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“Let us remember: One book, one pen, one child and one teacher can change the world.” – Malala Yousafzai

Funding Available Now



National PTA and their sponsors are offering over \$600K in funding for PTAs/PTSAs that are in good standing and are interested in implementing a fun and engaging National PTA program focused on STEM, digital citizenship, healthy lifestyles or the arts.

Funding can be used as support in running programs or making programs more accessible to all students. The application process is easy, and the funding will help you reach your goals in your school community. The application process for available program funding will close Wednesday, Oct. 4, 2023, at 5:00 p.m. EDT. Please reach out to Programs@PTA.org if any accommodations are needed. [Grants & Awards Opportunities - Run Your PTA | National PTA](#)

Resolutions Time!

Resolutions are an important part of the advocacy work of PTA. PTAs/PTSAs interested in submitting a resolution to National PTA for consideration during the 2024 National PTA Convention can submit their



proposed resolution to National PTA now through Oct. 15, 2023. View the Resolutions Toolkit for submission details and guidelines: [PTA.org/ResolutionsToolkit](https://www.pta.org/ResolutionsToolkit).



Back-to-School-Week

Celebrate Back-to-School Week with National PTA September 11-15, 2023! Check out resources to help you plan your year, engage your community and get support for students and families. [Back to School - Events | National PTA](#)

An advertisement for Walmart Business as a National PTA sponsor. On the left, a woman in a classroom setting is organizing colorful school supplies like pens and pencils. On the right, a dark blue background contains the text 'Smart savings for all your PTA needs' in white. At the bottom right, the Walmart Business logo and the National PTA logo are displayed.

Walmart Sponsor

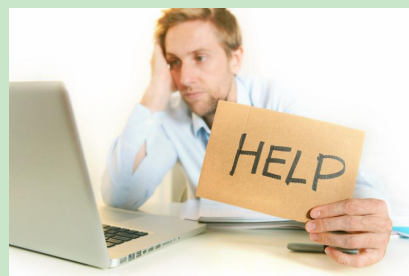
As a Proud National Sponsor of National PTA, Walmart Business is offering member organizations \$20 off purchases of \$50 or more. Stock up on much-needed classroom supplies and save even more using your tax-exempt status. Use code EDUCARE23 at checkout on up to three orders for a total savings value of \$60. Terms and conditions apply. Offer expires 1/31/24 at 11:59PM PT. [Save Money with Member Offers - Why PTA | National PTA Walmart Spark Good | Walmart.com](#)

Suicide Prevention Month Resources

September is Suicide Awareness Prevention Month. Be aware of and share these local resources.

Treatment Center- Turning Point Healing Centers: An adolescent residential treatment center for adolescents located in Peoria, AZ.

Turning Point provides services for mental health and substance use disorder.



Contact: (602) 536-8077

Email: admissions@turningpointhcs.com

Website: <https://turningpointhcs.com/>

Teen and Family Resources- Teen Lifeline

Teen Lifeline is a suicide prevention nonprofit & 24/7 crisis peer hotline for teens. We work to prevent teen suicide in AZ through enhancing resiliency in youth and fostering supportive communities.

Contact: 602.248.8336

Website: <https://teenlifeline.org/>

I Am Teen Strong


Teen Strong is a website developed to empower, support and connect teens and families to many different kinds of resources throughout the community.

