PTA Resources Workshop

2019 Convention
Springfield, Mo

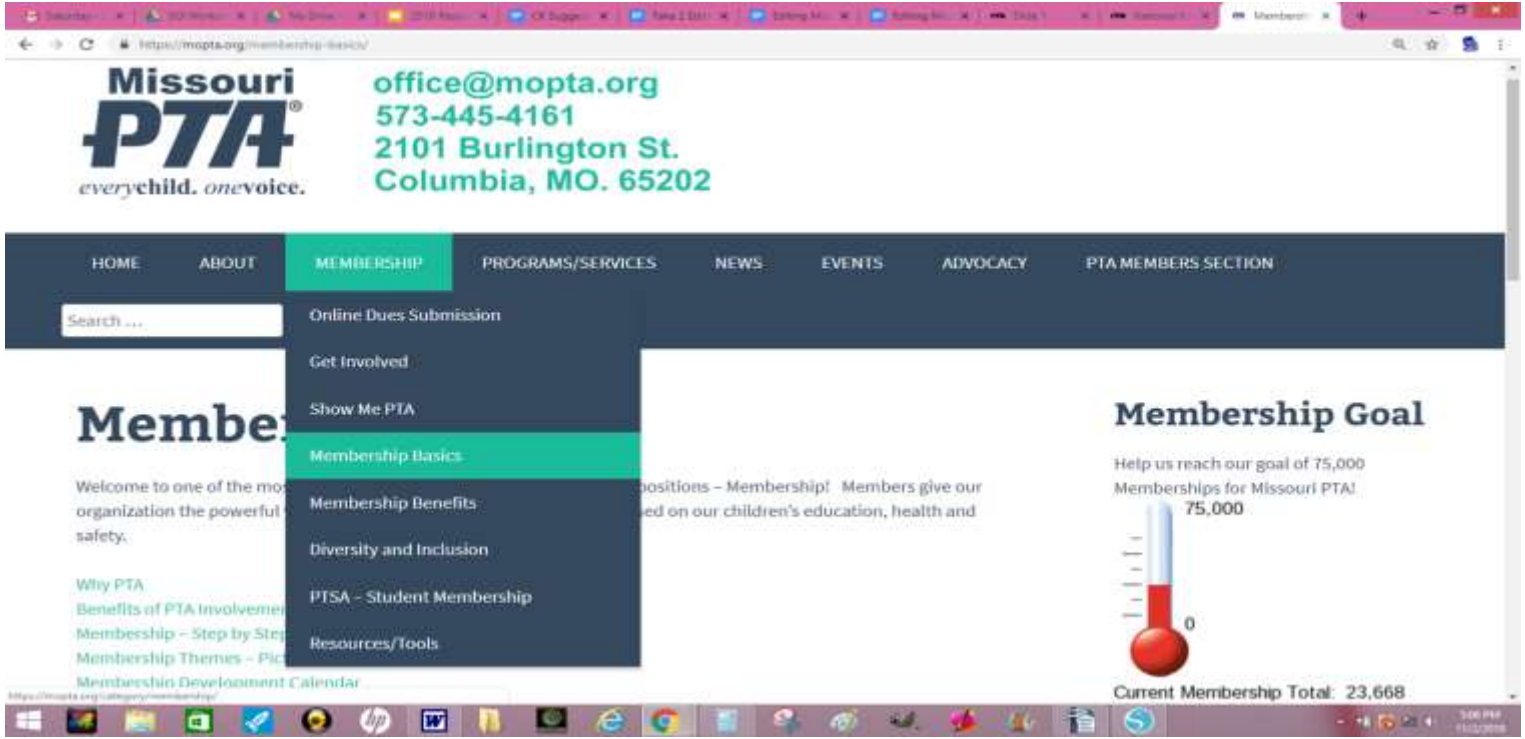
Let’s start with a few questions

- What Resources are you aware of that are available?
- What are some of the Resources that you currently use for your PTA?
- What are you doing for training within your PTA?
- Have you ever reached out to MO PTA or looked at the website for resources?
- Have you ever looked at the National PTA website for resources

State PTA Resources

Missouri PTA website

www.mopta.org



Membership Basics

Welcome to one of the most important, challenging and rewarding PTA positions – Membership! Members give our organization the powerful voice we need to create an environment focused on our children's education, health and safety.

Why PTA
Benefits of PTA Involvement
Membership – Step by Step
Membership Themes – Pictures
Membership Development Calendar
Responsibilities
What Dues Provide
Recruiting Business Members
Sample of Business Members Letters

