

# Service Hour Verification Form 2023-2024

Student Name:		Grade:	
Service was performed at:			
Address:	City:	State:Zip:	
Phone Number:()	Dates of Service:	Hours Worked:_	
Description of Service:			
	Supervisor:		
Service was performed at:	MOORES CHRISTIAN A	VILLE	
Address:	City:	State:Zip:	
Phone Number:()	Dates of Service:	Hours Worked:	
Description of Service:			
Signature of	Supervisor:		

"Each one should use whatever gift he has received to serve others, faithfully administering God's grace in its various forms."

#### MS/HS Service Hour Guidelines

#### **CHRISTIAN SERVICE REQUIREMENTS**

MCA requires that all students in grades 5th-12th participate in volunteer service to local, regional or national church, community or outreach programs.

# Reason for Requiring Service Hours:

The Board of Trustees and Administration believe that an important part of Christian education for middle school and high school students is to develop and foster an attitude of willing and joyful volunteer service to church and community. In turn, the students will develop a life-long desire to give of themselves in Christian service.

## Amount of Time Required:

Intermediate students (5th-6th) must complete no less than 6 hours (3 per semester). Middle school students (7th-8th) must complete no less than 10 hours (5 per semester). High school students (9th-12th) must complete no less than 20 hours (10 per semester). Hours for high school students will be recorded and given to them when filling out college applications and applying for scholarships.

Volunteer service opportunities include, but are not limited to the following examples:

**Church** - Sunday school helper, nursery assistant, missions, outreach programs, facilities, and grounds care.

**Community** - Service programs (e.g.Habitat for Humanity), volunteering in hospitals/nursing homes/animal shelters, cleaning and maintaining parks/ public property, helping elderly/disabled, assisting at Boy Scout/Girl Scout functions.

**Outreach and Missions** - Food drives, fundraisers for charities, homeless shelters, soup kitchens, national Christian organizations (Promise Keepers, Association of Christian Schools International, etc.).

\*Note: Volunteer service to MCA that occurs on campus and during normal school hours are not eligible towards the required hours.\*

## Monitoring and Verification of Service Participation:

Parents or students will need to stop in and pick up a "Service Hour Verification Form" which can be found in the MS/HS office. Forms can also be downloaded from our website. <u>MooresvilleChristian.org</u> Forms are located in the parent tab under handbooks and downloads. Students will need to have the form filled out and signed by the person managing the service being done, and then brought back and given to their homeroom teacher, the office, or Ms. Vester.

Ms. Vester will have the responsibility of overseeing the participation and tracking of each student. A "Service Hour Verification Form" must be completed for each project and signed by the project leader and turned into their homeroom teacher, office, or Ms.Vester.

### Grading

Grading will use the Pass (A) or Fail (F) method. C+ and above is a passing grade. This will appear on the students permanent record each semester.

