

Reseda Science Magnet Community Service

(as defined by the Reseda Science Magnet)

Community service is service without pay (compensation) to a non-profit organization or an individual or group in need of assistance. The service shall not earn the student any academic credit or co-curricular remuneration.

Approved Projects

1. Must contribute to the completion of a task, which will benefit the community, needy individuals and/or groups in the community.
2. If community service involves direct solicitation of funds and activity, the maximum number of hours may not exceed 10 per year (requires prior approval).
3. Must not place students in any situation, which would pose a risk to their health or safety.
4. Must not be for any political party, lobbying or special interest group, or family member.
5. Community service through religiously affiliated organizations is permitted; however, participation in forms of worship or religious instruction shall not be counted towards the fulfillment of the community service.
6. Must occur outside the school day
7. Must not be service mandated by a court
8. Service must be verifiable

Acceptable Community Service

1. Hospital (not private practice)
2. Public Library
3. Public School
4. Convalescent Homes
5. Food Pantry
6. Heal the Bay
7. Parks & Recreation
8. Recording for the Blind and Dyslexic
9. House of worship
10. Supervised tutoring

Not acceptable community service

1. Working for family members
2. Working for a private business
3. Attending meetings

All other community service must be pre-approved in order to guarantee credit.