

# Jericho High School



## VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES FOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

WHERE	WHAT	WEBSITE
<b>Search Engines</b>		
Volunteer Match	Online search engine to help you match your interests to volunteer opportunities	<a href="http://www.volunteermatch.org">www.volunteermatch.org</a>
Serve Net	An online resource center for service and volunteering	<a href="http://www.servenet.org/">www.servenet.org/</a>
Volunteer Abroad	Search for volunteer opportunities by different regions and countries	<a href="http://www.volunteerabroad.com/search.cfm">www.volunteerabroad.com/search.cfm</a>
Idealist	Find volunteer opportunities in specific countries, states, and towns. Choose your area of focus, with advanced search options such as skills needed, language needed, and age.	<a href="http://www.idealists.org">www.idealists.org</a>

### National Opportunities

Department of Veterans Affairs	Volunteer in a VA Medical Center. There are a wide variety of assignments available including audiology and speech pathology, extended care, information technology, laboratory medicine, medical administration and illustration, nursing, nutrition and food service, ambulatory care services, occupational therapy, patient escort, pharmacy, physical therapy, research, social work	<a href="http://www.va.gov/volunteer/page.cfm?pg=3">www.va.gov/volunteer/page.cfm?pg=3</a>
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America's Second Harvest	Help to create a hunger-free America. Search online for local opportunities.	<a href="http://www.secondharvest.org/">www.secondharvest.org/</a>
National Park Service	America's natural parks. Search by opportunity or location	<a href="http://www.nps.gov/volunteer/">www.nps.gov/volunteer/</a>
Volunteer.gov	A one-stop portal with access to public sector volunteer positions that fit your skills and interests. Search by opportunities, zip code or by state.	<a href="http://www.volunteer.gov/gov">www.volunteer.gov/gov</a>
Habitat for Humanity	Help build adequate houses in partnership with those that lack adequate shelter	<a href="http://www.habitat.org/">www.habitat.org/</a>
Landmark Volunteers	Spend two weeks volunteering at one of several important historical, cultural, environmental or social service institutions	<a href="http://www.volunteers.com/">www.volunteers.com/</a>
American Red Cross	Help with a single Red Cross event, community service, leadership, organizing a blood drive, and helping to prevent, respond to emergencies.	<a href="http://www.redcross.org/services/volunteer/0,1082,0_422_00.html">www.redcross.org/services/volunteer/0,1082,0_422_00.html</a>
Ronald McDonald House	Help prepare meals, talk to families, take care of the house, etc.	<a href="http://www.rmhc.com/donate/donate_individual/donate_volunteerism/index.html">www.rmhc.com/donate/donate_individual/donate_volunteerism/index.html</a>
Special Olympics	A program of year round sports training and athletic competition for children and adults with mental retardation. Help in a variety of ways including sports training, fundraising, administrative help, competition planning, and staffing.	<a href="http://www.specialolympics.org/Special+Olympics+Public+Website/English/Volunteer/default.htm">www.specialolympics.org/Special+Olympics+Public+Website/English/Volunteer/default.htm</a>

### Local Opportunities

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Long Island	Provide Littles with one-on-one time and attention typically two to four times a month	<a href="http://www.bbbsli.org/">www.bbbsli.org/</a>
Interfaith Nutrition Network	Help address the issues of hunger and homelessness on Long Island	<a href="http://www.the-inn.org/">www.the-inn.org/</a>

Long Island Children's Museum	Make a difference in the lives of children. Volunteer opportunities include museum store assistant, assistant explainer, office assistant, floater, and birthday parties	<a href="http://www.licm.com/shtml_content/s_volunteer.shtml">www.licm.com/shtml_content/s_volunteer.shtml</a>
Long Island Jewish Medical Center	Choose from a variety of positions and gain knowledge about the hospital as well as the different departments	<a href="http://www.lij.edu/volunteer/volunteer.html">www.lij.edu/volunteer/volunteer.html</a>
United Way of Long Island	Opportunities for volunteers to become involved and help in direct services, special events, fundraising, general admission, and more	<a href="http://www.unitedwayli.org/index.phtml">www.unitedwayli.org/index.phtml</a>
Island Harvest	Help reduce reduce food waste and end hunger on Long Island	<a href="http://www.islandharvest.org/">www.islandharvest.org/</a>