

Virtual/Remote MCPS SSL Opportunities

“Small acts, when multiplied by millions of people, can transform the world.” ~Howard Zinn

Here are MCPS SSL opportunities that can be completed from home **until schools return to normal status.**

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Title	Organization	Description	Additional Details
<u>Write Letters and Create Art for Isolated Older Adults</u>	Link Generations	Volunteers are asked to write letters and draw pictures at home that can be delivered to Ring House residents at the Charles E. Smith Life Communities and Ingleside at King Farm.	Link Generations will review your letters and artwork and deliver them to isolated older adults.
<u>Student musicians wanted for weekly virtual concerts</u>	The Lutheran Village at Miller's Grant	During the COVID-19 pandemic, come and join the UNMUTE student musician group in Maryland to share your love and music talents with senior residents in the Assisted Living facilities.	Parent/guardian must sign a Volunteer Release Permission and Waiver of Liability Agreement.
<u>Virtual Student Leadership Institute for Middle Schoolers</u>	Project Change	Middle school students will plan and complete three service projects. The institute will be led via Zoom by an MCPS teacher for 2 hours per day for each 5-day session.	Parent/guardian must sign a waiver authorizing permission/release.
<u>Teen Mentor Virtual Student Leadership Institute</u>	Project Change	High school students will help develop and implement the curriculum for 2 week-long sessions of the virtual student leadership institute for middle schoolers.	Parent/guardian must sign a waiver authorizing permission/release.C
<u>Help the elderly by making handmade cards for them</u>	Small Things Matter	Help us make non-religious greeting cards with kind messages to share with the elderly in our community.	Small Things Matter will review your cards and deliver them to isolated older adults.
<u>Help the homeless by making sandwiches</u>	Small Things Matter	Help us make peanut butter and jelly sandwiches to share with the homeless in our community.	Email a picture and log of the number of sandwiches made to the Long Branch Community Center.
<u>Music and Stories of Cheer for Seniors</u>	The Tacy Foundation	Write letters/messages to seniors, record music video performances, share written testimonies/stories, etc. to benefit those who receive the uplifting music and messages.	Send to director/founder of foundation and teen intern for approval and distribution.

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<u>The Soda Fund Virtual Campaign for a Cause</u>	The Soda Fund	Help our organization raise funds to help victims and survivors of domestic abuse safely escape and begin a new life. Create a flyer or social media post directing people to participate in our virtual community night.	Your flyer or social media post will need to be reviewed and approved by The Soda Fund.