Community Service-Learning Community Partner Application for Local & State Board Approval

School District Information

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Community Partner Information

- Name of non-profit/ community organization: Fordyce First Assembly of God
- Name of Director/ Contact Person(s): Pastor Nathan Hubbard
- Address: 801 Upton Dr / PO Box 538 / Fordyce, AR. 71742
- Phone Number: (870) 352-3549
- Email Address: fordyce1st.ag@gmail.com
- Hours of operation: (Varies according to activity)
- What is the mission of the non-profit/community organization? We are standing
 in Biblical Truth and giving Biblical Compassion in order to build Biblical
 Community. We want to see the broken and healed bring healing to the
 broken!
- What service(s) does the non-profit/community organization provide?
 - Our Fish Fry raises funds for missions, children & youth-based activities, and other necessary expenses to remain an efficient and active service to our community.
 - We provide food and other household necessities for people in our community through food giveaways.
 - We interact monthly with community outreaches at apartments to engage relationships with all ages.
 - We are ready to assist our community however it is needed, in the use of facilities, equipment, or volunteers.
 - We take part in the vision of meeting the needs of each age group through children, youth, adult, and elderly groups.
- Please <u>describe</u> the volunteer activities students will participate in at the non-profit/community organization and <u>how</u> those activities may connect to curriculum learning goals. The Act 648 implementation guide contains a breakdown of a few subject areas and goals. Students volunteering will work with church staff and leaders to provide services of outreach. This could be from planning, preparing and cleaning up meals, learning to engage and interact with our younger community or working with the elderly to assist with home chores and maintenance as related to Family Consumer Science learning objectives. We work with our volunteers to teach them the importance of

maintaining equipment and grounds and the benefits physically and financially of proper care, cleaning and maintenance so that we can continue to serve our community. We work to ensure our student volunteers learn traits that make them productive citizens of society including but not limited to daily life applications, creative planning of outreach activities, awareness of the needs of others, work related ethics, appropriate behavior and proper personal appearance, interpersonal relationships, and early-child development as related to both Oral Communications, Family Consumer Science and Economics learning objectives. It is our desire to see our youth volunteers serve others, and Truth, Compassion and Community.

- What are the non-profit/community organization procedures and policies to ensure the safety of student volunteers? We have always taken safeguards to protect staff & volunteers. Adult supervision will be present during all activities. Adults working with children under the age of 18 have gone through background checks.
- List any special considerations of the non-profit/community organization. Though we are a small community, God is using us to make a difference in the next generation.

Local School Board approval of this site as a district partner

Signature of school board president

Date of meeting at which site was approved

Return completed application and this form to

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