

VOLUSIA COUNTY SCHOOLS
VOLUNTEER/PARTNERSHIP PROGRAMS

YOUTH PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM

Student Volunteers in Community Service



OBJECTIVE

Encourage secondary school students to serve as community volunteers, and increase their awareness of the community and the lifelong value of volunteerism.

DUTIES

Students volunteer in community service roles. They may assist seniors and/or physically challenged citizens, youth in the community and/or schools, the homeless, religious and/or civic organizations and in other areas identified as needing voluntary services.

TRAINING

All students must attend a training session with the school YPP Coordinator on general volunteer service and the Youth Partnership Program. They will also receive additional training/orientation from the recipient volunteer agency or organization.

DURATION

Students are expected to be in an extended, routine relationship with the agency or organization they select. Students may also participate in specific projects for special community needs.

RECOGNITION

Student contributions of at least 20 community service hours annually receive a certificate. Contributions of more than 75 hours prior to graduation receive a service pin and certificate (seniors only). Service hours count toward the VCS Honors Diploma, Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Program, and the International Baccalaureate Program.

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