



RESOURCES FOR LEARNING MORE ABOUT COMMUNITY SERVICE

4-H LITERATURE – AVAILABLE FROM UW EXTENSION OFFICE

Service Learning Helper's Guide # 08184

Service Learning 1 - # 08182, *Agents of Change + CD*

- Learn to give back to your community
- Reflect on your experiences
- Identify community needs
- Plan a service project and execute the idea

Grades: 5-8

Service Learning 2 - # 08183, *Raise Your Voice + CD*

- Plan and implement your own service project
- Share with others your project plan and outcome
- Conduct an evaluation of your project

Grades: 9-12

Citizenship Guide's Handbook # 08154

Citizenship Adventure Kit # 08153

- discover and discuss public issues
- plan a project that will create, change or improve your community

Grades: 4-12

BOOKS

The Kid's Guide to Service Projects by Barbara A. Lewis – over 500 service ideas for young people (available from UW Extension Office)

Check out your Public Library for other publications

COMMUNITY AGENCIES

Volunteer Center of Fond du Lac County 920-926-1414; www.fdlvolunteer.com

- connects people with opportunities to serve
- promotes volunteering
- builds capacity for effective volunteering

Contact non-profit charitable organizations

WEB RESOURCES

4h.uwex.edu/onlinpro/citizenship.cfm – Wisconsin 4-H web page with resources. Also scroll down the page to 'Related Links' for even more resources

<http://4h.uwex.edu/pubs/pubdetails.cfm?publicationid=22660> - A guide with directions on how to facilitate 18 different hands-on reflection activities. All activities are centered on active participation by the youth and/or adult participants. Many activities include examples of reflection questions that you can use to guide a group discussion.

<http://www.dpi.wi.gov/sl/index.html> - Service Learning Implementation Guide from Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction

<http://www.extension.iastate.edu/4h/services/servicelearning.htm> - Iowa State University Extension – Turning Ideas Into Action. Also scroll down to the bottom of the page for even more resources and links

<http://www.utextension.utk.edu/4h/sos/resources/index.htm> - Tennessee 4-H

- * Service Learning Standard and Best Practice Guide
- * Service Learning Resource handouts
- * "Helping Hands" set of six lesson plans designed to help teach 4-H'ers about service learning
- * "Ready, Set, Serve!" four service learning projects that are ready to pick up, carry to a 4-H meeting, and conduct.



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