Purpose. The PTO aids students of Sutton Elementary School and the Simonian Center for Early Learning by directly supporting their educational and recreational needs and promoting open communication between administrators, teachers, and parents.

Events & Fundraising. Last year, the PTO raised almost $40,000. With these funds, the PTO approved over $20,000 in grants that went directly back into the schools and classrooms (e.g., robots for our computer classes, books for classrooms, traveling science programs by the Museum of Science and the New England Aquarium, curriculum and sensory items, plus so much more). PTO events and fundraisers truly demonstrate the power of dedicated people – our activities have been successful due to the generous donations of time and effort by so many.

Membership. Membership in the PTO is FREE, you just need to sign up! By joining the PTO, you will have the opportunity to be more involved in your child’s school. PTO members can choose to attend monthly meetings, offering suggestions/opinions on events and vote on how fundraising dollars are spent. Members will also receive notices of upcoming PTO events and needs.

First Name ___________________________ Last Name ___________________________
Email Address ___________________________ Phone ___________________________

Please list names and grades of your children attending the Simonian Center for Early Learning and Sutton Elementary School.

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Are you interested in volunteering? Yes No Maybe

Below is a partial list of events that will need volunteers throughout the school year. By showing interest now, your contact information will be given to the event coordinator. This information helps us in knowing how many probable volunteers an event has before the planning begins.

Please circle any and all events that may interest you for volunteering. (Dates listed are tentative.)

After School Enrichment (Wed’s 10/16-11/6 and 3/18-4/8) Glow Around the World Dance (2/7)
Box Top Collections (9/16-10/15 and 1/27-2/7) Kids Night Out – Grades PreK-3 (10/18)
Breakfast with Santa / Ornament Day (12/14) Movie Nights (Needs a Coordinator)

Chain of Lights (12/7) Read-a-thon (3/2-3/13)
Chuck A Puck @ DCU Worcester Railers (11/24) Staff Appreciation Week (5/4-5/8)
Family Fun Run (5/31) Time for Teachers (weekly photo coping)
Fun Night Out - Grades 4-5 (10/25) Trunk or Treat – Grades PreK-5 (10/25)

Other: ________________________________

A CORI background check is required for all volunteers within the school for any activity in which you will have direct involvement with children. To complete a CORI form, please contact the business office at 508-581-1102. CORI checks last for 3 years, if you’re not sure if your CORI check is still valid, please contact the school’s office. Fingerprinting may also be required for certain events.

This form can also be filled out online. A link is available at suttonschools.net on the SCEL or ELEM pages or contact the PTO at suttonptofriends@gmail.com.