Contact: info@iamteenstrong.com

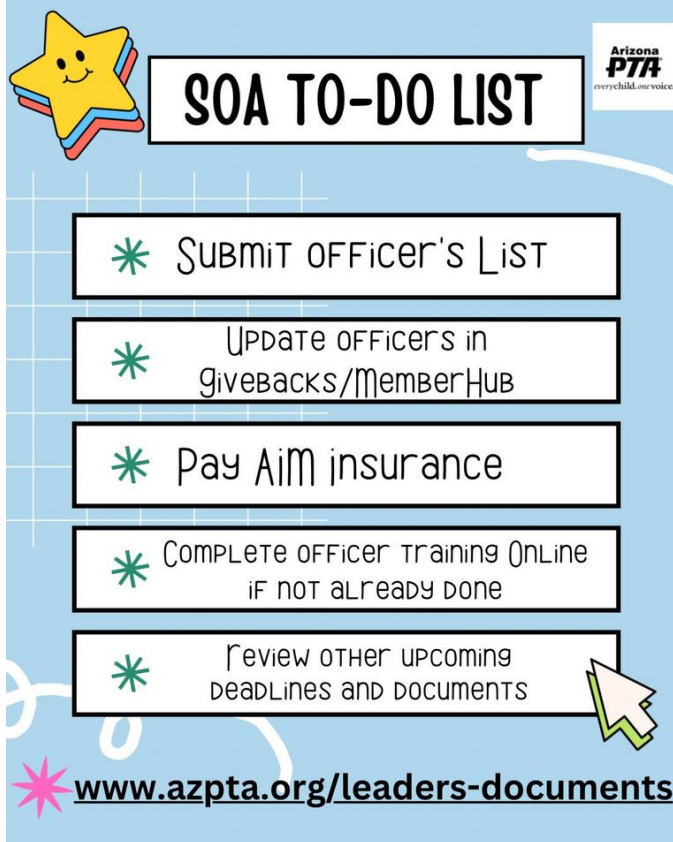
Website: <https://iamteenstrong.com/>

How to:
#PassTheApple

- 1. Grab an apple and start recording**
- 2. Introduce yourself**
 - a. "Hi, my name is ___ and I'm joining the Million Dollar Teacher Project..."
- 3. Thank a teacher for their impact in your life**
 - a. "...in thanking my teacher ___ for ___"
- 4. Tag some friends**
 - a. "I pass the apple to @___"
- 5. Don't forget to post with**
 - a. **#PassTheApple**


MILLION DOLLAR
TEACHER
PROJECT

[Million Dollar Teacher Project | Home \(mdtproject.org\)](https://mdtproject.org)



SOA TO-DO LIST

- * SUBMIT OFFICER'S LIST
- * Update officers in Givebacks/MemberHub
- * Pay AIM insurance
- * COMPLETE OFFICER TRAINING ONLINE IF NOT ALREADY DONE
- * Review OTHER UPCOMING DEADLINES AND DOCUMENTS

www.azpta.org/leaders-documents

Don't forget by September 30, 2023, local PTA/PTSA units must submit a copy of their Budget, Bylaws, Standing Rules, Financial Review/Audit to Arizona PTA. Please use, sign and submit the "Arizona PTA Standards of Affiliation for Constituent Associations Local PTA/ PTSA Units and PTA Councils" document to maintain compliance.
[Leaders & Documents | Arizona PTA \(azpta.org\)](http://www.azpta.org/leaders-documents)

Have you heard about Membership Mania?!

National PTA is offering a fun and interactive year-round initiative for local PTA leaders who want to integrate membership into all aspects of their PTA.

Don't reinvent the wheel...
Learn about and use incredible free PTA resources!
Have fun and win prizes...
Complete exciting challenges and interactive activities for a chance to win prizes!

The fun has already started but it's not too late to join us!



Membership Committee Meeting will take place on **September 5th, 2023 at 7 p.m.** – this will be a quick overview of the year to come and how you can get involved. Please send an email to Membership@azpta.org with MEMEBERSHIP COMMITTEE in the subject line and a link to join the meeting will be sent to you! "

Calendar

9/11-9/15/2023 - National PTA Back-To-School Week - [Back to School - Events](#) | [National PTA](#)

9/20/2023 - Membership Dues Reporting to Arizona PTA

9/30/2023 - Arizona PTA Teacher of the Month Applications Due [Teacher of the Month](#) | [Arizona PTA \(azpta.org\)](#)

10/1/2023 - Applications for National PTA Leadership Position Due [Become a National PTA Leader - About PTA](#) | [National PTA](#)

11/15/2023 - IRS Tax filing due for local PTA/PTSA unit [Form 990](#) | [File 990-N & 990-EZ Online](#) | [Nonprofit Tax E-filing](#) | [File 990s](#)

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