

KHASA Year End Reports - Crossing Guard (2018-19)

I've been the crossing guard co-ordinator for the past 4 years. Each year has been different but this past year I really struggled to find both parent and student volunteers. I only had 5 parents and 6 students by the time I had parents with criminal record checks on file in December. In September I had significantly more but it was still a short list with under 20 students. In September I only had 3 parents with a current criminal record check on file (even after I reminded everyone at the end of the prior year to obtain one) which is why the program was delayed getting started. It wasn't until December that I finally had 5 parents that were able to volunteer and none of the parents could participate after school.

My first year I had more than 10 parents and over 40 students. The number of students has been declining each year but I believe this is in part due to the increasing opportunities to volunteer in other programs (morning walkers, lunch monitoring, equipment cupboard).

I've been told that the school has obtained funding for another paid position (in addition to the current one) which should help ease some pressure next year...that is if I understood the email correctly as there are 2 crosswalks.

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