



**Grades 9-12**

## **“Find A Way to Serve”**

- **Form a school club whose focus is community service work. Organize it so it is sustainable, so future classes can participate.**
- **Volunteer to tutor students who need help with academic work or study skills.**
- **Read aloud to a person who is visually impaired.**
- **Organize a reading hour for children at your school or library.**
- **Make reading or math flashcards for elementary students.**
- **Set up a buddy system at your school for students with special needs.**
- **Coordinate with school resource officers to create a booklet that teaches young children how to stay safe at home while their parents are away.**
- **Collect shoes, eyeglasses, etc. for children in a third world country**
- **Create a cookbook to sell and donate profits to charity.**
- **Organize a food or clothing drive and donate the proceeds to a local charity.**
- **Organize a food drive for a local animal shelter.**
- **Volunteer at a local animal shelter.**
- **Help an elderly neighbor with yard work.**
- **Interview senior citizens and report on – personal histories, community, and stories of character.**
- **Make gift baskets and deliver to senior citizens or veterans in hospitals.**
- **Sing, perform a play, give a magic show, host a dance, or play an instrument for senior citizens.**
- **Become pen pals with residents of a local senior center.**
- **Help an elderly neighbor with their yard work.**
- **Work with senior citizens to create a "then and now" book on themes such as school, childhood games, work, recreation food, music, etc.**
- **Translate town pamphlets and flyers into other languages to help community members who do not speak English.**
- **Organize and host an event to help prepare students making the transition to (middle school or high school).**
- **Volunteer at your local public library once a week.**
- **Volunteer at a local soup kitchen or food bank.**

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