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Position statement
PTAs sponsoring non-PTA groups

Missouri PTA recognizes that an individual unit or council PTA may work in concert with many community organizations, however Missouri PTA, its units and councils should not sponsor another group that has any one of the following criteria:

1. its own Employer Identification Number (EIN),
2. is based on religious or philosophical parameters that are not in line with the National PTA's 501 (c)(3) educational basis as defined by the Internal Revenue Service,
3. requires that the PTA be responsible for reporting to the IRS on behalf of the group their 990 Return of Organization Exempt Form Income Tax information,
4. and/or requires the PTA to vouch for the character or morals of the other group's members.

"Alone we can do so little, together we can do so much"
Helen Keller