We invite you to join the Elsmere School PTA!

We are a group of families and staff dedicated to enriching student experiences at Elsmere Elementary School.

Studies show that children have greater educational success with parental involvement. Help us develop a strong support network for our students!

Want more information?
Contact us at:
Elsmere School PTA
247 Delaware Ave, Delmar NY 12054
elsmerepta@gmail.com

Others ways to help Elsmere School PTA:

Box Tops for Education:
Start clipping! By cutting out box tops and turning them in, you can help earn money for our school. Check out www.boxtops4education.com for more information and a list of the products with Box Tops.

Use Amazon Smile to support the Elsmere School PTA and the programs that we support at the school. Go to AmazonSmile.com and choose us to support, a percentage of your purchases will go to us. We are listed as:

- PTA New York Congress 12-331
  Elsmere School PTA

Bring us your ideas and get involved! The more people that share ideas and get involved, the better the Elsmere School PTA will be.
**What we do:**

Through our annual dues, fundraisers, and the amazing work of our volunteers, the PTA works to support and enhance the educational, social, and community experiences of students at Elsmere Elementary School.

**Supporting staff:**
- We contribute funds for classroom supplies.
- We run teacher and staff appreciation events.
- We encourage teacher ideas/requests for use of PTA funds to support educational experiences throughout the school year.

**Supporting Families:**
- We hold dessert and breakfast gatherings throughout the year to get to know each other and share thoughts/ideas.
- We hold several fun events throughout the year such as Halloween Happenings, Cabin Fever Bash, Community Event, along with other family nights and events.

**Supporting Students:**
- We support reading through a JumpStart Program, 1000 Books Program, CAPER, Author Visits, and support for our school library.
- We promote healthy living skills through a school garden, participation in Healthy Kids Week, Farm to you Fest, and through funding playground needs and upgrades.
- We provide learning opportunities through a science fair, school store, and preparing after school enrichment programs.
- We help students to remember their years and see how much they have grown through creating yearbooks and running student school pictures and family pictures.

*These are just a few of the things that PTA does on a regular basis. Share your ideas with us about what you think we could do this year!*

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**Join the PTA!**

Our annual PTA membership dues are 10 dollars per adult. Membership dues allow us to purchase insurance and contribute to funds for our events. Even if you are never able to volunteer your time or for our events, your PTA membership dues make a huge difference to the PTA.

Either look for our membership form or fill this out and return to school with payment in an envelope marked “PTA membership”.

Parent(s)__________________________

Address:__________________________

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Phone:__________________________

e-mail:__________________________

Any questions? Contact us at: elsmeredpta@gmail.com

Join our facebook group- search for: Elsmere Elementary School PTA Parent Group (this is a closed group, send a message saying who you are and request to be added)