PTA Candidate Sample Interview Questions

Sample interview questions for use by a Nominating Committee. Nominating Committees are encouraged to add questions specific to their PTAs, their communities and the position for which the candidate is applying.

- What are the strengths (experience, relationships, skills) that you bring to the position you are seeking?

- What about the position excites you?

- What about the position will be a challenge for you?

- What do you believe are the PTA's current/future needs?

- What does this PTA do well?

- What can this PTA do better?

- What new initiatives or programs do you think this PTA should undertake?

- Do you have any nonprofit board experience outside of PTA?

- What prompts you to seek this position?

- Joining a board requires working as part of a team. How would you describe your ability to work on a team? The role you think you will play as part of this team?

- Leading a PTA is a commitment. Are you able to give the time necessary to fulfill this role and to attend all PTA and board meetings and events?