



**APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE  
GOVERNING BOARD OF THE  
MILPITAS UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

I, \_\_\_\_\_, do hereby declare myself as an applicant for appointment to the Governing Board of the Milpitas Unified School District in the County of Santa Clara. I am a registered voter in the Milpitas Unified School District. If selected, I will qualify and serve to the best of my ability, and I request that my name be placed into nomination for the appointment, scheduled to be made by **August 27, 2019**.

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Signature (Per County Registrar's Records)

Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_

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Address (Per County Registrar's Records)

Business Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_

Age \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation \_\_\_\_\_



Milpitas Unified School District Board of Education  
Candidate Application

*Please complete and return no later than 5 p.m. on August 2, 2019 to Cheryl Jordan, Superintendent, Milpitas Unified School District.*

Last Name	First Name	Initial
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Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone No.: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone No.: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ No. of years residing in the district: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have children attending MUSD schools?  yes  No

If yes, list your children's ages and their schools:

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Have you worked on any MUSD public school committees or participated in any public school activities recently?  Yes  No **If yes**, please list them: **If no**, please state why:

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List other community, business, or private school activities:

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Why are you interested in becoming a school board member?

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What do you see as the basic purpose of public schools?

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What is the role of the school board in the fulfillment of that purpose?

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What could be done to help improve communications and relationships among the board, staff, students, parents, and the community?

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What should be the relationship between the board and the administration in the handling of school concerns?

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In what area of function as a school board member would you have a particular interest or skill (*i.e. public relations, budget negotiations, evaluation, long range planning, facilities, policy, etc.*)?

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What do you see as the strengths of the Milpitas Unified School District?

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What do you see as the areas most needing improvement in the school district?

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Please rank these initiatives in order of priority:

<input type="checkbox"/> Bond Construction	<input type="checkbox"/> MHS Scholarships
<input type="checkbox"/> Career Technical Education	<input type="checkbox"/> Affordable Housing for MUSD Staff
<input type="checkbox"/> Career Pathways for MUSD employees	<input type="checkbox"/> Closing the Achievement Gap
<input type="checkbox"/> Legislative Lobbying	<input type="checkbox"/> K-12 Computer Science Initiative
<input type="checkbox"/> Capital Campaigning	<input type="checkbox"/> Family Engagement
<input type="checkbox"/> Corporate Partnerships	<input type="checkbox"/> Multilingual Education
<input type="checkbox"/> City/District Collaboration	<input type="checkbox"/> Early Childhood Literacy
<input type="checkbox"/> Adult Education	<input type="checkbox"/> School Safety & Security
<input type="checkbox"/> Dual Enrollment	<input type="checkbox"/> Middle College High School

If selected, you will be expected to attend and complete the California School Board Association's (CSBA) Masters in Governance training for school board members. This is a 5-day training on Fridays and Saturdays over a 2-year period. Please check that you understand this requirement and will be committed to completing it within your first 2 years. \_\_\_Yes \_\_\_No

If selected, you would be expected to run a campaign for the seat in the next general election, do you commit to this expectation? \_\_\_Yes \_\_\_No

Candidate's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

*- Thank you for your interest in serving the children of Milpitas -*