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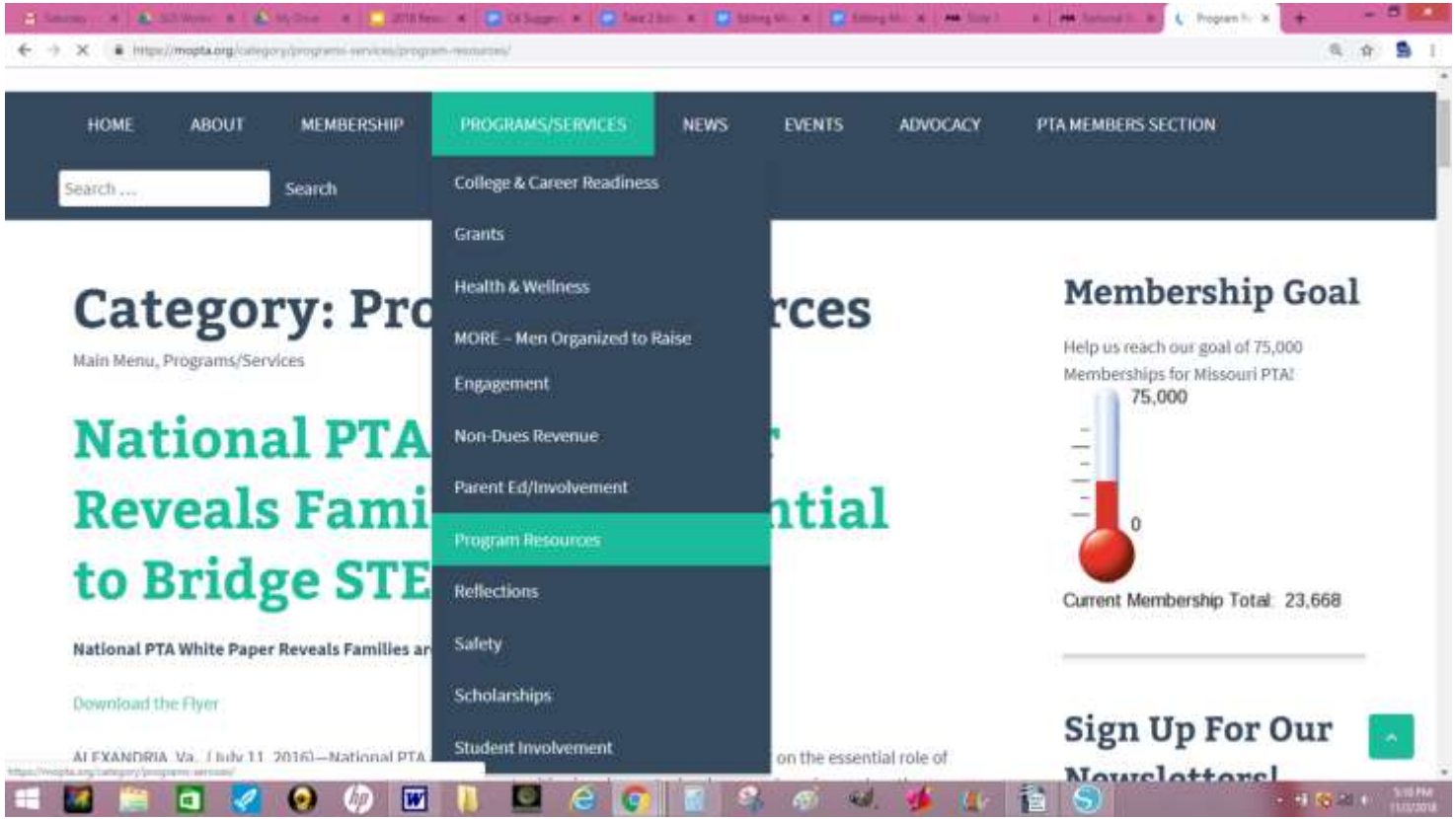

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Join JC/DC Member to Member Network

Application to Join
Missouri PTA & National PTA's JC/DC Member-to-Member Network
(Jefferson City/Washington DC)

An important part of MOPTA is the mission to be a "strong advocate for the education and well-being of every child. The JC/DC Member-to-Member Network promotes and facilitates direct contact by PTA members to members of the Missouri House and Senate, and the U.S. Congress. By joining the network, PTA members will periodically receive legislative ACTION ALERTS from Missouri PTA on state issues and National PTA on federal issues. Members will also receive the monthly federal policy e-newsletter from National PTA and updates from Missouri PTA, electronically.

To apply for membership, please complete this form. This information will be used only for purposes of the JC/DC Member-to-Member Network, and will not be disclosed to any third party. Please allow up to four weeks for membership subscription to be added to the network.

*First name _____

*Last name _____

*Address line 1 _____

Address line 2 _____

*City _____

*State _____ Zip code _____

Phone (___) _____

*E-mail _____

PTA position/title _____

PTA local unit: _____

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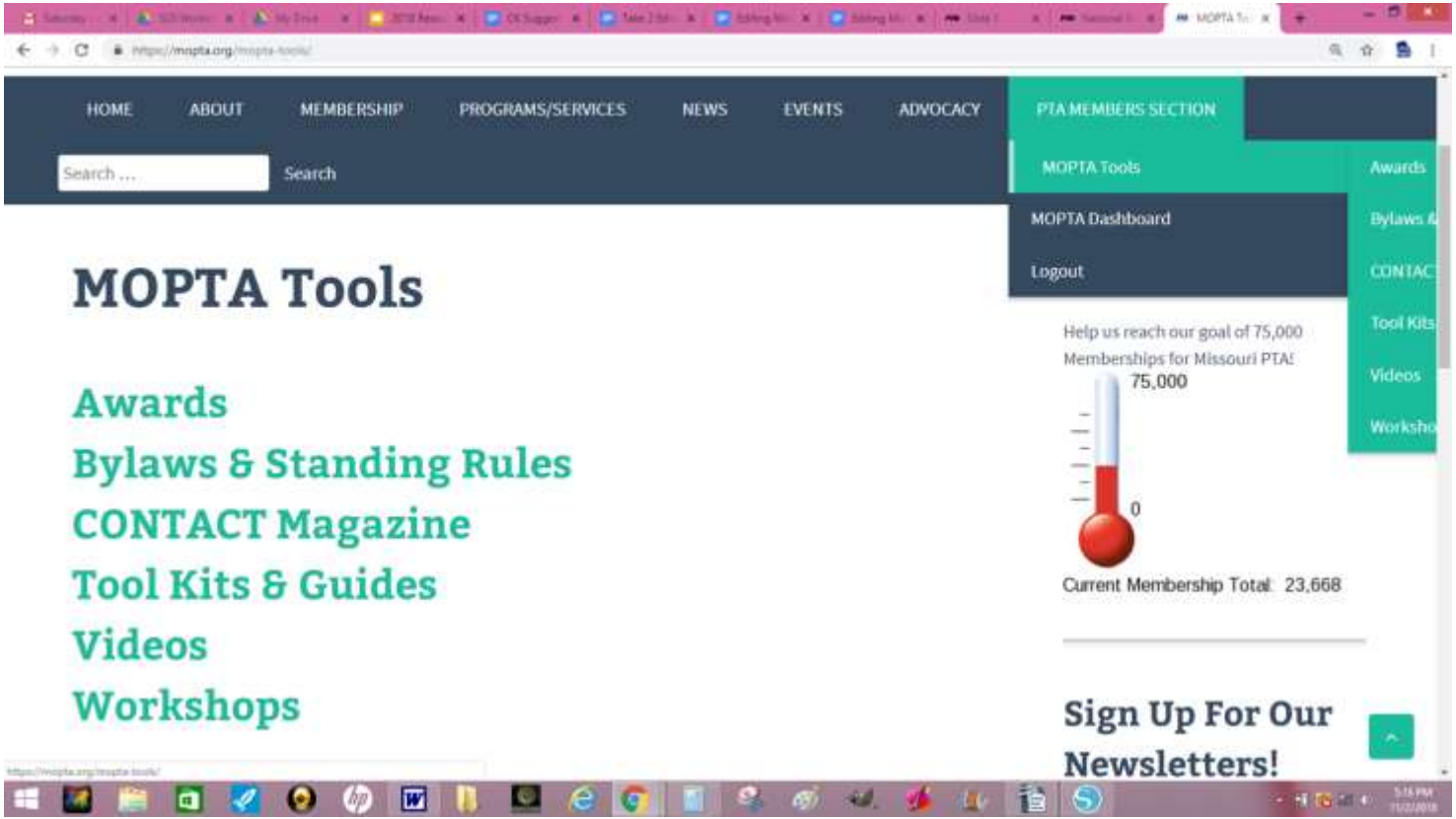

