



The Vallemar Parent-Teacher Organization is a partnership between the Vallemar School Educational Community and their families. The VPTO strives to enrich each student's educational experience so they may aspire to academic excellence and develop social-emotional intelligence. We support family participation; promote fundraising; work cooperatively with community groups; and foster a sense of community in the Pacifica School District.

Vallemar PTO 'Start-off Strong' Incentive program 2019-2020 School Year

We have an incredible community at Vallemar. Each year the PTO provides significant funding and support for both what some say are 'basics' and for special programs at Vallemar. We want the year to 'Start-off Strong' with donations and as a way to encourage donations and to thank families during this special campaign we will provide 'Vallemar swag'.

- Donations are welcome (and needed) throughout the year but this program will only be active during the first 3 weeks of school. This includes all donations made this school year (2019-2020) up until the last day of the program, the 11th of September. Each donation made is considered an individual donation-we will not be able to add up donations throughout this period (ie, will not be totaling up donations over this period for a family-so families with several kids should make one large donation rather than smaller, individual donations).
- This applies to all donations from the Vallemar community-parents, aunts, uncles, grandparents-anyone who donates during this special period. If donating via a check, please add your child's name. If donating online, we may need to reach out to the email address provided to confirm your child's name.
- All 'swag' will be handed out to the student identified starting the last week of September.

Donation	Incentive (all Vallemar swag)
Any amount	Supporting great programs for the kids!
\$50-\$99	bumper sticker
\$100-\$249	water bottle and bumper sticker
>\$250	water bottle, tote bag and bumper sticker

Where does the PTO money go?

For the 2018-2019 school year, Vallemar PTO (you and your donations):

- Paid for 94% of all enrichment programs at the school. This includes Music for K-2, art, field trips, yard equipment and the middle school electives offered.
- Provided each teacher with funding to help with classroom supplies, weekly readers and more
- Built our amazing Maker Space with it's Chromebooks, Apple TV, iPad minis, printers and more
- Sponsored the homework club and JTeen for 6th-8th graders
- And much more!

You are what makes the Vallemar Community so strong! Help us Start-off Strong!

Remember to check if your employer has a match program-see VallemarPTO.org for more information