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Introduction

This booklet has been assembled to assist those at Marble Church and elsewhere who wish to give of their time and talent to volunteering in NYC.

One of the best ways to get started is to go to either www.volunteer-referral.com website or www.nycservice.org. These sites lists 100's of volunteer opportunities in all five boroughs and lists according to type of volunteering or name of organization. They give a detailed list of opportunity including description, responsibilities commitment, and qualifications.

Listed in this brochure are just a handful volunteer opportunities located in NYC.

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CHILDREN'S TUTORING & YOUTH SERVICES

Ronald McDonald House

Project type	The Ronald McDonald House is a welcoming place for families to call home while their children are in NYC for cancer therapy.
contact	Terrie Eggers, Dir. Of Vol., 212-639-0618, teggers@rmh.org, www.rmhc.org
address	405 East 73rd St. NYC
Prerequisites	Application, background check and 1 year commitment

SCAN - (Supportive Children's Advocacy Network)

Project type	Community based serviced agency working with at-risk families and children. Tutoring in math, English, history, special skills etc.,
contact	Bill Fink, Associate Executive Director for Development and External Affairs at (212) 289-8030, ext. 336 or bfink@scanny.org .
address	345 East 102nd St, 3rd Fl., NYC
Prerequisites	Application, background check and commitment

Chelsea-Elliott "I Have A Dream" Program

Project type	Academic tutoring, arts and recreation instruction and mentoring in personal and social matters.
contact	Treston Lambert, Program Director, (212) 627-3086 or Terrence Stokes, Volunteer Coordinator, (212) 627-3086, www.ihaveadreamny.org/
address	322 Eighth Ave, Suite 200, NYC
Prerequisites	Application, must be of High School age or higher, one year commitment

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East Harlem Tutorial

Project type	One-on-one and group tutoring for children ages 5 to 18.
contact	www.ehtp.org, 212-831-0650, email volunteerinfo@ehtp.org .
address	2050 Second Ave. NYC
Prerequisites/ commitment	Attend orientation; background check, TB test, fingerprints. Commitment 1-2 hours

English Speaking Union

Project type	English in Action helps newcomers to the US gain fluency in conversational English by pairing them with volunteer tutors for weekly conversation sessions
contact	(212) 818-1200 , info@esuus.org , www.esuus.org

Forestdale Inc.

Project type	Mentoring of children in foster care system
contact	www.Forestdaleinc.org, 718-263-0740 email: dbridges@forestdaleinc.org .

Daniel's Music Foundation

Project type	Assist students with developmental disabilities within classes. Some of the classes taught are music and movement, percussion, keyboards, guitar and vocals.
contact	www.danielsmusic.org, 212-289-8912, 1595 Lexington Avenue, NY, NY, Email: nadine@danielsmusic.org

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FEED THE HUNGRY

God's Love We Deliver

Project type	Help in the kitchen preparing food, cooking and packing meals for homebound, people with HIV/AIDS and other life altering illness.
contact	www.glwd.org , 212-294-8158, volunteer@glwd.org
address	166 Avenue of the Americas, NYC 10013
Prerequisites/ commitment	1 1/2 hour orientation and compassion for people with AIDS and other life altering ill-

Holy Apostle Soup Kitchen

Project type	Holy Apostles serves over 1,200 meals every day, Monday-Friday
contact	www.holyapostlessoupkitchen.org , 212 924-0167
address	296 Ninth Avenue (corner of 28th Street) in Manhattan
Prerequisites/ commitment	Make appointment at: HASK_Inquiry@holyapostlesnyc.org

Church of the Village Community Meal

Project type	Volunteers will be needed to assist with serving lunch and cleaning up during Saturday's meal program.
contact	cotv.volunteerhub.com , 212-243-5470
address	Church of the Village, 201 W. 13th Street, NYC.
Prerequisites/ commitment	None

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Grand Central Neighborhood

Project type Assist the kitchen staff during lunch (11:45-1:30 p.m.) and dinner (3:45-6:00 p.m.)

contact 212-883-0680 ext.: 321, www.grandcentralneighborhood.org

address 120 E. 32nd St. Mainchance Building

Prerequisites/
commitment complete an application and attend an orientation.

City Meals on Wheels

Project type Prepare and deliver meals to elderly and homebound. Two hours Saturday mornings and you create your own schedule.

contact www.citymeals.org , (212) 687-1234 ext.: 3021, volunteer@citymeals.org

address Opportunities in Manhattan, Brooklyn and Queens

Prerequisites/
commitment complete an application and attend an orientation.

Bowery Mission Soup Kitchen

Project type Help to prepare, serve and clean-up from lunch or dinner alongside staff and resident students at 227 Bowery. Contact the Bowery mission to gain an overview of other volunteer projects.

contact www.bowery.org, volunteer@bowery.org,
vol. inquiries 212-674-3456 x107

address 227 Bowery in Manhattan

Prerequisites/
commitment complete an application.