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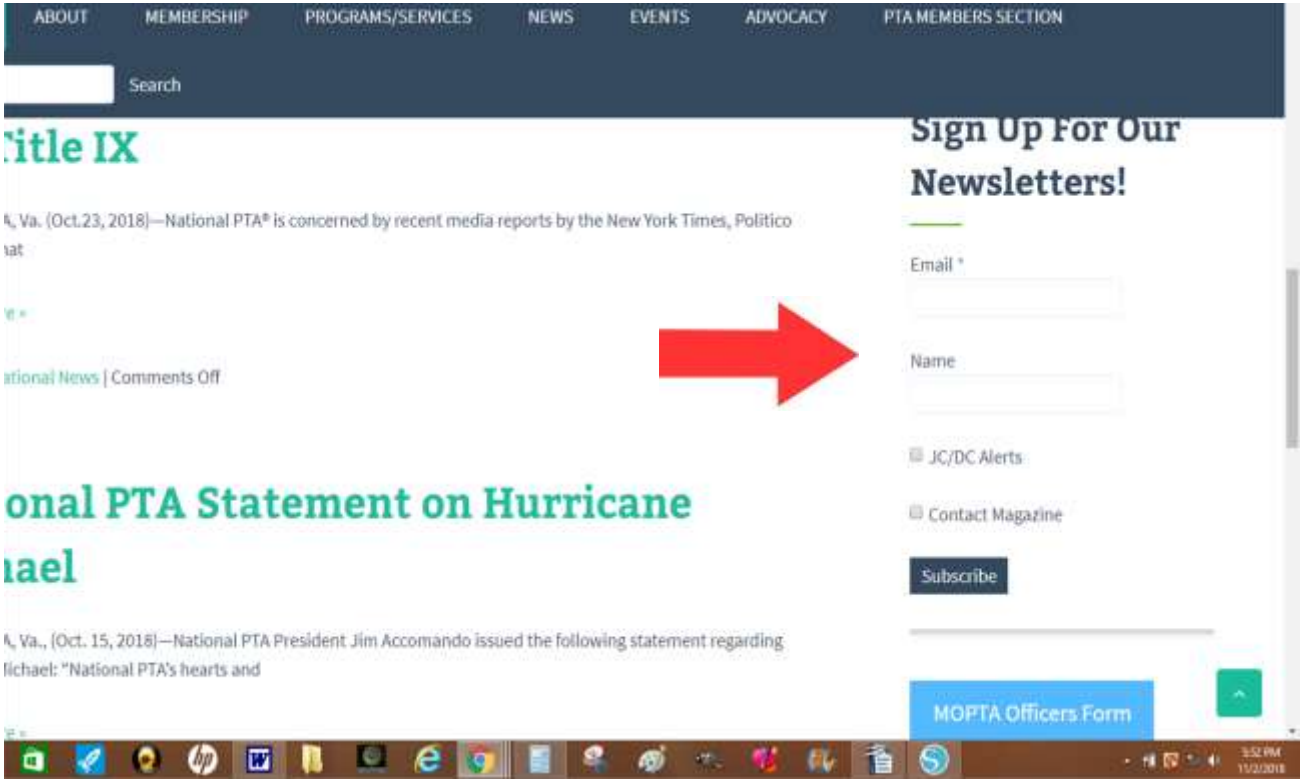

