

Pre-Community Involvement Essay

Before you write your plan for community service you must find an agency or group that represents your interests and will allow you to volunteer. We will help you think of possibilities but **YOU** have to make the contact, get their permission, and design a work plan that helps them and meets your needs. Please choose volunteer hours that you can benefit from and enjoy.

As you are completing your community involvement, think of ways you can “picture” your experience, so that you will be able to use visual aids to help your audience relate to your experience. Your visual aids should provide information about your community involvement experience to your audience, enhancing your presentation. You may choose to create a Power Point Presentation, demonstrate tools you used, show slides....

Pre-Community Involvement Plan Instructions:

The plan is a written description of what you plan to do after you have received permission to work for a volunteer agency. Please follow the guidelines below when writing your community involvement plan.

→ **Paragraph #1:**

1. Name the agency and contact person whom you have contacted.
2. List the person who will act as your supervisor for the project, if different from the agency contact person, list what the supervisor’s roll is, their title, and how to contact that person.
3. Describe the length of the session and dates you will work.

→ **Paragraph #2**

1. Describe why you chose this particular agency to volunteer for.
2. Describe any current experience you have in your volunteer field.

→ **Paragraph #3**

1. Describe what you expect to learn/accomplish while volunteering
2. What impact do you feel your involvement will have on the community?

You must also provide the agency with the name of your KHS SSR teacher and the SSR teacher’s phone number and a copy of your Community Involvement Plan.