

KEITER: SERVICE LEARNING OUTSIDE OF THE S-L-P

STUDENT NAME: _____

Congratulations! If you've taken the time to download this form, you're probably interested in getting credit for some sort of volunteer work you've performed on your own or with the family. Turn it in to me *in person*. Be ready to serve as an example to others by talking about what you did. Oh...and thanks!

I. IDENTIFIED COMMUNITY AND NEED

A. What group (or person who is a member of a group) did you help? Who were you providing some service or assistance for? (This is not the same as the group you may have been working *with*, such as your church or some volunteer group; this is the person or people you were helping in some way.)

B. What exactly did you DO? How did you help? What was your job? For example, you may have been serving food in a cafeteria or shelter; you may have helped deliver supplies; you may have been doing anything in the process of providing assistance. **Be specific.**

C. THE BIG PICTURE: How did your service help someone/ some group in any way? See yourself as part of a bigger picture. For example, you may have been carrying boxes of supplies in a food bank. How did your *small action* serve as a bigger goal (in this case, of helping to supply hungry people with food from the food bank)? **This is the hardest bit. Think before you write.**

D. FEELINGS: How did doing this work make you FEEL? Focus on your emotions, not the physical aspects of the work (although you can mention those).

Nice work!!

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