National PTA Resources

National PTA website

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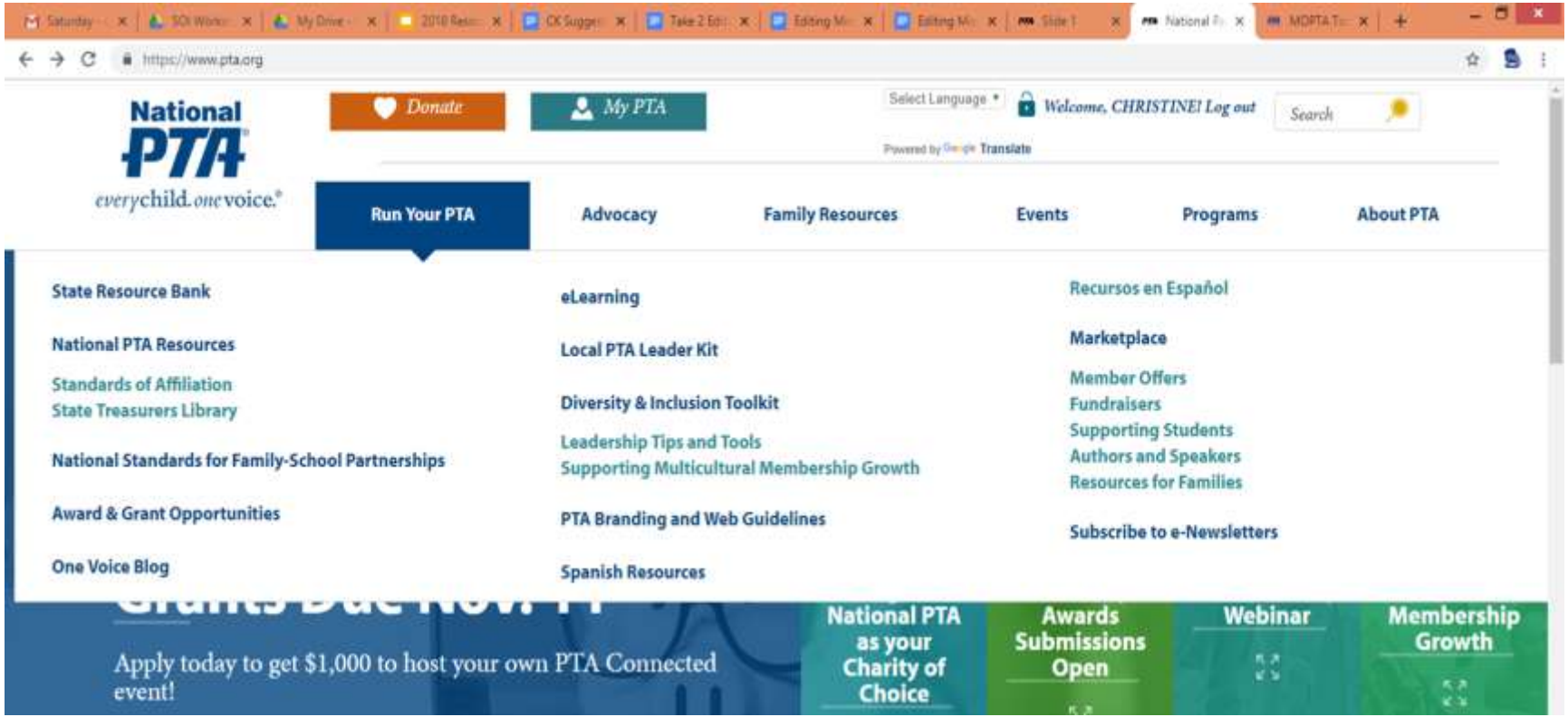

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National PTA publishes five e-newsletters that reach a combined audience of more than 325,000 PTA leaders, parents, teachers and students.

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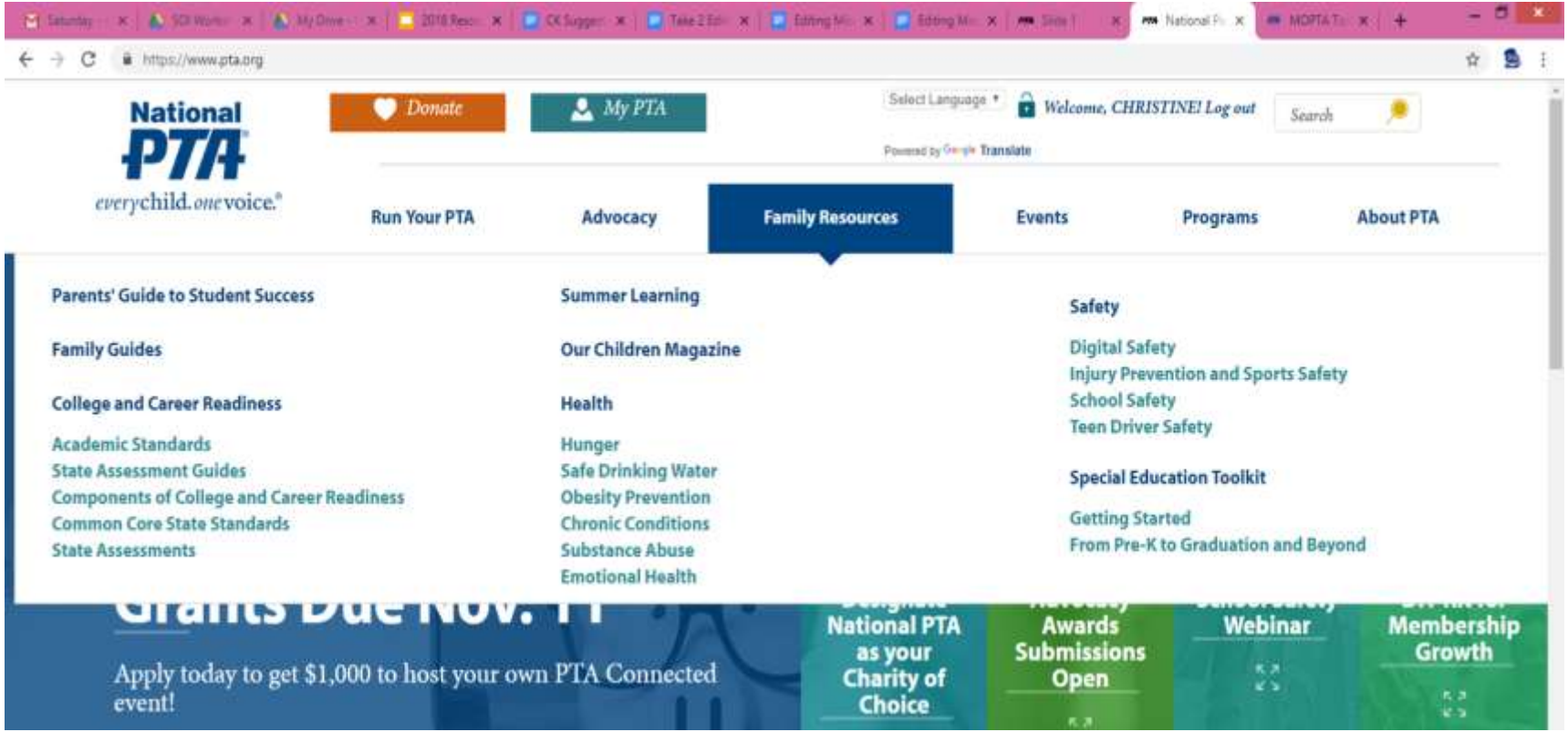

