



# Adopt a Classroom

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## What is Adopt a Classroom?

### Special points of interest:

- What is adopt a classroom?
- Partnership objectives.
- Adopt a classroom goals.
- Who can adopt a class?
- What does an adopter receive for their support?

Any business or individual can adopt a class or program at Doctors Inlet Elementary School with a tax deductible donation of \$100.00.

When a class or special area is adopted, the classroom budget is more than doubled. 100% of Adopt a Classroom money goes directly to the class to purchase items that will enhance classroom learning opportunities.

When you elect to adopt one of our classrooms you make an investment in the most important part of our community– the students and our future. Another benefit of adoption of local businesses is the valuable and favorable exposure with over 700 students, their families and faculty members. All monies received will go directly to the class or special area you request, or to a class in need if unspecified.

## Partnership Objectives

To solicit financial support for our classrooms, special projects and for areas of our school such as the Technology Lab, Media Center, Music and Physical Education programs.

To create an environment in which the children and staff at Doctors Inlet Elementary can feel that the local business community is dedicated to our children's education future.

To create an attitude of pride and respect for our local business community among the children at Doctors Inlet Elementary and to make the children aware of the importance of education in any career. It is time that we join together to ensure that the future leaders of our community have the resources available to help them succeed.



## Adopt a Classroom Goals.

- To provide assistance through financial and/or material donation.
- To provide an awareness of the importance of education through support of our school.
- To create an atmosphere among Doctors Inlet Elementary Students of pride and respect for our local business community.
- We guarantee a rewarding relationship!

## Who can Adopt a classroom?

Any business or individual can adopt a classroom or special program at Doctors Inlet Elementary. Your donation is tax deductible and there is no maximum donation amount. Minimum donation amount is \$100.00 per classroom. The donation can be made to any classroom or special program and you can adopt as many classrooms or special programs as you wish. 100% of your donation goes into that classroom for academic enrichments. Take a membership form for yourself and take one to someone with whom you do business and ask them to adopt just one class. Extra applications are available in the front office. For more information on our adopt a classroom program you may contact Mrs. Grinsell, our program coordinator at telephone (904)213-3000, or email her at [angela.grinsell@myoneclay.net](mailto:angela.grinsell@myoneclay.net)

Applications are available at Doctors Inlet Elementary  
Front Office.

## What does the Adopter Receive?

- A thank you letter from the class.
- A thank you letter from the Principal and/or Assistant Principal.
- Certificate of Adoption.
- Recognition in the school newsletter informing families and staff about the business and/or individuals that have adopted a class.
- We are confident that you will find the program a worthwhile investment, for yourself, your organization and most importantly, the children.



## The following classrooms are available for adoption:

Kindergarten	1st grade	2nd Grade	3rd Grade	4th Grade	5th Grade
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ms. Klucina</li> <li>Ms. Pryor</li> <li>Ms. Dupuis</li> <li>Ms. Kusiak</li> <li>Ms. Ilagan</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ms. Forbis</li> <li>Ms. Hansen</li> <li>Ms. Hinck</li> <li>Ms. Jones</li> <li>Ms. Raymer</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ms. Buss</li> <li>Ms. Johnson</li> <li>Ms. Painschab</li> <li>Ms. Finney</li> <li>Ms. Fossa</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ms. Lang</li> <li>Mr. Lawless</li> <li>Ms. Wing</li> <li>Ms. Shipley</li> <li>Ms. Clark</li> <li>Ms. O'Brien</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ms. N. Cameron</li> <li>Ms. Hatmaker</li> <li>Ms. Petersen</li> <li>Ms. Simpson</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ms. Mineo</li> <li>Ms. Ives</li> <li>Ms. Burns</li> <li>Ms. Nestler</li> <li>Ms. Wellons</li> </ul>
<p><b>Pre-K</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ms. Ott</li> <li>Ms. Richey</li> </ul>					

### Resource Class & Special areas

6th Grade	Multi Grade Classrooms	Resource Class & Special areas
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ms. Moreland</li> <li>Ms. Hanlin</li> <li>Ms. Helm</li> <li>Mr. Hughes</li> <li>Ms. Tracey</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ms. Drago</li> <li>Ms. Bertsch/Speech</li> <li>Mr. Wheat</li> <li>Ms. Roberts</li> <li>Ms. K Cameron</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Technology / Ms. Paine</li> <li>Physical Education/ Mr. Johnson</li> <li>Music /Ms. Raley</li> <li>Media Center/ Mr. Suits</li> <li>Gifted/ Ms. Bohn</li> <li>Guidance/ Ms. Brown</li> <li>Principal &amp; Assistant Principal</li> <li>Run/Walk Club</li> <li>Clinic</li> <li>Green Thumb Club</li> <li>Safety Patrol</li> <li>Student Council/Mustang Pride</li> <li>Math Club</li> <li>Robotics Team</li> </ul>

## Why Adopt a class?

Did you know the public school teachers and administration spend an average of \$500 of their own money each year to meet basic classroom needs, a \$1.4 billion out of pocket expense that teachers incur annually? Or, did you know that 25% of teachers have to take second jobs?

Adopt-A-Classroom recognizes teachers as the single most important factor toward student success. They need our help. Adopt-A-Classroom addresses the problem of inadequate resources in classrooms which undermines teacher's effectiveness and ultimately student achievement. The program is designed to identify and commit private-sector funds and community partners so that teachers can purchase value added resources. As a result, Adopt-A-Classroom relieves teachers of a financial burden they currently bear themselves and dramatically increased the opportunity for both teacher and student success in the classroom.

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Together we can make a  
difference!

We are on the web at  
<http://www.dis.oneclay.net>

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Adopt-A-Class Membership Application

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Business or Individual (as you would like it to be published):  
\_\_\_\_\_

Nature of Business: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have a preference for a specific class or grade level? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ NO

\*If yes, please circle the grade level, special program, or indicate the class you would like to adopt.

- Kindergarten                      \*Guidance
- 1st Grade                            \*Technology Lab                      \*Safety Patrol
- 2nd Grade                            \*Media (Library)                      \*Green Thumb Club
- 3rd Grade                            \*Clinic                                    \* Robotics Team
- 4th grade                            \* Physical Education
- 5th grade                            \*ES (Gifted)
- 6th grade                            \*Music
- Speech                                \*ESE

**Please return application and  
payment to**

**Attention: Adopt a Classroom**

**Ms. Grinsell/Coordinator**

**Doctors Inlet Elementary**

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**Specifically, which class (teacher) would you like to adopt?** \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have a child/grandchild in one of the classes you are adopting? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

If yes, please give your child/grandchild's name:  
\_\_\_\_\_



- Please make your checks payable to Doctors Inlet Elementary School/Adopt A Classroom
- Thank you for your support of the children of Doctors Inlet Elementary School
- If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Grinsell at 213-3000 ext. 2228 or email her at [angela.grinsell@myoneclay.net](mailto:angela.grinsell@myoneclay.net)