Please contact CRFranklinPTA@gmail.com

Please complete the form on the back of this paper. Please make checks payable to **Friends of Franklin** and return to the main office, or mail to:

Friends of Franklin
c/o Franklin PTA
Franklin Middle School
300 20th Street NE
Cedar Rapids, IA 52402

Support Friends of Franklin PTA

We encourage you to support Friends of Franklin PTA in two ways. **One**, by becoming a member of the Franklin PTA. **Two**, by giving a donation to the Friends of Franklin PTA.

PTA membership and support is important in today's schools. We encourage all parents and guardians to become a member of the Franklin Middle School PTA. Your PTA provides volunteers for many school projects that enrich your student's school experience and learning environment. Your \$10.00 membership fee supports the work of the PTA at your school, local, state and national levels. These organizations work hard to improve education for all of our children. Your membership fee provides support as follows:

Franklin PTA	\$ 5.25
Cedar Rapids City PTA	0.50
Iowa PTA (state)	2.50
National PTA	<u>1.75</u>
Total Cost to You	\$10.00

Friends of Franklin PTA helps maintain various programs that our children need. 100% of money donated to Friends of Franklin PTA stay at Franklin Middle School and directly impacts our school.

- Your donation is tax deductible.
- Your employer may have a matching gift program – so you double the amount and impact of your donation.
- You have the chance to personally enrich your student's experience here at Franklin.

All monetary donations of any size are important! Projects and programs supported by Friends of Franklin are selected by staff and PTA members. If you have questions, please contact CRFranklinPTA@gmail.com.

Please join today by returning this form and check/cash to: Franklin PTA.
For matching grants only, please make your check out to Franklin Middle School.

____ I want to become a member of the FRANKLIN PTA.

____ I want to donate to Friends of Franklin PTA.

Parent #1: _____

Parent #2: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail address: _____

Student(s) name: _____ Grade: _____

PTA Membership Dues: \$10.00 per member

Member #1	\$ _____
Member #2	\$ _____
Donation to Friends of Franklin PTA	\$ _____
Total Enclosed	\$ _____

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!