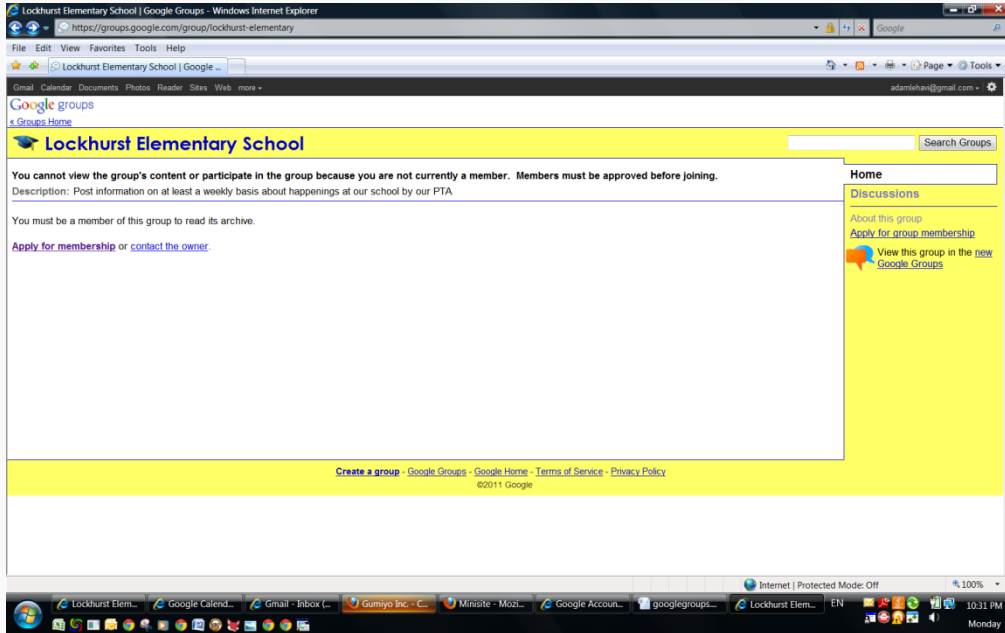


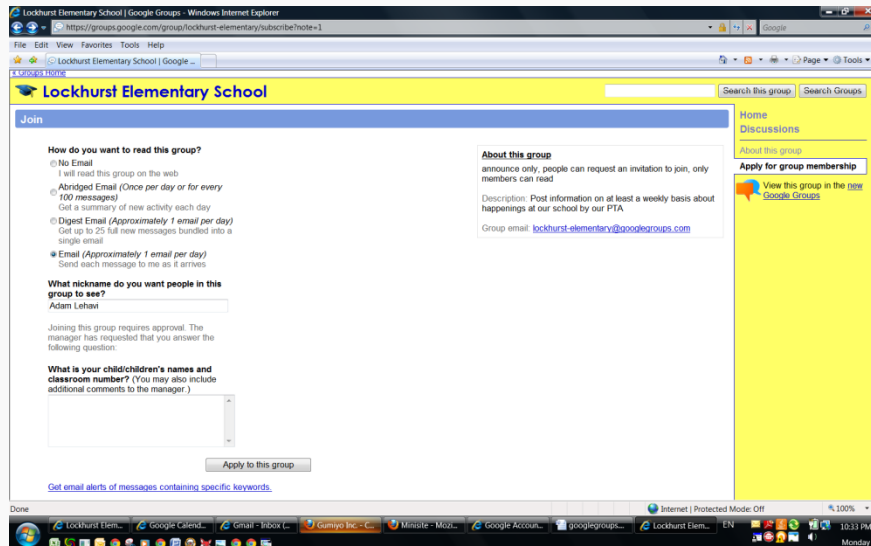


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**TO RECEIVE WEEKLY EMAILS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM THE PTSA AS WELL AS THE MONTHLY NEWSLETTER, PLEASE GO TO [HTTPS://GROUPS.GOOGLE.COM/GROUP/LOCKHURST-ELEMENTARY](https://groups.google.com/group/lockhurst-elementary)**

