



WATCH D.O.G.S. (Dads Of Great Students) is an innovative program developed by the National Center for Fathering. The program provides fathers an opportunity to be a positive and active role-model for their child at school. Fathers get a glimpse of their child's everyday world. As a result, they can learn to relate better to their child and connect with them. By volunteering you not only impact your child in a positive way, but other children as well.

Who can be a Watch DOG? Watch D.O.G.S. are fathers, step fathers, grandfathers, uncles and other father-figures.

How do I get started? Background checks must be completed *every school year* in order to volunteer as a Watch Dog. Visit the Tomball ISD Website and click on the following:

- Scroll down to Quick Links
- Apply to Volunteer
- Apply for this position
- Log In or Create an account if you are new

How do I order a t-shirt? Go to the www.fathers.com website and click on the following:

- Programs
- WATCH D.O.G.S.
- Dog Store

There is an exciting new inventory of t-shirts to choose from! (T-shirts are optional. Volunteers are **NOT** required to order one.)

How do I schedule a volunteer date?

- Sign up at Open House
- Call or email Julie Hutson, RES Counselor, at juliehutson@tomballisd.net or **281-357-3075 x 1607**

Expectations of WATCH D.O.G.S. volunteers:

- Follow your personalized schedule. You will spend time with your child's class, but you will also volunteer in other classes as well.
- Be a positive role model.
- Never use the student restroom; Always use the faculty restroom.
- Follow the school's confidentiality policy in regards to our students and staff.
- Do not share religious or political views.
- Do not use your cell phone in the classroom. If there is an emergency, step into the hallway.
- Follow the school's policy on appropriate conduct and behavior with the students and faculty.

