

# Clearwater BRIGHTfutures Volunteer Program

*A BRIGHTfutures Volunteer always works under the direct supervision of school staff.*

## **How to become a BRIGHTfutures Volunteer:**

1. Complete BRIGHTfutures Application. Contained on the application will be permission for Clearwater R-1 to conduct checks against sexual offender databases.
2. Complete "Child Abuse or Neglect Record Check" form.
3. Agree to Confidentiality Policy.

## **Opportunities to get involved....**

### **Buddy System:**

Many "mentoring" opportunities exist in our school. Join our students for breakfast, lunch, recess, reading or come help welcome the kids to school and get their morning started right with a high-five or a handshake and a smile.

### **Hobbies/Special Interests:**

Share your hobby or special interest with a group of kids before school, at recess or after school. Start an exercise group, crocheting, scrapbooking, hunting/fishing, sports/fitness, music, etc.

### **Tutoring:**

Individual or small group. Many students can use help beyond the classroom. Tutor before or after school.

### **Ambassador:**

Each school has their own unique needs that the community can assist with. Meet with a group of school personnel to learn the needs for each of our individual school buildings.

### **Home Repair:**

Do you possess skills in plumbing, construction, HVAC, extermination, carpet cleaning, etc.? Families often need help with small home tasks that will make a big impact on the children's lives.

### **Transportation:**

Are you or your church willing to provide transportation to medical appointments for students?

### **Site Council Committee:**

Small group of community members that focus on meeting the needs of schools (site).

### **Other:**

Anything else you might have to offer students.

Questions about the BRIGHTfutures Volunteer Program, contact Shelley Burns 573-223-7426, ext. 4317.