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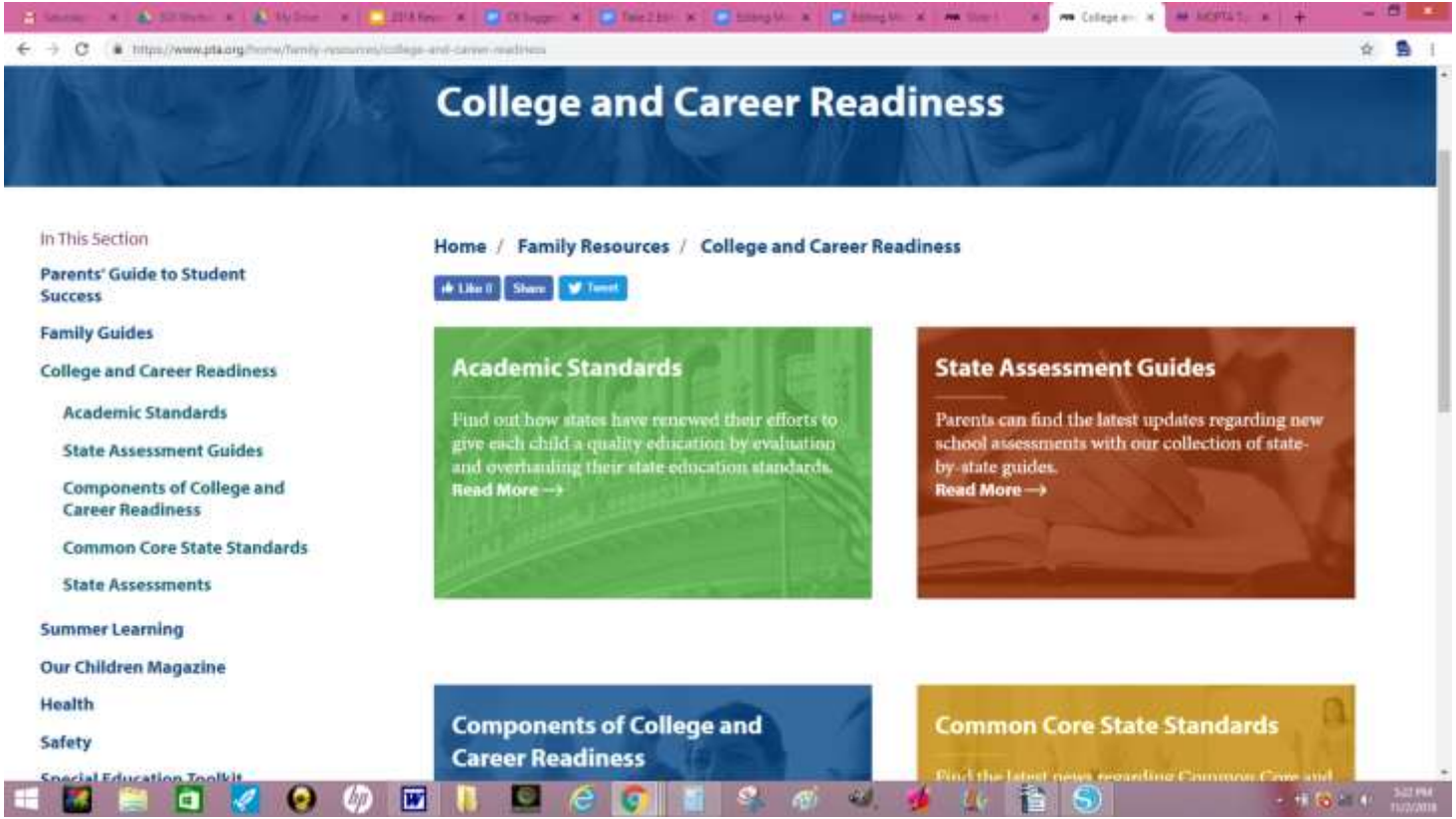

