

Community Service Learning Partner Application

****Please Complete Section 1 Only****

Students who have completed a minimum of 75 hours of documented community service, along with the required reflection component, in Grades 9-12 are eligible to receive one (1) career focus academic credit. This credit may be applied toward graduation for students graduating in Classes 2023 through 2026. 75 hours of community service is required for all Arkansas students graduating in the Class of 2027 and beyond.

Community service hours must be completed at a state-approved community organization or as part of a service-learning school program. Community or non-profit organizations may apply for state approval through the local school board as a community service learning site by completing this application.

FSPS Community Service Learning Coordinator: Dr. Tony Jones, Director of Secondary Education
Fort Smith Public Schools, 3205 Jenny Lind, Fort Smith, AR 72903 (479) 785-2501.

The Community Service Learning program is governed by Ark. Code Ann. § 6-16- 120. 1.02

Name of Non-Profit/Community Organization:

East Side Baptist Church

Name of Director/Contact Personal: *

Brianna Lane

Address of the Organization (City/State/Zip): *

2710 Massard

Email Address: *

Brianna@myeastside.tv

Phone Number: *

9184244958

Hours of Operation: *

8-5:00

What is the mission of the non-profit/community organization? *

East Side is a church whose purpose is to transform Fort Smith and Beyond. We exist to help people gather to worship Jesus, grow to follow Jesus, and go to share Jesus.

What service(s) does the non-profit/community organization provide? *

Sunday school, worship, childcare

Describe the kinds of volunteer tasks students will perform.

Help with childcare, teach Bible stories, do Bible games, learn memory verses

The Act 648 implementation guide requires "precautions, policies and procedures" in place to ensure the safety of student volunteers. How will this non-profit/community organization ensure student safety? *

We offer ministry safe and training for each volunteer

List any special considerations of the non-profit/community organization. *

NA

Do you have any questions?

NA

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A completed application requires FSPS School Board approval with the signature of the School Board President and the date of the School Board meeting that the application was approved.

How may the activities described connect to curriculum learning goals. (AR Act 648 [implementation guide](#) on the ADE website contains a breakdown of a few subject areas and goals)

Throughout the year there are several oppurtunities

School Board President Signature

Date this Application Was Approved by the Board

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11 / 14 / 2023

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