

Y.E.S. Contract (Youth Expanding Services) John Foster Dulles High School



Dear Students:

One of the distinctive characteristics of the United States is our conviction that each individual can make a difference through volunteer service. This is reflected in the recent trend of colleges asking for community service involvement as one of their criteria for acceptance. The Y.E.S. Program provides our students with the opportunity to get involved through voluntary service at the local level and to make a difference in their own neighborhoods and communities.

The Program works as follows: participation is voluntary, and students may not be paid for any service they perform. The required hours must be fulfilled only with a non-profit agency or an individual in need (non-family members). Please review all the Y.E.S guidelines concerning what is and is not acceptable.

If you have access to the Internet, Dulles High School has a web page: The address is http://www.fortbendisd.com/dhs.

Under Clubs find Y.E.S. program link and all needed documents are available as links in that page. The YES form for you to take to your volunteer service, the guidelines, and FAQ's and link to Dulles YES program website are located in this page. Also, there is a website that can assist you in finding volunteering opportunities. The address is https://www.fortbendisd.com/Page/36709.

Please note only 25 total summer hours can be credited to the hours required for Y.E.S. Beginning with graduating class of 2019, students enrolled in the Math and Science academy will be required to perform 12.5 hours of service per semester. Also complete a total of 100 hours before the deadline for YES hours submission date in their senior year. All students who successfully complete 100 hours qualify for Y.E.S recognition medal.

There is a website DHS YES program website http://dhsyesprogram.org/ Using this website, students have to Register into the program and create their user profile successfully. Prior to the service, the student should download a service form (YES form) from the DHS website. At the completion of the service, the form should be completed by the student, signed by student's parent or guardian, and signed by the appropriate person with the program or agency documenting the number of hours worked. Then the student should go to DHS YES program website, login to their account to enter their service details and upload a scanned copy of completed and signed Y.E.S form. Students should ensure they retain the hard copy of form safely. Students need to keep track of their total hours served. Students must turn in their hours within two weeks of completion of the service. If the student does his/her service on a weekly basis, he/she must turn in(upload) a sign-in sheet/log from the agency along with YES form. If at any time during this process, a student has falsified documentation, his or her name will automatically be removed from the program. We are very excited about the Y.E.S. program and hope that you will choose to be a part of it. If you have any questions, please visit the Y.E.S. website and select Contact to send an email to support@dhsyesprogram.org.

I understand that to fulfill the requirements for Community Service, I must complete the required hours and submit the documentation before the Y.E.S form deadline date of my senior year.

Student Name	ID#	Graduating Year _	
Student Signature	Date	Parent Signature	Date