Guidelines for Service Learning for the Alleghany Educational Foundation

Service learning activities are defined as those activities that provide a benefit to the community.

Activities that will typically count as service learning:

- Activities completed for a nonprofit organization
- Service activities as part of a school sponsored activity
- Any activity that is posted/announced by the Alleghany Educational Foundation (AEF) requesting volunteers
- Volunteer activities with youth sports organizations (coach, field personnel, etc) or school-sponsored sports (team manager, scorekeeper, videographer, etc)
- Church mission trips (only working hours), bible school, or mission activities

Activities that will typically **not** count as service learning:

- Any activities performed for family members
- Babysitting, unless there are extenuating circumstances (i.e.: providing respite for parents with a special needs child)
- Regular club activities meetings, conferences, etc. (Club community service activities will count)
- Yard-work, unless there are extenuating circumstances (i.e.: providing services for an elderly or handicapped person)
- Sleep hours on overnight activities (mission trips, camp counselors, etc)
- Activities such as theater productions, concerts, etc.
- Hours completed as part of the Graduation project

If you have an activity that you feel is community service but you are unsure if it meets the above criteria, please see an AEF staff member to have it approved. It is recommended that you get approval prior to completing the activity to ensure it will count towards your hours.

All activities must be verified with a signature from the responsible person. Family members **may not** sign off on service learning activities.

To access the Service Learning Hours Form please visit the Trojan TRAX page on the Alleghany Educational Foundation website at alleghanyedfoundation.org. If you have questions please call 336-372-5010.

Service Learning Opportunities

Program Phone	Contact Person & Email	Provider Name	Program Services
919.270.8436	Cole Baker-Bagwell -	Alleghany Arts Council	Arts programming in community
336.372.5959	Kelley Pernell - alleghcares@skybest.com	Alleghany Cares	Thrift store, scholarships, hearing/vision/dental,transportation
336.372.5573	Debbie Brewer - dbrewer@nwrl.org	Alleghany County Library	Various programming & resources
336.372.2942	Randy Murphy - randy.murphy@alleghanycoun ty-nc.gov	Alleghany County Recreation	Athletic opportunities for community
336.363.3194	Marlene Crouse - crouse.marlene@yahoo.com	Alleghany Memorial Thrift Store	Thrift store
336.372.7844	Tammy Mason - apcc@skybest.com	Alleghany Pregnancy Center	Support to during and after pregnancy
336.372.2944	Steve Mason - alleghanywellnesscenter@gmail .com	Alleghany Wellness Center	Indoor pool and other physical fitness opportunities
336.372.2441	Mandy Johnson - amanda.johnson@genesishc.c om	Genesis Nursing and Rehabilitation	Nursing home and rehab center
336.640.1081	Angela Williams	The Landings of Chestnut Grove	Independent and Assisted Living
336.372.4545	Misty Shaw - myount@mtnvalleyhospice.or g	Mountain Valley Hospice Re-Sale Shoppe	Thrift store
336.372.2846	Kathy Bobbitt - kjbobbitt.apfc@gmail.com	Partnership for Children	Childcare and children's services
336.372.6560	Larry Myers	Solid Rock Food Closet	Food distribution