



Service Learning Agreement

Note: items in red font should be personalized to the course

The purpose of the **English 102** service-learning course is to take groups of college students into communities outside of their own in order to engage in community service and experiential learning.

Our commitment to you is that after participating in this course, you will have:

- a. **Increased your knowledge of the social and cultural issues within the Las Vegas community related to the identified community organization mission.**
- b. **Reflected on the nature and purpose of service to others and service to the community.**

This is a commitment that the **English Composition Program**, your instructors, and the office of Student Engagement make to you. In order for you to get the most out of this service-learning course, you will need to make a commitment as well. You will need to make the choice to “step up” to the opportunities presented to you. Your commitment to this learning agreement will allow you and your fellow participants to have an educational and enjoyable experience.

All participants are expected to make this commitment.

1. I agree to attend **four to five hours** at the host site in order to complete the class requirement. I understand that failure to participate will affect my course grade and could cause me to lose credit for this course. _____
2. I agree to fully participate in the program and understand that participating means listening, sharing my viewpoint, participating in activities, and reflecting on my experience. _____
3. I agree to be responsible for my own learning. I agree to ask questions if I do not understand and to challenge myself to step out of my “comfort zone” for the required volunteer time. _____
4. I agree to respect individual differences and the dignity of all people. I will keep an open mind and strive to learn a new perspective of the world. _____

We ask that you agree to the previous statements and demonstrate this commitment to yourself and the learning community by signing this document below:

English 102 Participant

Date

Please Print Name

Thank you as you prepare to embark on an experience of a lifetime that will positively impact those you will be working with.