

Community Service Reflection

Thank you for completing service in your community this year! We hope you enjoyed your contribution and will continue to look for opportunities to serve. Below are several learning outcomes related to service. Please address these questions completely as you are able – details are needed.

1. What type of activities did you choose to do and for which agencies or groups of people? Include some description of how your service involved collaborating with others.
2. What personal strengths did you see in yourself? What areas of growth did you see?
3. Describe how you planned these service activities by addressing some of these questions: how did you decide what you wanted to do; what steps did you take; what help did you need from others; what challenges did you face?
4. Choose **one** of the questions below to include in your reflection:
 - a. The Chinese philosopher Sun Yat-sen said, “The key to success is action, and the essential in action is perseverance.” What does perseverance mean to you and how does it apply to your service to others or to your life in general?
 - b. What did you learn or gain a new perspective on as a result of this service?
5. Evaluate by responding to some of these questions: How did the whole process go? Were you pleased with your service? What are your thoughts about it? Would you do it again – why or why not? What recommendations do you have for others considering this type of service?