

Service-Learning

At Kellogg Community College

Taking a course with a Service-Learning option but don't know where to start? Use this flyer to find out what types of service you can do and ways to connect with community partners.

Types of Service:

- *Direct Service*- Activities that directly involve interaction with the recipient of the service, such as mentoring in a K-12 classroom.
- *Indirect Service*- Activities that do not directly involve the recipient, but will benefit them, such as organizing a food drive to help a local food pantry.
- *Advocacy*- Using voice and action to promote a cause, such as making calls to local businesses to support a neighborhood watch program.

Ways to Find Service-Learning Placements:

- Discuss appropriate types of service projects with your instructor; your instructor might be able to give you suggestions about local nonprofits to serve at that tie in with course outcomes
- There is a list of partners on the Service-Learning web page. Follow the *Community Partners* tab to find a spreadsheet with a list of organizations, opportunities and contact information.
- Check out Hands On Battle Creek's volunteer database, HandsOn Connect. Log onto www.handsonbc.org to find opportunities.
- Visit the Service-Learning Office to receive support from the Service-Learning team.

What do I do after finding a placement site?

- Pick up Service-Learning forms from your instructor
 - Letter introducing student to community partner
 - Service-Learning expectation sheet and contract
 - Hours Record
- Meet with the community partner
- Return the forms to your instructor
- Start serving



More information can be found at
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