

COMMUNITY SERVICE IDEAS
CSF/CJSF STATE MOTTO, "SCHOLARSHIP FOR SERVICE"

Adopt a family in need (e.g., Thanksgiving)
Assist at Open House or Back-to-School Night
Assist at track meets and other school or community events
Assist during textbook distribution
Beach Cleanup
Book Drive for Children's Hospital or Women's Shelter
Campus Beautification
Celebrate the local police or firefighters and host a dinner for them
Collect coats or blankets for the homeless
Collect e-waste and donate items for a cause
Collect new or gently used books for local shelters or a school in need
Collect shoes for the homeless
Collect tee shirts for students in need
Contact a chapter of Make-A-Wish Foundation for opportunities to help
Furnish refreshments at Senior Awards Night
Give computer lessons to the elderly
Go online to the community volunteer center for places to serve
Help at events for special needs children
Help in a soup kitchen
Help with Freshman Orientation
Help with School's Track Meet
Hold a canned food drive for those in need
Hold a Christmas toy drive
Host Knowledge Bowl competitions (Jeopardy –style trivia) between teachers and students/student teams
Host the school district's annual spelling bee
Make holiday cards or write notes to military personnel
Mentor new students (Link Crew)
Operation Mom
Organize a campus blood drive in coordination with the American Red Cross
Organize a school supply drive for schools in need
Organize a staff appreciation day event
Participate in campus clean-up (or beach clean-up)
Participate in Relay for Life
Pennies for Patients
Place flags on Veterans' graves at holidays
Planting trees on campus or community parks
Provide hospitality treats for new students or for Teacher Recognition Week
Relay for Life
Run the school's tutoring center
Send supplies to troops or families in need (Adopt a Soldier)
Sing or provide entertainment at hospitals or retirement homes
Socks for the homeless
Sort textbooks for school textbook room
Stuffed animal drive for a Children's Hospital
Toy Drive to partner with Marines
Usher at school events
Visit convalescent hospitals or senior centers

Volunteer at a hospital, school or library

Volunteer at a local festival or community event

Write poetry for the elderly

Write stories for inspiration and share with the sick or elderly