

## Support Major Edwards by joining the WBPTA!

In these unusual times Major Edwards needs your support more than ever.

Major Edwards PTA supports the school and students by enriching their academic experience. We are only a small part of the bigger picture to help shape our children's education. Major Edwards PTA is part of the Massachusetts PTA and the National PTA. These larger branches of the PTA are the backbone of change in education on state and national levels.

PTA membership and dues support your child by funding essential educational and curriculum needs; advocating on behalf of children and educators at the local, state and national levels; and building an inclusive community for all families. I invite you to join Major Edwards PTA for your child because increasing our membership, even by one, makes it possible to provide important educational resources, speak up on important issues and create a stronger school community. There is no wrong or right way to be involved-anything you can give, whether it's time or money, will support your child's potential.

During the past 120 years, PTA's national advocacy has helped establish universal kindergarten, the National School Lunch Program, the juvenile justice system and anti-child labor laws. Your membership helps continue to make changes to the education system.

PTA dues directly support your child. PTA dues help fund essential school resources and curriculum needs, including enrichment programs, field trips, teacher grants and so much more. PTA dues support advocacy efforts at the local, state and national levels, impacting decisions affecting your child's health, safety and quality of education. PTA dues supports our work to strengthen connections between your family, your child's classmates and their families, and teachers to build a thriving and inclusive community for everyone.

## WBPTA MEMBERSHIP (2020-2021)

Individual Membership: \$15.00 per year Family Membership: \$25.00 per year (limit of 2 adults in the student's household)

Please join online at: <u>https://majoredwardspta.new.memberhub.store/store</u>

Membership questions may be directed to Kerry Silver at <u>ksilver0814@gmail.com</u>.

Thank you for supporting the PTA!