

## Community Service General Information

- Community service is NOT required for graduation.
- Bright Futures FAS currently requires 100 community service hours\*
- Bright Futures FMS currently requires 75 community service hours\*
- Bright Futures GSV currently requires 30 community service hours\*

### Community Service Ideas and Suggestions:

Description of Service	Example	School/Community Examples/Contacts
Provide leadership, guidance, and activities for the youth in your community.	Collect toys for holidays, volunteer at hospitals.	Angel Tree, <a href="#">Toys for Tots</a>
Provide opportunities for senior citizens to enhance independent living or assist with promoting a quality life.	Assist with reading and writing letters, provide entertainment like BINGO games, food collection, grocery shopping.	Crystal Health and Rehab Center
Volunteer services to promote the health, welfare and safety of the residents of your community	Relay for Life, March of Dimes, and disaster relief.	
Volunteer your services to promote and encourage the preservation of the environment and/or the protection of historical sites.	Community beautification projects, beach clean-up, museums, historical research.	<a href="#">National Art Honor Society</a> ,
Volunteer your services in an effort to improve and enrich the lives of the mentally and physically disabled.	Special Olympics, assist in group homes, collect toys, art supplies.	<a href="#">MARC House</a> ,
Volunteer your services in community not for profit organizations.	Animal Shelters, State/County Parks.	<a href="#">Florida Keys Wild Bird Center</a> , <a href="#">Upper Keys Humane Society</a> , <a href="#">Key Largo Animal Shelter</a>

\*Bright Future Work Log is now available

#### Important Information:

- Hours count starting August 2022 moving forward
- If using work hours all levels of Bright Futures require 100 hours
- This only counts towards Bright Futures - it does not replace community service for scholarships, college applications, etc. It is marked in your transcripts as work hours.

**Community Service Log must be completed and turned in within the same school year that service is completed.**

*Students can begin earning community service hours the day after 8th grade graduation.*

**For questions regarding community service contact Ms. Haddad, the College & Career Counselor, [jessica.haddad@keysschools.com](mailto:jessica.haddad@keysschools.com)**