

Upcoming SSL Opportunities – January 2024

“Life’s most persistent and urgent question is, ‘What are you doing for others?’” ~Martin Luther King, Jr.

Here are some of the many current MCPS SSL Opportunities available on www.montgomeryserves.org.

#MCPSServes #BeWell365 (Character Education and Empathy) @mcpsvolunteers on Twitter and Instagram



To Find Additional Virtual/Remote Service Opportunities, click here: <https://bit.ly/VirtualSSL2020>

Title	Organization	Description	Ages	Date	Location
Preventing Islamophobia	Montgomery County Public Schools	Learn what Islamophobia is and how to identify, prevent, and respond to it with Dr. Susan Douglass from Georgetown University!	11+	Jan 16	Virtual/remote
Remembering the Holocaust	Montgomery County Public Schools	Join us for this webinar to learn about the Holocaust and the artwork of a Holocaust survivor, Esther Nisenthal Krinitz!	11+	Jan 25	Virtual/remote
Choose Respect PSA Contest	Montgomery County Public Schools	Create an original 60-second video to promote awareness of dating violence/abuse among teens. Be creative!	11+	Deadline: Feb 11	Virtual/remote
Living Organ Donor Video Contest	Delegate Pam Queen’s Office	Create a 60-second video that addresses living organ donor awareness!	11+	Deadline: Mar 31	Virtual/remote
Keeping It Safe Video Contest	ABS-LRE	Create a 30-second PSA about the risks and dangers of under 21 alcohol use.	11+	Deadline: Mar 31	Virtual/remote
Virtual KindSoup for Students	KindWorks	Join our monthly virtual meetings to cook together and make delicious and nutritious food for those in the community!	14+	First Sundays	Virtual/remote
Making blankets for children	MCAFCE	Knit, sew, or crochet at home to make blankets as gifts for hospitalized children!	11+	Ongoing	Virtual/remote
Meal Providers at Local Shelters	Interfaith Works	Help prepare meals for clients at our local shelters!	11+	Ongoing	Virtual/remote
Assorted Service Projects	High Schoolers for Front Liners	Help those in need by making small heart pillows , writing letters to veterans , making homemade masks , and/or making lap blankets for seniors and cardiac patients.	11+	Ongoing	Virtual/remote
Assorted Service Projects	Kits to Heart	Bring smiles and solidarity to those affected by cancer by making these items for our cancer care kits: heart pillows , knit bags or hats , inspiring letters , art journals , or face masks .	11+	Ongoing	Virtual/remote
Assorted Service Projects	Small Things Matter	Help families in need by making baked goods , casseroles , or sandwiches .	11+	Ongoing	Virtual/remote
Assorted Service Projects	The Tacy Foundation	Create music and stories of cheer for the winter/spring , seniors , or hospital patients , or serve as musical mentors or tutors !	11+	Ongoing	Virtual/remote

To Find Additional In-Person SSL Opportunities, click here: <https://bit.ly/SSLOpportunities>

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<u>MLK Day of Service</u>	Montgomery County Volunteer Center	Check out the many in-person SSL opportunities available on MLK Day!	11+	Jan 15	Various locations
<u>Winter Cleanup</u>	Montgomery Parks, M-NCPPC	Celebrate the New Year with a Winter Cleanup at Northgate Local Park!	11+	Jan 20	Aspen Hill
<u>Silent War Screening and Panel Discussion</u>	Montgomery County Public Schools	Join us for this brief movie screening of the film, Silent Wars, followed by a moderated panel discussion on mental health!	11+	Jan 23	Rockville
<u>Weed Warrior/ Cleanup Events</u>	City of Rockville Public Works	Help keep Rockville streams free of trash or assist with a non-native, invasive plant removal workday!	11+	Ongoing	Rockville
<u>Support Park Events</u>	Montgomery Parks, M-NCPPC	Looking for energetic volunteers to help support Montgomery Park's events, festivals and cleanups!	11+	Ongoing	Various locations
<u>Support Adoption Events</u>	Lucky Dog Animal Rescue	Come spend the afternoon with a Lucky Dog! We need dog handlers to show off each dog to potential adopters!	11+	Ongoing	Various locations
<u>Support Food Distribution</u>	Small Things Matter	Help pack produce and distribute food to the families that we serve in Takoma Park and Silver Spring!	11+	Ongoing	Takoma Park
<u>Grab & Go Food Distributions</u>	The Equity Center	Support our food distributions by packaging food into bags, loading bags into trucks, tearing down, and setting up!	11+	Saturdays	Gaithersburg
<u>Student Musicians for Live Concerts</u>	MusicAid Inc.	Seeking talented musicians to join our biweekly live in-person concerts at various assisted living facilities!	11+	Ongoing	Rockville Bethesda
<u>Blanket Making</u>	Project Linus Montgomery County	Help make fleece blankets for children experiencing trauma, illness, or other situations where special comfort is required.	11+	Ongoing	Rockville
<u>Food packing</u>	Here2Help	Help pack bags of food items for families in need!	11+	Sundays	Bethesda
<u>Gift shop support</u>	Holy Cross Health	Apply to serve in one of our hospital gift shops!	16+	Ongoing	Silver Spring Germantown
<u>Essential Support Volunteer</u>	A Wider Circle	Help us to sort donations and stock the showrooms in our community warehouse!	14+	Ongoing	Silver Spring
<u>After School Student Volunteers</u>	Montgomery Community Media	Support our instructors at Takoma Park Middle School with our after school program, Youth Media Academy!	14+	Ongoing	Takoma Park
<u>Tennis Volunteer</u>	ACEing Autism	Work one-on-one with a child with autism on the tennis court!	14+	Ongoing	Varies
<u>Assorted Service Activities</u>	KindWorks	Form new connections and find common ground, while serving alongside one another!	11+	Ongoing	Various locations