

# NERSBA VOLUNTEER DAY



*NERSBA scholars are requested to “Find a Need...Fill a Need” for Volunteer Day on Thursday, March 9<sup>th</sup> and Friday, March 10<sup>th</sup>. Scholars are asked to spend 12 hours (or more) volunteering during March 4<sup>th</sup> - March 26<sup>th</sup>. In order to facilitate the 12 hour requirement, students will not be required to attend classes on NERSBA campus during the days on March 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup>.*

*Scholars are asked to find a need in their community where they can assist. Scholars may volunteer individually or as a group, with EACH scholar meeting the 12 hour requirement. These hours can be tied to your internship and/or SAE as long as you are helping someone else.*

*Here are some ideas to get you started:*

- *Volunteer your time at a local food bank*
- *Clean your closet and donate gently used clothes, toys, items*
- *Spend time at a children’s hospital, daycare, school, etc. reading books to children & helping where needed (Call ahead of time for permission)*
- *Create & send a care package to the troops*
- *Volunteer at a local library*
- *Help an elderly neighbor (yardwork, cleaning, etc.)*
- *Volunteer to watch small children for no charge (after school, weekend, etc.)*
- *Help with a sport (recreation football, cheerleading, etc.)*
- *Tutor a younger student for no charge*
- *Volunteer at an animal shelter*
- *Sew blankets and/or knit hats for newborn babies*
- *Pick up trash in the neighborhood*
- *Make a meal for someone in need*
- *Share your talent with others (baked goods, building items, organization, running errands, etc.)*

*Scholars are expected to participate in Volunteer Day. Scholars who do not turn in a Volunteer Day Log AND a Reflection Essay will be counted absent for the day.*