

SERVICE-LEARNING YELLOW PAGES PLACEMENT SITE

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Name of Agency: Youth Tutoring Program, Catholic Community Services
Volunteer Site Address: Main Office: 2021 S Weller St, Seattle, WA 98144
YTP has five tutoring centers located within low and mixed-income public housing communities: High Point (West Seattle), Jackson Park (Lake City), New Holly (Beacon Hill), Rainier Vista (Columbia City), and Yesler Terrace (First Hill).
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Agency Hours: 9:00am – 5:30pm M – F
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Agency Description:

The Youth Tutoring Program is an after-school educational enrichment program for first through twelfth grade students who live in five low-income housing communities in Seattle.

Position Descriptions:

Each volunteer tutor commits to weekly tutoring sessions(s) at one of our five tutoring centers with most tutoring for 2 hours per week or tutoring a minimum of 1 hour a week. During the one-hour tutoring session, volunteer tutors work one on one or in small groups with students on reading, skill building in math and English Language Arts, and homework help. Volunteers also serve as role models and mentors to the students because tutors work with the same students each week. YTP students are wonderfully diverse, representing many cultures, languages and religions.

Days and hours students can serve in these positions:

With a few exceptions, tutoring happens Monday – Thursday, with three sessions each:
4:20 pm – 5:20 pm; 5:30 pm – 6:30 pm; 6:40 pm – 7:40 pm

Minimum time commitment required of volunteers:

1-2 hours/week for the quarter (volunteers are encouraged to continue volunteering beyond the academic quarter as the program and students benefit)

What qualities, abilities and skills are important at your agency?

1. Be compassionate, consistent, and flexible! 2. Have the desire to help make a difference in the lives of youth. 3. Have experience tutoring school-age youth or an interest in learning the skills necessary to be a successful tutor. (Free training provided)

Is volunteer orientation provided? Yes. **Before the orientation, volunteers must complete the YTP online application found at www.ccsww.org/ytp.** Click on “Volunteer Now”

Length of time students should budget for it: 1.5 hours

Is volunteer training provided? YTP provides supplemental tutor trainings on various topics throughout the year.

Length of time students should budget for it: 1.5-4 hours (depending on the training)

Is on-site supervision provided? Yes

Number of Service-Learning positions available per quarter: Unlimited

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