

Due to COVID-19, in person community service will be a challenge. FBLA AZ has looked into a variety of opportunities for members to continue to give back to their community in the safety of their home. Feel free to share this information with others who are looking to volunteer.

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Area of Service	Name	Website	More Information
Transcription	Smithsonian Digital Volunteers	<a href="https://www.si.edu/volunteer/DigitalVolunteers">https://www.si.edu/volunteer/DigitalVolunteers</a>	Transcribe collections and participate in research programs on museums & zoos. (may require skills)
	Distributed Proofreaders	<a href="https://www.pgdp.net/c/">https://www.pgdp.net/c/</a>	Transcribe a book into an e-book with only one page commitments
	Learning Ally	<a href="https://go.learningally.org/Get-Involved/Volunteer-Opportunities">https://go.learningally.org/Get-Involved/Volunteer-Opportunities</a>	Narrating books (need: african american, professional audiobook narrators, and spanish speakers)
	TED Transcriber	<a href="https://www.ted.com/participate/translate/transcribe">https://www.ted.com/participate/translate/transcribe</a>	Transcribe TEDx talks (need: fluently bilingual)
	National Archives	<a href="https://www.archives.gov/citizen-archivist">https://www.archives.gov/citizen-archivist</a>	Contribute to National Archives catalog by tagging, transcribing, and adding comments to records
Research	Zooniverse	<a href="https://www.zooniverse.org/projects">https://www.zooniverse.org/projects</a>	You pick a project on nature that interest you and help research for that project
	Amnesty Decoders	<a href="https://decoders.amnesty.org">https://decoders.amnesty.org</a>	Research to expose human rights violations. You will sift through pictures, information, and documents.
General	United Nations Volunteers	<a href="https://www.onlinevolunteering.org/en">https://www.onlinevolunteering.org/en</a>	Put skills to action. Art, writing, translation, admin, teaching, advocacy. (must

			be at least 18)
	Catchafire	<a href="https://www.catchafire.org">https://www.catchafire.org</a>	Professional helps a nonprofit. (professional in career)
	CareShepard	<a href="https://www.careshepherd.com/help-seniors">https://www.careshepherd.com/help-seniors</a>	Zoom calls with seniors
	Homeward Bound	<a href="https://homewardboundaz.org/take-action/volunteer/">https://homewardboundaz.org/take-action/volunteer/</a>	Various activities to help support foster kids and families
	VOCAiD	<a href="https://vocalid.ai/voicebank/">https://vocalid.ai/voicebank/</a>	Record your voice to allow text-to-speech technology
	Bookshare	<a href="https://www.bookshare.org/cms/get-involved/volunteer">https://www.bookshare.org/cms/get-involved/volunteer</a>	Help people with print disabilities to read, proofread, and describe images
	National Park Service	<a href="https://www.nps.gov/subjects/digital/getinvolved.htm">https://www.nps.gov/subjects/digital/getinvolved.htm</a>	Assist NPS web team with testing web products
	TeensGive	<a href="https://teensgive.org/virtual/">https://teensgive.org/virtual/</a>	Tutor a kid for at least one hour a week as an after school program for them
	Arizona Animal Welfare	<a href="https://aawl.org/content/get-involved">https://aawl.org/content/get-involved</a>	Go to a shelter and participate on day-to-day activities
	Together We Rise	<a href="https://www.togetherwerise.org/volunteer-opportunities/">https://www.togetherwerise.org/volunteer-opportunities/</a>	Variety of ways to help foster kids feel more comfortable and cared about
	Operation Gratitude	<a href="https://www.operationgratitude.com/virtual-volunteering/">https://www.operationgratitude.com/virtual-volunteering/</a>	Support deployed troops with care packages, write letters, and make bracelets
	Free Rice	<a href="https://freerice.com/about">https://freerice.com/about</a>	You play trivia questions, for every correct answer, the organization donates rice to the hungry
Translation	Translators	<a href="https://translatorswithout">https://translatorswithout</a>	Translate medical texts,

	Without Borders	<a href="https://borders.org/volunteer/">tborders.org/volunteer/</a>	crisis response, or other. (fluent in one other language)
	TED Translators	<a href="https://www.ted.com/participate/translate">https://www.ted.com/participate/translate</a>	Translate TED talks to provide subtitles
	Tarjimly	<a href="https://tarjimly.org/howitworks#translator">https://tarjimly.org/howitworks#translator</a>	Translate to a beneficiary through text, pictures, and live call
	Mozilla (Firefox)	<a href="https://pontoon.mozilla.org">https://pontoon.mozilla.org</a>	Work on a team to make Firefox available in more languages
Health	Crisis Text Line	<a href="https://www.crisistextline.org/become-a-volunteer/">https://www.crisistextline.org/become-a-volunteer/</a>	Text people who are in a crisis to cool them down
	One Letter Fight for Better	<a href="https://www.allforgood.org/projects/eJEbaBko">https://www.allforgood.org/projects/eJEbaBko</a>	Handwrite letters to patients isolated due to COVID-19
	The Love Kitchen	<a href="https://thelovekitchen.org/volunteer/">https://thelovekitchen.org/volunteer/</a>	Prepare food offered to citizens to not go hungry
	Be My Eyes	<a href="https://www.bemyeyes.com">https://www.bemyeyes.com</a>	Through an app, connect with blind/low-vision people for visual assistance

Other websites with even more virtual opportunities:

- <https://www.dosomething.org/us/articles/9-places-to-volunteer-online-and-make-a-real-impact>
- <https://www.pointsoflight.org/virtual-volunteering-opportunities/>
- <https://www.operationwarm.org/blog/25-volunteer-jobs-to-do-from-home/>
- <https://www.justserve.org/projects>
- <https://www.volunteermatch.org>
- <https://www.redcross.org/volunteer/become-a-volunteer.html>

We understand that throughout the year, there can be opportunities for in-person projects. We have decided to include a few in-person community service projects if your school allows your chapter to meet.

#### In-person Community Service

- Restaurant volunteer work
  - School campus clean up
  - Adopt a road (pick up trash along the road leading to campus)
  - Tutoring elementary/middle school students
  - Mental health buddy program
  - Backpack Drive (filled backpacks with canned food)
- Canned Drive
- Toy Drive (with organization: Put on the Cape)
  - Clothe Drive (with organization: Homeless Youth Connection)
  - Mary's Food Bank
  - Thank You cards for nurses, doctors, or veterans and mail them in
  - Make face masks for homeless shelters or veteran homes
  - Storytime Video Call for kindergarten classroom or foster center
  - collect pet supplies/dog food for no-kill animal shelters
  - Visit nursing home during Christmas and sing/ play christmas songs
  - Make dog toys/ baby blankets out of old t-shirts
  - Clean up the parks around Environment Day