

Get Involved!

Visit the
**Kirtland Community College
Service Learning website at:**

<http://kirtland.edu/service>

While there, please feel free to explore our community service searchable database, where anyone can locate the perfect place to perform any community service/service learning.



Service Learning Courses are available in:



- ◆ American Sign Language
- ◆ Automotive
- ◆ Business
- ◆ Science
- ◆ Cosmetology
- ◆ Massage Therapy
- ◆ Computer Information Systems
- ◆ Mathematics
- ◆ English
- ◆ M-TEC at Kirtland-Gaylord
- ◆ History
- ◆ Nursing

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Your Success is Our Business



**SERVICE LEARNING
OPPORTUNITIES**



What is Service Learning?

Service Learning is a method:

- ◆ Under which students learn and develop through active participation.
- ◆ By which thoughtfully organized service experiences meet actual community needs.
- ◆ That is integrated into students' academic curriculum and/or provides structured time for a student to think, talk, or write about what the student did and saw during the service activity.
- ◆ That provides students with opportunities to use newly acquired skills and knowledge in real-life situations and within their own communities.
- ◆ That enhances what is taught in school by extending student learning beyond the classroom and into the community, further helping to foster the development of a sense of caring for others.



(From the National and Community Service Act)

Kirtland's Service Learning Projects

Kirtland Community College is proud to partner with Michigan Campus Compact and the Community College National Center for Community Engagement to encourage students in their pursuit of community service.



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Learning from Experience:

"Service to the community should permeate all aspects of our lives. To this end, there must be an attitude of helping the community that is evident in the support services in an institution..."

...We believe that a community college has a responsibility to be a leader in modeling civic engagement for its citizens."

- Dr. Thomas Quinn, President
Kirtland Community College

Student Quotes:

"...I felt that this was a good learning experience. I walked away with more knowledge...and I would definitely volunteer more."

"...At first, I did not like the idea. I do believe having students do this lab for class is a great way to show people how they can get a great feeling for doing things for people."



"You grow up taking classes, and you question why you need to know this or if you are never going to use it. The community service activity helps you realize that you do use some of it..."

"...I would not trade this experience in for any other that I have experienced at school..."

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