

# **Student Trustee Job Description**

## STUDENT MEMBER, BOARD OF TRUSTEES

**MISSION:** The Issaquah Schools Foundation, in partnership with the Issaquah School District, drives resources to help all students achieve the promise of their potential.

**PURPOSE:** To represent the student **voice** on the Issaquah Schools Foundation Board; to help determine policies, procedures, and regulations to accomplish the mission and operating objectives of the organization; to raise awareness among high school peers about the work of the Foundation and to continue to be a connection between the Foundation and the graduating class after high school.

**TERM:** One year, renewable annually by the Board of Trustees for up to two years (served during junior and senior years)

**POSITION:** Voice, non-voting position

#### **QUALIFICATIONS**

- 1. Rising Junior (or Senior, if an opening occurs) currently enrolled in one of the district high schools
- 2. Reasonably well-connected across a wide range of groups

#### **KEY RESPONSIBILITIES**

- 1. Attend all board meetings and student trustee meetings. Any absences should be pre-arranged with the Board Development & Governance Committee Chair.
- 2. Participate in at least one student trustee driven project or initiative to increase awareness among board members or help facilitate a new program idea.
- 3. Participate as a volunteer in the Foundation marketing activities, including but not limited to booths at Highlands Days and/or Salmon Days; *Step Up For Kids* campaign activities; Dining for Kids; and donor connection/thank you calls; or any remote participation.
- 4. Understand and support the Foundation's mission, objectives, strategies, and programs.
- 5. Seek feedback from peers to represent the student perspective in programs and at meetings.
- 6. Be an ambassador for the Foundation at your high school. Share information about the Foundation with your peers and teachers, help recruit and interview incoming student trustee(s).
- 7. Maintain contact with the Foundation upon graduation and continue to be the conduit between the Foundation and your graduating class.

### **OTHER RESPONSIBILITIES**

- 1. Participate fully and openly in meetings. Stay informed and share insights, ideas, questions, or constructive criticism on issues, policies, and goals based on consideration of the facts.
- 2. Lead student discussions, take notes, maintain records, and exchange information with fellow student trustees.
- 3. Attend or volunteer for Foundation functions whenever possible.
- 4. Carry out all delegated assignments promptly.

Signature	Printed Name	Date
	Board Development & Governance	

Committee