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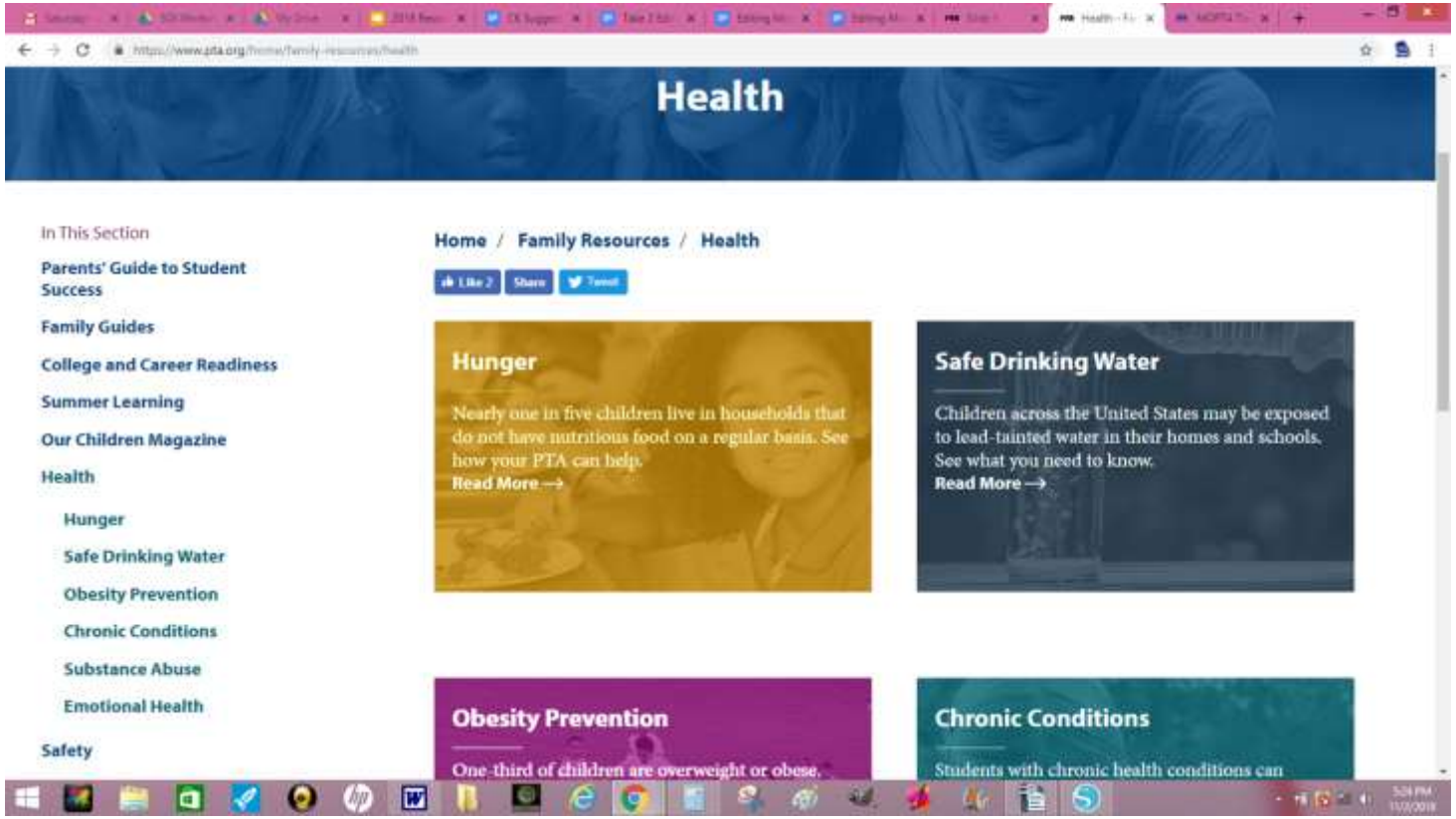

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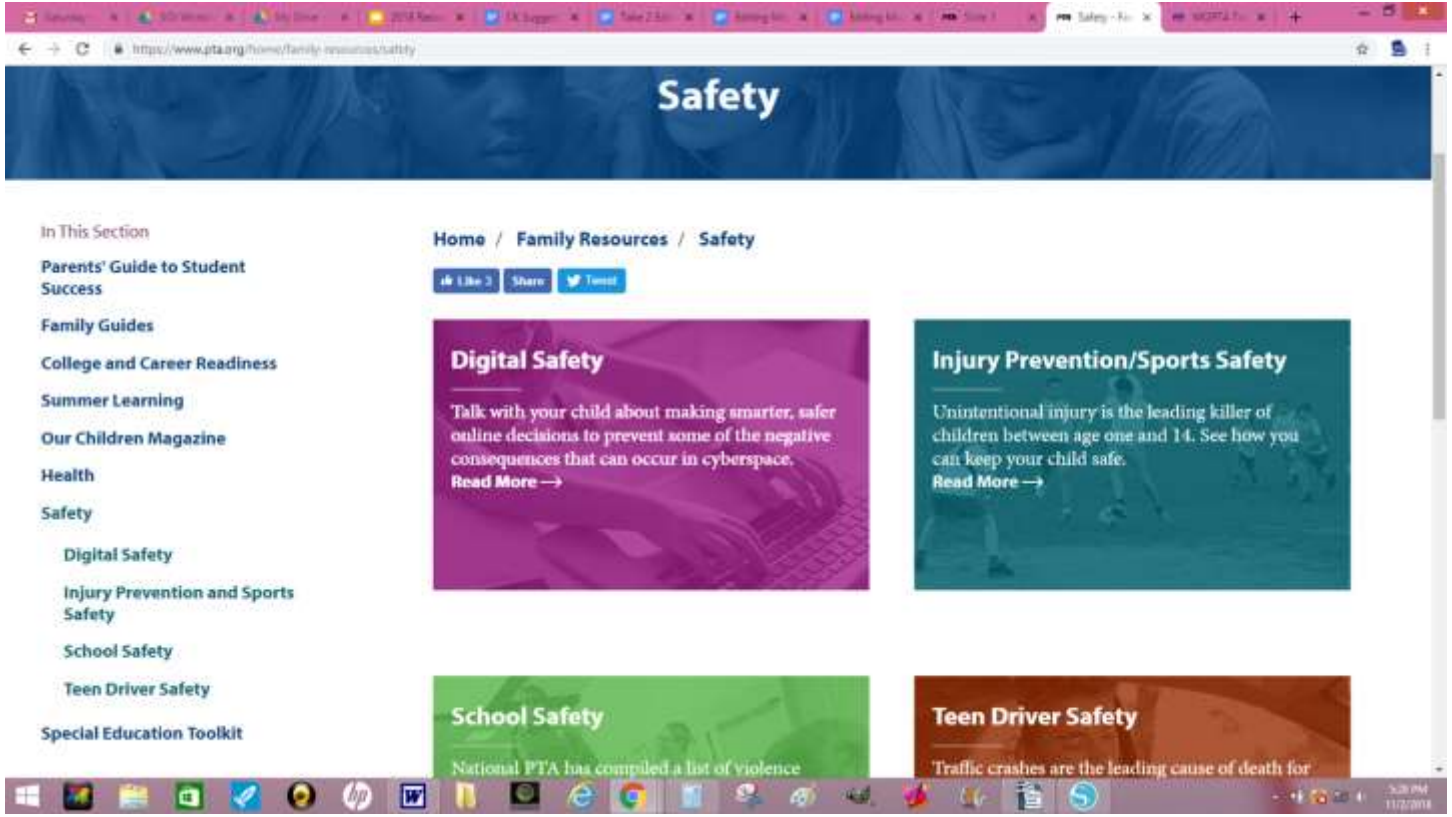

