SERVICE-LEARNING YELLOW PAGES PLACEMENT SITE

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Name of Agency: FareStart Volunteer Site Address:

Pacific Tower Kitchen (1200 12th Ave S) Galaxy Kitchen (635 Elliot Ave W)

Mobile Market Kent (10828 SE 248th St) & (24604 104th Ave Ste 102)

Mobile Market Auburn (

Mailing Address: 700 Virginia St., Seattle, WA 98101

Agency Hours: 8:30 am – 4 pm, Mon – Fri

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BEST WAY TO APPLY (phone, website, or e-mail): Email volunteer@farestart.org to setup orientation time.

Agency Description: FareStart has been helping people transform their lives through food for nearly 30 years — one person, one job and one community at a time.

People experiencing poverty struggle to escape the cycle they are in and often face other compounding barriers to getting and keeping a job. We help people overcome barriers by teaching work and life skills needed to succeed in employment and in life.

Position Descriptions:

Mobile Market- Help with the set-up, break-down, stocking of product and assist customers in shopping for fresh produce and pantry staples at our Mobile Market serving the south sound. Our mobile market delivers food straight to neighborhoods that lack access to fresh groceries.

Food Security Kitchen Support, Pacific Tower and Galaxy Kitchens- Help with a variety of tasks to help supplement the large amount of work that goes into creating 3,000- 5,000 meals each day. Prepare meals by cleaning produce, portioning, stamping meal bags, assembling boxes for meal transportation, and more. No cooking experience is necessary. Lunch is provided!

Minimum time commitment required of volunteers: No minimum. What qualities, abilities and skills are important at your agency?

Mobile Market-Kent and Auburn

- Must be at least 16 years old
- The ability to stand, walk, and lift (up to 25 pounds) repeatedly
- The ability to interact with a wide variety of people
- Proof of Covid-19 vax required

Food Security Kitchen Support, Pacific Tower and Galaxy Kitchens

- No cooking experience is necessary
- Must be at least 18 years old
- The ability to stand on hard surface for 5 hours
- Must wear closed toed shoes and long pants
- The ability to interact with a wide variety of people
- Proof of Covid-19 vax required

Is volunteer orientation provided? Yes, via a volunteer manual and opt-in meeting with the volunteer engagement team.

Length of time students should budget for it: 30-45 minutes

Is volunteer training provided? Yes.

Is on-site supervision provided? Yes, there will always be staff present to give onsite training pre-shift.

Number of Service-Learning positions available per quarter: No Limit