

CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY SERVICE

LEARNING TO SERVE AND SERVING TO LEARN

Please review the guidelines on the back of this form and the [DPCDSB Christian Community Involvement Passport Companion Parent Resource Manual](http://www.dpcdsb.org/JOANA/Guidance/Community+Involvement.htm) to ensure that the proposed activity meets all eligibility requirements. This document can be accessed at: <http://www.dpcdsb.org/JOANA/Guidance/Community+Involvement.htm>

Given below is the outline of my service work proposal. I understand that I must obtain the agreement of my parent/guardian if I am under 18. **I UNDERSTAND THAT IF THE PROPOSED ACTIVITY IS NOT ONE APPROVED BY THE DUFFERIN-PEEL CDSB, I MUST OBTAIN APPROVAL FROM THE PRINCIPAL PRIOR TO THE COMMENCEMENT OF THE ACTIVITY.** I further understand that my service responsibility includes reflection on the people and events encountered, my feelings about the service and what I learned.

Student Name _____

Name & Location of Sponsoring Agency _____

Description of my contribution to the community through this activity

Estimated Number of Hours _____

Signature of Principal
(if required)

Signature of Student

Signature of Parent

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This is to certify that _____ has completed _____ hours
of the community service experience outlined above.

Date completed

Service Supervisor (name & phone number)

Supervisor's signature

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OFFICE USE ONLY: This is to certify that _____ hours of Christian Community Service have been
recorded in the student's school file.

Signature of School Official

Date Entered

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Students must complete **40 hours** of recorded community service as an Ontario Secondary School Diploma requirement.

Hours to Date _____

ELIGIBLE ACTIVITIES

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- An event or activity performed with the community as an expression of faith
- An event or activity designed to be of benefit to the community
- An even or activity to support a non-for-profit agency that conforms to the ethical and religious standards of the Dufferin-Peel Catholic District School Board and the Ministry of Education
- Any structured program tat promotes tutoring, mentoring or coaching
- Participation in an event or activity that promotes positive environmental awareness
- Participation in an event or activity that contributes to the health and well-being of any ethical group that conforms to community standards or morality and conduct
- Participation in an event or activity affiliated with a club, religious organization, arts or cultural association, or political organization that seeks to make a positive and ethical contribution in the community

INELIGIBLE ACTIVITIES

The Ministry of Education and Training has developed a list of activities that may NOT be chosen as community involvement activities and that are, therefore, INELIGIBLE ACTIVITIES. An ineligible activity is an activity that:

- **is a requirement of a class or course in which the student is enrolled;**
- **takes place during the time allotted for the instructional program on a school day.** However, an activity that takes place during lunch break or spare is permissible;
- takes place in a factory, if the student is under fifteen years of age;
- takes place in a logging or mining environment if the student is under sixteen years of age;
- takes place in a workplace other than a factory, if the student is under fourteen years of age and is note accompanied by an adult;
- **would normally be performed for wages by a person in the workplace;**
- involves the operation of a vehicle, power tools or scaffolding;
- involves the administration of any type or form of medication or medical procedures to other persons;
- involves handling of substances classed as “designated substances” under the Occupational Health and Safety Act;
- requires the knowledge of a tradesperson whose trade is regulated by the provincial government;
- involves banking or the handling of securities, or the handling of jewelry, works of art, antiques or other valuables;
- **consists of duties normally performed in the home (i.e. daily chores) or personal recreational activities.**

The Dufferin-Peel Catholic District School Board has determined that the following are also INELIGIBLE ACTIVITIES:

- any activity that provides direct financial benefit or gain to the student or the student’s immediate family
- any association with an organization, or an organization activity, that does not comply with the ethical and religious standards, policies and procedures of the Dufferin-Peel Catholic District School Board.

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