Volunteer /Visitor Guidelines and Expectations  Moneta Elementary				
People You Should Know	School Procedures You Should Follow			
Principal: Johnay Lee Office Secretary: Margie Mattox Bookkeeper: Debbie Kirby Guidance Counselor: Brittany Shirvani Designee: Angie Kraje	Fire Drill: Exit the nearest outside door that is not blocked.  Dress Code: Dress as a positive role model for children. Our student dress code should guide you in making decisions about how to dress.			

## **Volunteer Expectations**

- 1. Check in the main office to obtain a visitor's badge. Check out in the office when you are finished. All volunteers should have a designated purpose for their visit and a specific role or responsibility. Visitors may not loiter on campus or the playground.
- 2. Volunteers work directly under the supervision of the school's professional staff. Ultimately, it is the school division's responsibility for the education, safety, and well-being of each student.
- 3. All cell phones should be set on vibrate. We are asking that all volunteers refrain from talking on cell phones during the time they are volunteering at our school. Cell phone ring tones and conversations are disruptive to the learning environment.
- 4. Volunteers serve not only the needs of the children, but are an important link between the school and the community. Parents and other community members pay close attention to what you say about the staff and educational programs. Therefore, all volunteers have an obligation to keep all information related to students they assist confidential. Information regarding students, staff, and other volunteers are not to be discussed with anyone who is not entitled to the information.
- 5. Communicate your questions and concerns with the classroom teacher. If you don't understand something, please feel free to ask them.
- 6. Be prompt and dependable. Report to the assigned classroom during regularly scheduled hours. Please call ahead if you are not able to volunteer during the set time.
- 7. Encourage our students to "Be responsible, Be respectful, and Be kind in their words, actions, and relationships" by modeling this behavior towards others.
- 8. Any volunteer who suspects child abuse should notify a teacher immediately. If the teacher is not available, speak with the principal or guidance counselor.
- 9. Volunteers are responsible for understanding and using the specific approach demonstrated by the teacher during instruction so that children are dealt with fairly and consistently.

## *May...* May not... 1. Provide clerical help like cutting, sorting, 1. As a general rule, serve as a regular laminating, and putting up or taking classroom volunteer in their own child's down bulletin boards. This allows the classroom. teacher to spend more time working with 2. Enter the clinic when taking students to students or planning for instruction. the clinic. Simply, drop students off and 2. Encourage and affirm students. return to the classroom. 3. Be caring, but firm. Patiently allow the 3. Bring younger children or siblings. students to think and form answers, but 4. Administer discipline. Behavior problems should be addressed by teachers and keep them on task. 4. Be friendly and enthusiastic. administrators only. 5. Listen to students read 5. Initiate physical contact with students. 6. Read to students Never put your hands on a student, especially when you are angry. Do not 7. Help students with math activities 8. Help students with computer activities pick them up or place them in your lap. 9. Help with spirit activities 6. Contact students outside of the school 10. Help with special classroom events setting. 11. Go on field trips 7. Correct staff members. See the principal 12. And many more...... with any concerns relating to staff members. 8. Take or post pictures of students on social media. 9. Use student restrooms. (Adult restrooms are available) 10. Visit with other volunteers in your child's classroom while instruction is taking place. Parents gathering to talk outside a classroom can be disruptive. 11. Give students any materials, including foods, without first discussing it with the teacher.

I have reviewed these "Guidelines and Expectations", have met with the principal or designee, and agree to comply with them while I am volunteering at Moneta.

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Date: