



PORTLAND CHRISTIAN SCHOOLS

“Heart of a Servant”

(Service Block)

Questions & Answers

Q: What is “Service Block”?

A: PCS is not funded by any state or federal monies, but operates solely on tuition and voluntary gift support. In order to maintain our facilities and provide a great education for PCS students, while at the same time keeping tuition as low as possible, the “Heart of a Servant” (referred to by some as “Service Block”) program was developed.

Q: What if I don’t have time to volunteer?

A: Some families choose to pay the \$495 Service Block fee instead of volunteering.

Q: Is it \$495 per family or \$495 per child?

A: \$495 per family OR 30 hours of volunteering per family.

Q: What options are available?

A: The “Heart of a Servant” catalog outlines most available programs. Also, call your local campus and watch your campus newsletter, as many other opportunities are not listed.

Q: What if nobody calls me?

A: It is *your* responsibility to contact the Program Coordinator, and be aware of the dates you will be working.

Q: Will a donation to The Auction/Annual Dinner qualify as my Service Block?

A: No. As of January 1, 1997, this is no longer an option.

Q: How do I let you know that I’ve completed my 30 hours of volunteering?

A: With the completion of each 10 hours, please return one of the Service Block Vouchers to the Business Office before the due date listed on the Vouchers themselves. You can also fill out one of the vouchers online, then copy and paste it into your email and send it to: cheryl.jarvis@pcschools.org

Q: What if I lose my Service Block Voucher?

A: Each campus has a supply of extra Service Block Vouchers or you may print one up from the PCS website. (www.pcschools.org)

If you have any questions not answered by this letter, please contact Cheryl Jarvis at the Business Office – (503) 256-3960 ext 0 or email cheryl.jarvis@pcschools.org