

Heritage High School

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## **Community Service Form**

To Be Completed by STUDENT'S FAMILY Student \_\_\_\_\_\_Last, First \_\_\_\_\_ ID# \_\_\_\_\_ Class of \_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_ Home Address \_\_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP\_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone Parent e-mail Service cannot be done for pay or any kind of reward and should be in an activity that is helping others (non family members). We, the person signing below, have reviewed the information on the back side of this form, and in signing we verify and confirm the activity(ies) performed were legitimate. Student Signature\_\_\_\_\_ Parent Signature\_\_\_\_\_ To Be Completed by SERVICE PROVIDER Organizations Name Contact Name(s) / Title \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_ Phone Number e-mail address Brief description of purpose of your organization: Service Student Provided:\_\_\_\_\_ Date Service Began Date Service Ended I affirm and verify that the above named students did complete \_\_\_\_\_ hours of service to our organization. Signature Printed Name MHHS Counselor \_\_\_\_\_ Date\_\_\_\_\_ Entered into record on \_\_\_\_\_ Initial \_\_\_\_\_

## Midlothian Heritage High School Community Service Program

Starting with the 2005/2006 freshman class all Midlothian ISD high school students are required to complete a community service graduation requirement. According to the Midlothian Independent School District Strategic Plan and Board Policy, each 2009 graduate, and all those graduates thereafter, must complete 10 (ten) hours of community service during their high school career. It is the student's responsibility to complete the hours and to properly document service.

Below are the guidelines for earning community service hours:

- 1. The student will receive NO pay for services, in money or in kind support.
- 2. The service completed must benefit persons in need (outside of family members) through a non-profit or other organization, or fulfills civic need within community.
- 3. The service must be performed on the student's time, NOT during school hours.
- 4. The student is responsible for reporting their service hours, and completing the proper forms in a timely manner, through and with the guidance of student's Counselor.
- 5. Students may not overlap (count twice) service hours for other organizations such as Honor Society, PALS, Student Council, Community Service Problem Solvers, etc.
- 6. Community Service hours required as a result of legal actions DO NOT count.
- 7. Documentation must be signed by the student, the student's parent, and the adult supervisor of the service activity and are subject to verification by Midlothian Heritage High School/Midlothian Independent School District. Documentation form is on the front of this sheet.
- 8. Students transferring from outside the district will have their hours pro-rated.

A sampling of appropriate resources for community service activities: Hospitals, Food Banks, Blood Drives, Churches, Parks Department, Schools Libraries, Special Olympics, Animal Shelters, Social Service Programs, Nursing Homes, Service Clubs

BE SURE TO GET PRIOR APPROVAL FROM YOUR COUNSELOR OR ADMINISTRATOR OR COMMUNITY SERVICE COORDINATOR BEFORE STARTING ANY SERVICE ACTIVITY TO ENSURE THAT IT FITS WITHIN THE ESTABLISHED GUIDELINES!!