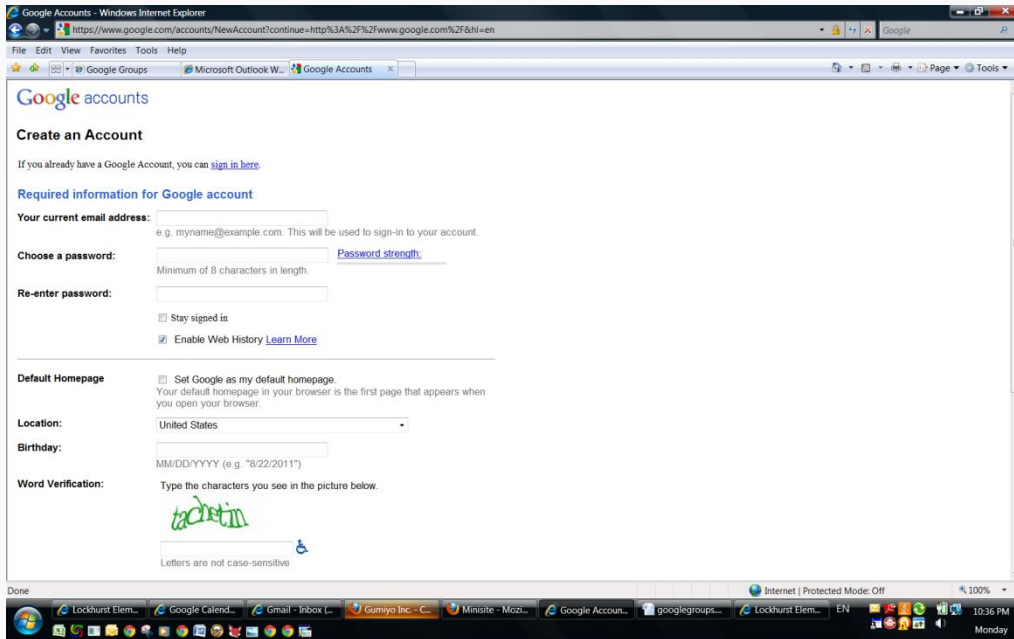


**AND CLICK ON APPLY FOR MEMBERSHIP.**



**THEN APPLY TO THIS GROUP. YOUR REQUEST WILL BE APPROVED WITHIN 24 HOURS AND YOU WILL THEN RECEIVE OUR WEEKLY PDATES, THE NEWSLETTER AND OTHER PTSA COORESPONDENCE.**

**YOU WILL NEED TO CREATE A GOOGLE ACCOUNT IF YOU DO NOT HAVE ONE, BUT YOU CAN USE ANY EMAIL YOU CHOOSE. THE ACCOUNT IS FREE.**



The screenshot shows the 'Create an Account' page on the Google Accounts website. The page is displayed in a Windows Internet Explorer browser window. The URL in the address bar is <https://www.google.com/accounts/NewAccount?continue=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.google.com%2F&hl=en>. The page content includes the following sections:

- Create an Account**: A heading with a link to sign in if the user already has an account.
- Required information for Google account**: A section with the following fields:
  - Your current email address:** A text input field with a placeholder example: "e.g. myname@example.com. This will be used to sign-in to your account."
  - Choose a password:** A text input field with a "Password strength" link and a note: "Minimum of 8 characters in length."
  - Re-enter password:** A text input field.
  - Stay signed in
  - Enable Web History [Learn More](#)
- Default Homepage**: A checkbox labeled "Set Google as my default homepage" with a sub-note: "Your default homepage in your browser is the first page that appears when you open your browser."
- Location:** A dropdown menu currently set to "United States".
- Birthday:** A text input field with a placeholder: "MM/DD/YYYY (e.g. '8/22/2011')".
- Word Verification:** A section with the instruction "Type the characters you see in the picture below." and a CAPTCHA image showing the word "LACHURST". Below the image is a text input field and a note: "Letters are not case-sensitive".

**CREATING THIS ACCOUNT AND JOINING THE GROUP GIVES THE PTSA PERMISSION TO SEND YOU SCHOOL INFORMATION. THE GROUP IS SIMPLY AN EASY WAY TO SEND OUT MASS EMAILS. NO ONE ELSE IN THE GROUP CAN ACCESS YOUR EMAIL OR SEND YOU EMAILS. IF YOU NO LONGER WANT TO RECEIVE THE EMAILS, YOU MAY UNSUBSCRIBE AT ANY TIME. YOU WILL NOW RECEIVE THE EMAILS DIRECTLY TO YOUR INBOX. THE SENDER WILL BE LOCKHURST ELEMENTARY. YOU CAN ALSO GO TO THE GROUP WEB PAGE AND READ ANY OF THE PREVIOUS EMAILS OR SEE ATTACHMENTS AS WELL.**

**CONTACT [SHERILEHAVI@GMAIL.COM](mailto:SHERILEHAVI@GMAIL.COM) IF YOU NEED HELP.**