The IMS Newscast Sound Tech team needs strong leaders, with some technology experience, who are responsible for taking care of very expensive technology equipment, interested in yearbook, and who truly care about our school. The requirements for achieving and holding this position are outlined in this packet. We encourage you to get involved and have fun! You can make a difference at Issaquah Middle School!

The process for being accepted as a Sound Tech Newscast member.

**DUE DATES:**

- Sound Tech Application and Oath of Office due: May 15
- 3 Teacher Recommendations due: May 15
- Results Announced: June 5

Sincerely,

Mr. Dorsett
CTE Technology Teacher
Issaquah Middle School
dorsettm@issaquah.wednet.edu
Rules & Guidelines for Sound tech

Sound Tech Requirements

- 3.0 GPA or higher for trimesters one AND two of current school year; no failing grades
- Demonstrate strong skills in leadership, communication, initiative and organization
- Work well with staff and students
- Willing to commit several hours to after school activities and community service
- Maintain appropriate behaviors as stated in our IMS student handbook
- Follow the IMS Way
- Commit to an all year Newscast elective class
**Sound Tech Application**

**Packets**
- Packets will be available from Mr. Dorsett. Sound Tech. Packets will be in the Enews, IMS website, or Mr. Dorsett’s website.
- The packet should include: rules and guidelines, Sound Tech process information, duties and responsibilities, an application form, and staff evaluation forms.

**Application forms**
- Each candidate needs to fill out an application form COMPLETELY.
- Forms are due no later than the date on the front of this packet.

**Behavior and Citizenship Evaluation**
- Citizenship and behavior will be reviewed by Mrs. Reckling, Mrs. Mullvain, and Mr. Gardiner after you apply.

**Student Name** ____________________________________________________________

**Candidate for:** Sound Tech

**Why do you want to have a Sound Tech leadership position?**

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**Three Teacher Recommendation’s** (Send this link via email to three of your current teachers. Make sure you explain in your email who you are, what the link is about, and ask them if they would fill it out for you.)

**Grade Verification** (Mr. Dorsett)
- Students must have a minimum grade point average of 3.0 or higher for trimesters one AND two, and they may not have failed any classes in the current school year.

**Parent Signature:** ________________________________
- I support my child as a Sound Tech Team member.
Return this completed application to Mr. Dorsett.

**LEADERSHIP OATH OF OFFICE**

As a candidate for a Sound Tech position, I understand and agree to follow the campaign guidelines, as outlined in the election packet. Furthermore, I will make a considerable effort to fulfill the following:

- 3.0 GPA or higher for trimesters one AND two of current school year; no failing grades
- Demonstrate strong skills in leadership, communication, initiative and organization
- Work well with staff and students
- Willing to commit several hours to after school activities and community service
- Follow the IMS Way
- Maintain appropriate behaviors as stated in our IMS student handbook
- Commit to an all year Newscast elective class
- Commit to making the IMS yearbook
- As a student leader, show responsibility in all aspects of life.
- Model an image of a student who is responsible, reliable, and respectful of peers and staff members. As an example to my peers, I will conduct myself in a manner of politeness that will be an asset to this school.

If chosen to be a Sound Tech team member for the 2020-2021 school year, I realize that failure to fulfill this Oath will result in possible probation or removal from my Sound Tech Team position.

Student Signature___________________________________ Date__________________

Parent/Guardian Witness ____________________________ Date _________________