

JOLUNTEERS NEEDED



Based on new guidance, we have created two classifications (Volunteer Level 1, Volunteer Level 2) to help clarify who requires a background check and which type is required.

IMPORTANT NOTE: This does not include exempt volunteers, who already have a Level 2 background screening. Exempt volunteers are **LWCS staff**, **law enforcement**, **and college students screened through Pre-Employment Services**. Students are also exempt due to being under 18 years of age.

LEVEL 1 VOLUNTEER: \$25.00

The following activities have been identified as those where the volunteer would only require the Level 1 background check.

Please keep in mind that all these activities require that the volunteer be under the direct supervision or line of sight of an LWCS employee at all times.

Volunteer Level 1 Must have an approved volunteer application and Level 1 background screening, so long as they are under the direct supervision of a LWCS employee. Classroom helper - holiday activities, small groups, reading to students Field trip chaperone or other school-sponsored off-campus activity supervising students School Events: supervising student stations at Field Day, Special Olympics, Fun Runs, Assisting with band/chorus/drama Serving, prepping, and monitoring in the cafeteria Helping at the book fair, organizing the school library/media center Monitoring School dance/festival/carnival, hallways (Watch Dogs) Organizing clothes closet/food pantry, holiday shop Club Sponsor, Odyssey of the Mind, Mentor, Tutor Early Childhood/HeadStart Office helper, PTA/PTO, SAC Concessions, Ticket Collection/Sales, Parking, etc. (With direct supervision of students.)









LEVEL 2 VOLUNTEER: \$84.00

(\$64 for fingerprinting/background check via Field Print and \$20 for state clearing house fee)

If you are **NOT** monitored by a LWCS staff member, you will need to go to the link below to fill out the LWCS Level 2 Volunteer application and complete the steps (including being fingerprinted by Field Print) to acquire a Level 2 Badge. *An example would be to volunteer as a chaperone with a group of students on a field trip.* You will show the Level 2 Badge and your ID upon entering campus for volunteer duties.

Steps for Level 2 Volunteer:

- **1.**Complete the online form and email it to hr@lwcharterschools.com so that they can enter you into the clearinghouse. Please use this as your emails subject line: *VOLUNTEER-CLEARINGHOUSE REQUEST*
 - a. If you are already in the Clearinghouse, you may not need fingerprinting.
 - b. Please DO NOT schedule fingerprints if you are in the clearinghouse database. Please email the above form to hr@lwcharterschools.com and state that you are in the clearinghouse so that we can confirm.



- 2. Fingerprints must ONLY be collected by Fieldprint. Please visit https://fieldprintflorida.com/individuals to set up an appointment for fingerprinting. DO NOT schedule the appointment without completing step 1.
- **3.** When making an appointment, please be sure to use the following **code:** FPLakeWalesCharterVol5342
- **4.** Once fingerprints and background are cleared, you will receive a notification via email from the LWCS HR Department.
- **5.** You will then send your photo and the last 5 digits of your drivers license number to LWCS.IDBadge@lwcharterschools.com, as you will need to have a Level 2 Badge to enter the school along with your State ID.

