

Shawn Thompson, a product of Mansfield ISD, and Arlington native is looking to make waves as a breakthrough forerunner for Mansfield's School Board of Trustees Place 3. As a former student in the district, he was a standout in several sports, including football and track. Not only did he excel in sports, but was also an honor student throughout high school, at Mansfield Summit. After graduating, he went on to attend the University of Texas at Arlington, where he obtained multiple Bachelor's degrees in Business Marketing and Management. He is a devoted member to the Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society.

Shawn and his college sweetheart are the parents of seven gifted children, who attend various schools throughout Mansfield ISD.. Having children in the district is his driving force behind his decision to run for the school board. Shawn wants to play a paramount part in the decision-making process that impacts his kids' lives, and all kids alike.

As a State Licensed Adjuster and Tax Professional, Shawn spends his free time volunteering as a Coach and Board member for youth sports and nonprofit organizations since 2011. In 2017, Shawn was nominated for the Board of Directors Vice President of the Arlington Blue Devils Sports Association, a position he would remain until 2021. He has also served a UIL-certified referee for many years.

Ultimately, his vision for the district is to help meet the needs culturally and academically, of kids and district, by filling the gap between traditional values and the new generation.