



Chippewa Intermediate-Secondary School

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COMPLETED COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT ACTIVITIES

STUDENT: _____

<u>ACTIVITY</u>	<u>NUMBER OF HRS.</u>	<u>DATE OF COMPLETION</u>	<u>NAME OF ORGANIZATION/GROUP</u>	<u>SUPERVISOR'S SIGNATURE & PHONE NUMBER</u>

 Student's Signature

 Date

 Parent's/Guardian's Signature

Personal information on this form is collected under the Education Act and will be used in discharging the school's responsibility. Questions about this collection should be directed to Near North District School Board Head Office 472-8170.

For office use only

Completion has been noted in student's O.S.R.

 Signature of School Official _____
 Date

Total Hrs. _____



Volunteering

Chippewa Secondary School

Pick up a
Volunteer
Form in
Guidance!



Why Volunteer?

As part of the new educational reforms introduced in 1999, all secondary school students are required to complete a minimum of 40 hours of volunteer work in order to graduate. These activities may be completed at any time after the student graduates from Grade 8. It is designed to encourage students to develop awareness and understanding of civic responsibility and the role they can play in supporting and strengthening their communities. Additional hours can be documented and can be used to support applications for scholarships, bursaries and supplemental information forms for college and university.

Recommended Organizations

Casselholme
Hospital
Canadian Blood Services
Heritage Festival
Big Brothers & Sisters
Cancer Society
Arthritis Society
Kidney Foundation
Community Living
Literacy Council
Food Bank
Salvation Army
Indian Friendship Centre

What types of activities can qualify?

A wide range of activities related to community service organizations are eligible including:

- canvassing for registered charities, assisting with food drives or festival activities or other work for not-for-profit organizations including churches
- academic tutoring or assisting in an elementary school
- coaching sports and leisure activities or assisting with score-keeping or organizing events
- providing company, help or recreation for the elderly or sick
- providing a service such as lawn cutting, snow shoveling or raking may be used although a variety of these activities would be preferred over a single activity. These services may not be performed for your immediate family.

In general, providing assistance to any volunteer group which has helping others as its mandate will qualify. If in doubt, contact the school to confirm eligibility.

What activities are not eligible?

Not permitted are any activities that:

- occurs during school hours when a student has a scheduled class
- takes place in a logging or mining environment or factory
- would normally be performed for wages by a person in the workplace or be considered "job shadowing" or co-operative education
- involves the handling of medications, medical procedures or hazardous substances
- involves the operation of a vehicle, power tools or scaffolding
- requires the knowledge of a trades person in a regulated trade
- would normally be performed in the home or personal recreation activities

"It is in giving oneself that one receives."

Francis of Assisi

