

AUDIT CHECKLIST - attach to the Audit form and recommendations

Financial records provided: (Originals)	YES	NO
<input type="checkbox"/> Bylaws & Standing Rules <input type="checkbox"/> Budget(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Last Audit Report <input type="checkbox"/> Ledger <input type="checkbox"/> Checkbook register <input type="checkbox"/> Cancelled checks (including voids) <input type="checkbox"/> Authorizations for Payment <input type="checkbox"/> Cash Verification Forms <input type="checkbox"/> Bank statements, bank books and deposit slips <input type="checkbox"/> Receipts/bills <input type="checkbox"/> Cash receipts <input type="checkbox"/> Executive board minutes <input type="checkbox"/> Association minutes <input type="checkbox"/> Committee minutes <input type="checkbox"/> Monthly Treasurer and Financial Secretary reports <input type="checkbox"/> Annual Financial Report <input type="checkbox"/> Tax return filed	Y	N
Beginning Balance Records		
1. Check to see if amount shown on first bank statement (adjusted for outstanding checks and deposits corresponds to the starting balance recorded in checkbook register, ledger, treasurer's report and ending balance of last audit	Y	N
Bank Reconciliation	Y	N
1. All bank statements reconciled since last audit by treasurer and one other person	Y	N
2. Ending balances (checkbook register, ledger and treasurer report) agree with last bank statement (adjusted for outstanding checks and deposits not posted to bank statement).	Y	N
3. Deposits and Checks Written: (signed by two: president, treasurer and one other <i>elected officer</i>)	Y	N
a) Recorded in checkbook register	Y	N
b) Recorded in ledger in proper columns	Y	N
c) Agree with treasurer reports	Y	N
4. Bank charges and interest recorded in checkbook register, ledger and treasurer reports	Y	N
Membership		
1. Amount recorded and deposited equals total number of memberships # _____ (members) @ \$ _____ (membership dues listed in bylaws)	Y	N
2. Amount forwarded to council/district PTA equals total number of memberships # _____ (members) @ \$ _____ (amount listed in bylaws)	Y	N
Insurance – premium(s) forwarded to council/district by deadline date	Y	N
Minutes		
1. All expenditures approved and recorded in executive board minutes (List those expenditures not approved on recommendation report)	Y	N
2. All expenditures approved/ratified in association minutes (List those expenditures not approved on recommendation report)	Y	N
3. Committee minutes record plans, proposed expenditures, and total of monies earned	Y	N
Authorizations for Payment (signed by two: president, financial secretary or secretary)	Y	N
1. All authorizations written for approved amounts. (List missing authorizations on recommendation report)	Y	N
2. All authorizations have receipt/bill attached. (List missing receipts/bills on recommendation report)	Y	N
Income		
1. Cash receipts used	Y	N
2. Cash Verification Forms used with two people counting money	Y	N
3. Income received matches deposits recorded in checkbook register, ledger and treasurer reports	Y	N
4. Designated income spent as approved	Y	N
Financial Secretary Reports		
1. Filed monthly	Y	N
2. Receipts/Deposits agree with ledger & register	Y	N
3. Authorizations match checks written	Y	N
Treasurer Reports		
1. Filed monthly	Y	N
2. Agree with ledger and checkbook register	Y	N
3. Annual Financial Report	Y	N
Tax Returns		
1. Filed annually (if required)	Y	N
Audit Reports		
1. Audit done semiannually	Y	N
2. Prepare and present written report with recommendations to executive board	Y	N
3. Present audit report to association for adoption	Y	N
4. Forward report to the next level PTA (See Bylaws, Duties of Officers, Auditor)	Y	N
Audit Recommendations		
All "No" answers should be included in the report as recommendations to change financial procedures. At the completion of the audit, meet with president and financial officers to discuss recommendations and any corrections as needed. When errors have been corrected by a financial officer and accounts are accurate, draw a double line in red ink where the audit concludes on all records. Sign & date the audited materials.	Y	N
Mismanagement – If suspected, contact district PTA immediately for assistance.		