



Service Learning Project at DTS

- Agenda
- What is it?
- Why?
- How?
- Requirements?
- Questions
- Today's Tasks (3)
- Create Your Portfolio
- Take the Assessment
- Attend this Orientation
- Follow Up Tasks
- (2)
- 1. Find a placement/adult supervisor
- 2. Make an appointment with me
- Link:
- O Net Resource Center
- <http://www.onetcenter.org>
- Interest Profiler



Project Ideas!

- Assisting with younger children in classroom, hallway, cafeteria, etc.
- Reading to students
- Tutoring in a subject to a younger student
- Homework helper to a younger student
- Teaching or sharing a skill or craft with another student
- Assisting an adult in the building i.e.; nurse, librarian, custodian, secretary, guidance, administrator (as long as it doesn't involve looking at confidential information)
- Gardening and outside work on beautification and improvement of grounds
- Activities involving school i.e.; setting up for concerts, signing parents in for mouse play, escorting families to classrooms during busy visiting times;
- Assisting Art teacher
- Assisting music department
- Assisting PE department
- Assisting Athletic Director
- Assisting School Counselor



Service Learning Lessons

- Completed initial phase in all 6th, 7th, 8th grade computer classes and G&T student lunch time.
- Began seeing students individually or in groups to discuss their service learning projects.
- Started to design data collection form to attach to portfolios
- Made contacts with outside agencies for other service learning commitments.



Connection to MI's

- Courtyard Garden
- Helping Hands
- Future Teachers
- Environmental
- Artful Hallways
- Crafts
- Supervised Study



Parent Input

- Presentation for Parents
- Bringing Community Involvement to School
- Creating a place that welcomes the link
- Examples:
 - Religious affiliations
 - Girl Scouts/Boy Scouts
 - Dance Troupes
 - Swim Clubs
 - Hospital Employees
 - Work Associations
 - Police/Fire Departments
 - Township Departments