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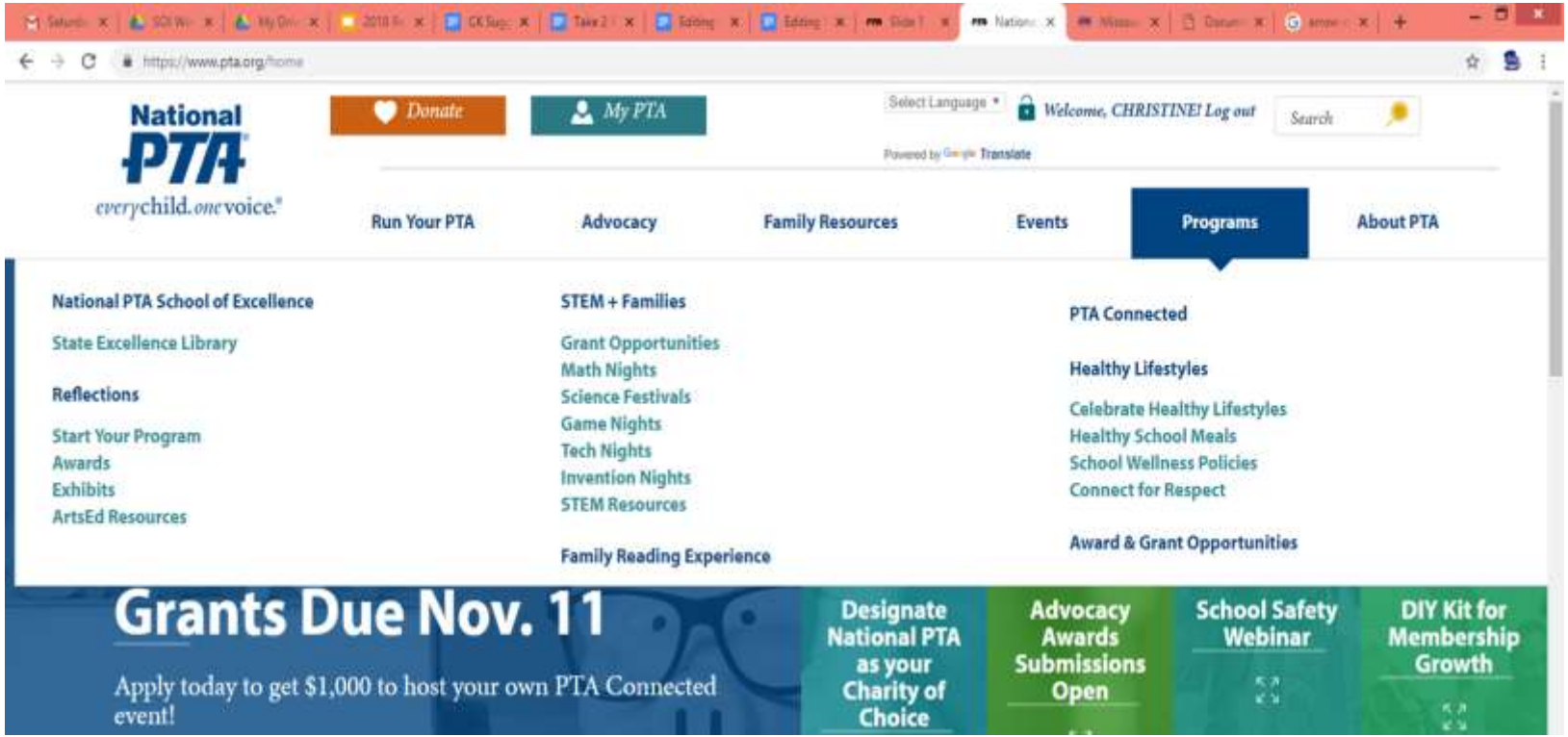

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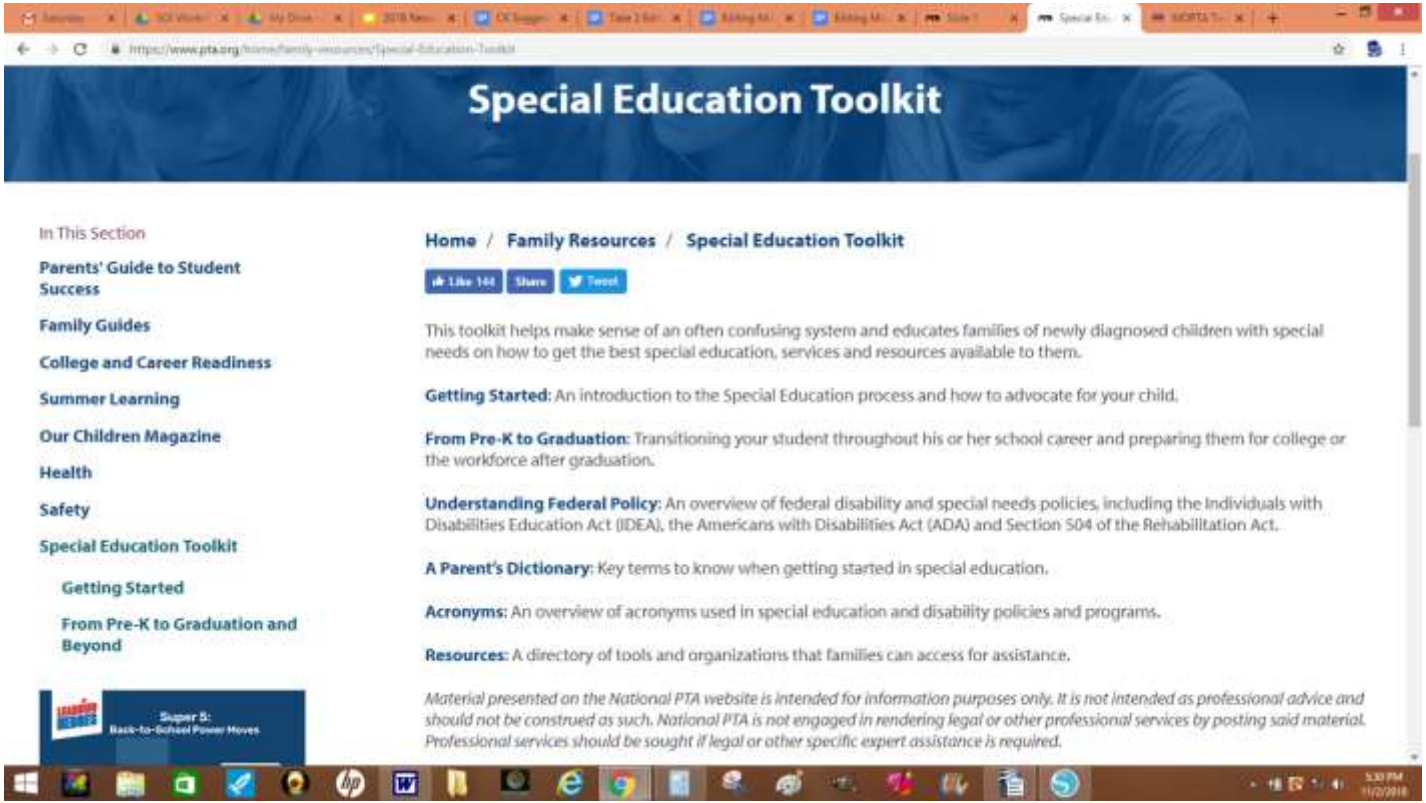

Special Education Toolkit

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Home / Family Resources / Special Education Toolkit

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This toolkit helps make sense of an often confusing system and educates families of newly diagnosed children with special needs on how to get the best special education, services and resources available to them.

Getting Started: An introduction to the Special Education process and how to advocate for your child.

From Pre-K to Graduation: Transitioning your student throughout his or her school career and preparing them for college or the workforce after graduation.

Understanding Federal Policy: An overview of federal disability and special needs policies, including the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act.

A Parent's Dictionary: Key terms to know when getting started in special education.

Acronyms: An overview of acronyms used in special education and disability policies and programs.

Resources: A directory of tools and organizations that families can access for assistance.

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The Unique Voice for Parents

Our Children Magazine is the unique voice for parents, published by **National PTA**, created for the parent who's always on the go and looking for the best info to help their child excel at school and in life.

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- **Parenting**
- **Wellness**
- **Education**
- **PTA Community**

Our Children e-Newsletter

Sign up to receive the Our Children e-newsletter. Get access to ideas and tips that will help your kids—and the whole family—throughout the year!

Other Useful Resources

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File 990 is the fastest, safest, and easiest way to e-file your 990-N form or 990 EZ form. Complete and submit your form directly to the IRS in minutes. Receive IRS acceptance notification on your dashboard within 24 hours.

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Document Storage & Email:

Google - Google offers access to the G Suite of apps, email, expanded document storage, google calendars and more. https://www.google.com/nonprofits/

Communication with members/board:

Create an email database from memberships and use to send reminders, newsletters, etc. Remind.com is a service that members can subscribe to, and you can send out reminders or messages easily from a phone or computer. You can create separate groups for the individual needs of your PTA.

Getting Volunteers:

SignUpGenius.com is BRILLIANT! If you want volunteers, you have to ASK for them. SignUpGenius takes a lot of the work out of managing volunteers. You upload your email database, create your sign up and send it out. People can sign up for time slots, items to bring, etc, and SignUpGenius will keep track of it all and even send people reminders!

Other PTA Websites

What are other PTA’s doing?

The BEST Resource of all is our VOLUNTEERS!

Thank you,
for all that you do!