## 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:
Heart Of Hospice
Name of Director/Contact Personal: *  Sheila Brown
Address of the Organization (City/State/Zip): *  1401 So Waldron Road, Fort Smith, AR

Email Address: *
kimberly.dunigan@lhcgroup.com
Phone Number: * 479-431-9988
Hours of Operation: *  8-4:00pm
What is the mission of the non-profit/community organization? *  Endo of life comfort care
What service(s) does the non-profit/community organization provide? *  Helping Patients manage pain and help families with end of life
Describe the kinds of volunteer tasks students will perform.  Office work, deliver veteran certificates, visit patients, help at the Palliative Care unit at Baptist, mow yards, clean houses.
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?  A volunteer Manager is always with the students

List any special considerations of the non-profit/community organization.*  Background checks, drug tests, tb tests and paperwork to complete
Do you have any questions?
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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 <u>implementation guide</u> on the ADE website contains a breakdown of a few subject areas and goals)
School Board President Signature
Date this Application Was Approved by the Board  MM DD YYYY  / _ /

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