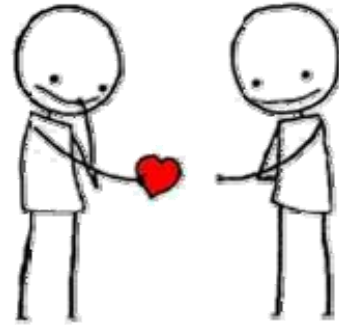


## COMMUNITY SERVICE IDEAS FOR YOUR SCHOOL

*"Kindness is a language which the deaf  
can hear and the blind can see."*

--Mark Twain

- Plant seeds, trees, or wildflowers.
- Pick up litter at a park.
- Put on a play at your school, a fair or festival about local environmental or human needs issues.
- Improve the school grounds.
- Develop and maintain a recycling program at school.
- Collect food, warm clothing, toys, or personal care items for the needy. Deliver to shelters.
- Hold a Teddy Bear and Friends (Stuffed Animals) Drive. Donate the collected animals to a Homeless Shelter for new arrivals or your local police station or fire station. Many are happy to take stuffed animals; a teddy bear can be a comfort to children in times of distress.
- Make center pieces, holiday cards, birthday cards, and notes for assisted living facilities, children hospital wards, or meals on wheels.
- Write letters or put together a care-package for service men/women.
- Establish a PEN PAL PROJECT with senior citizens in a nursing home; children in a local hospital, or children in another country.
- Design a campaign to promote tolerance and understanding of differences.
- Volunteer to do office work at a local non-profit agency.
- Run or walk in a charity race with friends.
- Volunteer to help at charity auctions.
- Create a play that teaches young children how to stay safe at home.
- If you're good at fixing bikes, volunteer to teach others how to fix their bikes.
- Organize a drug free pledge campaign.



Pay it forward