

The Science Center

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2. Does your organization have 501(c)(3) Status? **Yes**
3. What social issue(s) may students address through community service work at your organization?
The mission of the Science Center is to enhance educational opportunities for K-12 students in our community. STEM-related occupations are projected to be the fastest growing and highest paying careers for years to come, especially in the Tampa Bay region. The goal of the Science Center is to provide supplemental and enriched STEM-related educational programming to ensure young people, right here in the Tampa Bay area, are prepared for careers of the future.
4. Do you have an age/grade requirement for volunteers? **Yes**
 - a. If yes, please specify: **16 years of age**
5. What are some typical activities that students might perform if they complete community service hours with your organization? **Fall, winter, spring and summer camp assistance Animal caretaking
Classroom activity preparation Grounds maintenance Retail assistance**
6. When can students volunteer at your organization?
 - a. Days of the week? **Monday-Friday**
 - b. Typical number of hours per week available/required? **Potential hours will vary based upon time of year (i.e. during camps), but we do everything that we can to work with students' schedules.**
 - c. Times they may volunteer? **Again, depending upon the time of year and activities at The Science Center, times will vary. We have had numerous students volunteering after they leave school in the afternoon and then on a more lengthy basis during our camps.**
 - d. Do you have students volunteer during the summer months? **Yes**
 - e. Do you only offer community service hours during the summer? **No**
7. Please briefly list any additional information that students may need to know about your organization if they are considering you as a community service agency: