

## What is the Adopt a Class Program?

By adopting a class at Titchfield High School, donors form partnerships with specific classrooms providing financial and moral support to the teacher and students. The result is a meaningful contribution to education in which donors experience the impact of their efforts and celebrate in a classroom's success.

Adopting a class does not mean you are responsible for paying for the full amount of whatever classroom items the teacher needs. You are making a donation and others may still "adopt" or donate to the same classroom.

Any individual or group of 2-4 individuals can adopt a class or program at Titchfield High School.

When a classroom or special area is adopted, 100% of Adopt a Class money goes directly to the class or special area you request to purchase items that will enhance learning opportunities or making the classroom more learner-friendly.

## Partnership Objectives

- To solicit financial support for the classrooms, special programs and extra curricular activities.
- To create an environment in which the students and staff at Titchfield High School are assured that the alumni community has an interest in the students' education future.

## Adopt a Class Goals

- To provide assistance through financial and/or material donations
- To provide an awareness of the importance of education through support of the school
- To create an atmosphere of partnership between Titchfield High School and the Alumni community
- We guarantee a rewarding relationship!

## Why Adopt a Class?

The Adopt a Class program recognizes teachers as the single most important factor toward student success. They need our help. Adopt a Class addresses the problem of inadequate resources in classrooms which undermines teachers' effectiveness and ultimately, student achievement. By adopting a classroom, you are providing the teacher with additional funds to purchase hands-on learning materials and also to create a more learner-friendly environment which will dramatically increase the opportunity for both teacher and student success in the classroom. In addition, by serving as a community partner, you are positively impacting teacher morale. Data supports that these factors increase opportunity for classroom success.

## Who can Adopt a Class?

Any individual or group of 2-4 individuals can adopt a classroom or special program at Titchfield High School. Your donation is tax deductible and there is no maximum donation amount. **Minimum donation amount is \$100 per class.** 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.

If you cannot donate the minimum \$100 as an individual and are not part of a "group", send in whatever amount you can afford and we will assign you to a "group" to meet the \$100 minimum per class.

Applications are available on the website at [www.titchfieldhigh.com](http://www.titchfieldhigh.com). For more information on the Adopt a Class program you may contact Jackie Mangaroo-Moo, program ambassador, at 305-665-4693 or email her at [jackie@titchfieldhigh.com](mailto:jackie@titchfieldhigh.com).

The donor can select a specific class/program from the lists below, or let us choose one for you. You can adopt as many classrooms/programs as you wish – **our goal is to have every classroom adopted!**

## What does the Adopter Receive?

- A thank you letter from the class
- A thank you letter from the Principal and/or Grade Supervisor
- Certificate of Adoption
- A group picture of the class and teacher
- Display of Adopter(s) name(s) inside the classroom until the end of the school year
- Recognition in the Cannon informing the alumni and the school communities about the individuals that have adopted a class
- Recognition on TAATHS' website
- A thank you receipt letter from TAATHS for tax filing purposes
- We are confident that you will find the program a worthwhile investment for yourself, and more importantly, the students

## How will the Process Work?

- Donations and applications should be submitted to TAATHS by the first week of September and the program implemented by end of September to ensure classes get full-year benefit.
- As a TAATHS project, all contributions to the Adopt-A-Class program is tax deductible based on our 501(c)(3) tax-exempt nonprofit organization status. Checks will be made payable to TAATHS and mailed to: 12672 85<sup>th</sup> Road N, West Palm Beach, FL 33412. This will enable U.S. residents to get the tax benefit based on our tax exempt status. Mark "Adopt a Class" and class name in the memo section of your check.
- The association will forward the funds to the school indicating amounts to be disbursed to each class/program and name(s) of Adopter(s).
- Adopter(s) will be responsible for writing a letter of introduction to the class. This can be mailed with your payment but ideally, should be sent to the association via email. Text will then be copied onto our letterhead and forwarded to the school via email.
- The class and Principal/Grade Supervisor will communicate their appreciation to the individual/group of sponsors in a timely manner.
- Communication between Adopter(s) and class will be maintained throughout the school year, building a relationship.
- All monies will be sent to the Bursar and the Form Teacher will be given a credit voucher for the amount of the sponsorship. Accounting for each class will be monitored by the Bursar's office
- At the end of the school year, any unused funds will remain in that class' account and carried over to the following year.
- If you reside in Jamaica and would like to Adopt a Class, please mail or hand deliver your donation to the Bursar's or Principal's office, along with your application. The TAATHS program ambassador will contact you.

## Classrooms available for adoption:

### Age 12-13

Class	Teacher(s)	# Students
7G	Ms. K. King	37
7H	Mr. R. Patterson	34
7I	Ms. N. Lecky	38
7J	Ms. N. Edwards	42
7K	Ms. T. Hill	41
7L	Ms. S. Williams	45
7M	Mrs. M. McEwan	34

### Age 13-14

Class	Teacher(s)	# Students
8G	Ms. N. Brown	49
8H	Ms. T. Studdart/ Mr. P. Charles	46
8I	Ms. A. Tulloch	48
8J	Ms. S. Bryan	50
8K	Mrs. Peart Wyndham/ Ms. E. Padmore	51
8L	Ms. T. Simpson/ Ms. S. Kelly	48
8M	Ms. S. Kidd	49

### Age 14-15

Class	Teacher(s)	# Students
9G	Mr. J. Ivey	48
9H	Ms. K. Thompson	48
9I	Ms. N. Burke/ Ms. X. Walker	42
9J	Mr. E. Graham	44
9K	Mrs. C. Lewis	46
9L	Mr. N. Donaldson	49
9M	Mr. D. Williams	45
9N	Ms. N. Burke	44

### Age 15-16

Class	Teacher(s)	# Students
10G	Ms. A. Anderson	41
10H	Mrs. A. Hutchinson	52
10I	Ms. D. Patterson	47
10J	Ms. T. Hewitt	48
10K	Ms. L. Francis	50
10L	Ms. N. Lowe	46
10M	Mr. S. Prince	30
10N	Mr. N. Hamilton	35

### Age 16-17

Class	Teacher(s)	# Students
11G	Ms. S. Watson	37
11H	Mrs. A. Robinson	45
11I	Ms. K. Pinnock	50
11J	Ms. T. Cowell	51
11K	Ms. A. Wilson	51
11L	Mr. A. Sparkes	58
11M	Ms. S. Simms	35
11N	Mr. J. McFarlane	43

### Age 17-18

Class	Teacher(s)	# Students
12B1	Mr. Balade	38
12B2	Ms. N Lecky	43
13A1	Mrs. K. Cotterell	36
13A2	Ms. S. Lindo	32

## The following Clubs/Programs are also available for adoption:

- *Key Club (an affiliate of Kiwanis Club)*
- *Interact Club (an affiliate of Rotary Club)*
- *Debating Society of Titchfield*
- *Police Youth Club*
- *Drama Society of Titchfield*
- *Titchfield Choir*
- *Titchfield Dance Group*
- *Junior Chamber Club*
- *Jamaica Combined Cadet Force*
- *School Challenge Quiz*
- *Chess Club*
- *Table Tennis*
- *4-H Club*
- *Inter School Christian Fellowship (ISCF)*
- *Portland Environmental Protection (PEP) Club*
- *Modern Language Club*
- *Mentorship Program*
- *Peer Counseling Society*
- *Science Club*
- *Library Club*
- *Photography Club*
- *Tourism Action Club*
- *Mathematics Club*