



Application for Monthly Mustang Staff 2021

Student Name

Homeroom Teacher

Grade

On staff last year? Y/N

Parent name: _____ Email: _____

3rd-5th grade students are invited to serve on the staff of the Monthly Mustang Newspaper! Meetings will occur on the first Wednesday of every month at **7:10am**. Students must attend meetings or may be dropped from the staff. Staff will commit to the remainder of the school year and are expected **to contribute to each issue** either by writing an article or comic, taking photos, or helping someone else. You will be required to work on your articles or comics independently between meetings. Articles must be typed and emailed to WestU.Monthly.Mustang@gmail.com

1. What are some of your ideas for articles or comics for the Monthly Mustang?

2. What are you most interested in doing? (Pick your top 3)

- Reporter- school, classroom news, events
- Comics (please submit a sample)
- Jokes, crosswords, and word puzzles
- Surveys, student opinions, quotes
- Interviews: staff, teachers, students,
- Editorials-Share your opinion.
- Reviews: books, movies, computer games, restaurant reviews, fun things to do around the city
- Advice column
- After school: Find out what cool things teachers or students do after school

3. Share a sample of your writing or drawing (comics). Write about an experience you had this summer, opinion about something important to you, or you can draw a comic. Make sure you have a title, beginning, middle and end. Feel free to use the back or attach a sample.

I understand that being on staff means contributing something every month by the deadline. I also understand that being on the MM staff means a commitment to attend meetings once a month at 7:10am.

Signature

Date

Please place completed application in Monthly Mustang box in the office by Friday, September 24th.