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# **Applicant Information**

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Organization Name	Brewster School District
Primary Contact's Name	Garrett Grant
Address	502 S. 7th Street Brewster, WA 98812
Primary Contact's Phone Number	(509) 689-2581
Primary Contact's Email Address	ggrant@brewsterbears.org
AmeriCorps Member Details	
Location Member(s) Will Be Serving	Okanogan County
Type of Member Requested	Full-time
Number of Full-time Members Requested	2
Number of Part-time Members Requested	0
Application Narrative	
Host Site Overview	Our Vision Statement is to provide a healthy learning environment, in partnership with the community, where all students are prepared to be college and workforce ready; all the while honoring staff commitment, the celebration of student success, and modeling expectations of responsible citizenship.
	Our Mission is as follows: We hold one another, staff and students alike to high expectations. Together we create a safe, positive, and caring learning environment, which produces lifelong learners. We all Matter!
	We believe that literacy is empowering and can change lives. This project will allow us to utilize staff in ways to make the reading groups of students we work with much smaller. We expect that these members will work in Literacy with struggling readers.

#### **Summary of Member Duties**

The members will be working out of the reading intervention room where struggling readers will come and work in small groups four days a week. Building these relationships is key to their success. They may also be working in the HOSTS program which is a program in which students read with volunteers from the community. This also allows reading groups to be smaller when there are more adults to work with them.

### **Summary of Member Skills**

Members will need to be:

- \* able to read and listen critically to others reading
- \* able to function in a school setting learning many of the terms and language used
- \* be willing to work with our low income students who are struggling
- \* Learn what it means to be involved in PBIS School
- \* teach expectations and follow through
- \* build relationships with students

#### **Volunteer Opportunity Posting**

Do you like to work with Kids? Do you like to work in a place where you are supported by caring people? Would you like the opportunity to work with community, staff, and students? Do you want a place where it is good to share your talents? Do you like to work in an environment that uses Hands on Activities? On your off time, do you love the out doors? If you answered yes to any of these questions, then the zip code 98812 might be the very place of service for you. Come be a part of the supportive Brewster Bear Family.

Provide details of two required site-specific trainings you will provide for your member(s).

All staff members engage in various professional development opportunities throughout the school year. The two biggest areas will be PBIS (Positive behavior intervention supports) and GLAD (Guided Language Acquisition Design). These are professional development areas that can be used in various settings.

## **Recruitment Support**

Please list three strategies your organization plans to implement to assist in recruiting.

- 1. Ask our current personal to be looking around this summer for someone who might fit this area.
- 2. Post the position on our website.
- 3. Network with community groups and leaders

Please identify the staff person who will Lynnette Blackburn, Elementary Principal support in the recruiting process.

# **Contract Details**

# **Resources Provided for Member**

Computer Work Space Agency Email Internet Connectivity

If the AmeriCorps member is asked to travel, is your organization prepared to provide mileage reimbursement or another option for travel?	No
I have reviewed and acknowledge the prohibitive activities, located in the Guidance included with this application, for AmeriCorps members.	Yes
Please provide a brief description of your plan to orient the member(s) to your site, community and service.	The members will be working under the supervision of our assistant principal. They will also have a staff member that will be working with them in an organizational way. Our commitment is to treat them with respect and give them opportunity to express their individual personality. Finally, they will be treated as a staff member and we will give them many professional development opportunities to help them grow in their skills.
Does your organization agree to provide the necessary data to the AmeriCorps member and Chelan Douglas Community Action Council?	Yes
Are employees of the your organization represented by a labor union?	Yes
If yes: Are the duties to be performed by the AmeriCorps member(s) customarily or historically been performed by members of the labor organization bargaining unit?	No
If yes: Will you be able to obtain written concurrence of the AmeriCorps placement from the local labor organization?	No
Is any portion of the Member Placement Fee being paid by Federal funds?	No
Does your organization agree to provide the necessary support the member needs in their recruitment of volunteer efforts?	Yes
Does your organization agree to pay the match cost of the member(s) requested?	Yes

Does your organization aknowledge the Yes deposit agreement listed above?
Please send a check to CDCAC, 620
Lewis Street, Wenatchee, WA 98802
upon the submission of this application.
Please note the checks purpose as IMAC DEPOSIT.

By signing below, you aknowledge having read the Application Quick Guide and Program Detials before submitting this application for review.

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