Marble Fights Hunger

Project type Donate food to Marble Collegiate Church. Food will be delivered to needy agencies and food banks.

contact Tom Schneider 212-686-2770 ext. 258

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Prerequisites	Application, background check and 1 year commitment

Gilda's Club

Project type	Social and emotional support community for people with cancer and their families and friends.
contact	www.gildasclubnyc.org, Email <u>Jordan Patinkin</u> , Volunteer & Internal Events Coordinator or call 212-647-9700,
address	195 West Houston St.
Prerequisites/ commitment	Application and orientation session required

Bellevue Hospital

Project type	Volunteers are active in all areas of the hospital. They provide emotional support and comfort to our patients and assist staff in providing essential services
contact	call volunteer office at (212) 562-4858.
address	NYC Health + Hospitals/Bellevue, 462 First Avenue, New York, NY 10016
Prerequisites/ commitment	Commit to serving at least six hours a week for a minimum of three months

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The Church of Saint Luke in the Fields

Project type Serve Saturday evening meal to people affected by AIDS

contact www.stlukeinthefields.or Outreach Volunteer Coordinator
212.924.0562, volunteers@stlukeinthefields.org

address 487 Hudson St, NYC.

Prerequisites/
commitment None

New York Eye and Ear Infirmary

Project type There are different volunteer opportunities at NYEE in various departments

contact **Volunteer Department**, Coordinator (212) 979-4462

address 310 East 14th Street

Prerequisites/
commitment process takes about two weeks. schedule an appointment for an interview, refer-
ences, medical clearance required.

AIDS Service Center

Project type Looking for volunteers and interns to help improve the lives of those affected by
HIV/AIDS and other chronic illnesses. Both short and long term projects.

contact Contact: Rosie Whiteside at: rosie2@ascnyc.org, info@ascnyc.org
212.645.0875

address Main office on 64 West 35th Street, 3rd Floor

Prerequisites/
commitment Depends of the project. Fill out form on their website www.ascnyc.org/eng/

Local/Neighborhood Hospitals

Project type Volunteer opportunities in local hospitals

contact Contact your local/neighborhood hospital for their volunteer programs

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HOMELESS AND HOUSING SERVICES

Housing + Solutions

Project type	Assist at special events for residents of Housing + Solutions in Brooklyn and provide clerical services at their Midtown offices
contact	(212) 213-0221, Rita@HousingPlusSolutions.org.
address	4 West 43 rd Street, Suite 316
Prerequisites/ commitment	Varies

Neighborhood Coalition for Shelter

Project type	Organization with programs designed to help homeless men and women. Participate in a wide range of programs including art instruction and computer, preparing and serving meals, etc.
contact	contact Prema Menon, Director of Human Resources and Volunteer Services, at volunteerjobs@ncsinc.org or call 212-537-5080
address	157 E. 86 th St., NYC.
Prerequisites/ commitment	Varies based on program

St. Bart's Shelter and Soup Kitchen

Project type	Shelter offers overnight accommodations for up to ten women. The shelter functions in cooperation with the Gathering Place Drop-In Center and the Partnership for the Homeless. Overnight hosts are needed from 6:00 p.m. to approximately 6:00 a.m. Dinner hosts arrive at 6pm and stay till about 9pm.
contact	www.stbarts.org , 212-378-0229
address	109 East 50th Street
Prerequisites/ commitment	Orientation

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HOMELESS AND HOUSING SERVICES

Ecclesia

Project type	Every 2nd Sunday of the month -Helping prepare lunches; transporting lunches and altar to park; attending service to lead singing, hand out programs and lunches
contact	Tom Schneider 212-686-2770
address	276 Fifth Ave.
Prerequisites/ commitment	No prerequisites

Bowery Mission Soup Kitchen

Project type	Help to prepare, serve and clean-up from lunch or dinner alongside staff and resident students at 227 Bowery. Contact the Bowery mission to gain an overview of other volunteer projects including mentoring program
contact	www.bowery.org, volunteer@bowery.org, vol. inquiries 212-674-3456 x107
Address	227 Bowery in Manhattan
Prerequisites/ commitment	complete an application.

West Side Campaign Against Hunger

Project type	Volunteers help bring in food deliveries, stock shelves, bag bread, break down boxes, assist customers, work checkout and much more.
contact	Shaira Chaer, Operations Director, at schaer@wscah.org or by calling 212-362-3662 x123, For more information go to www.wscah.org
Address	263 West 86th Street
Prerequisites/ commitment	none

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ADULT MENTORING AND TRAINING

Covenant House

Project type	Mentoring at-risk and homeless teens
contact	www.covenanthouseny.org, (212) 613-0300, email Sheila Walton at swalton@covenanthouse.org
address	460 West 41st Street, NYC
Prerequisites/ commitment	Application, training and commitment

Bottom Line

Project type	Mentoring students who are applying to college as well as those in college. First generation college bound students.
contact	info@bottomline.org; jed@bottomline.org, www.bottomline.org
address	44 Court St., Ste. 300, Brooklyn, NY 11201
Prerequisites/ commitment	Application and background check

Mentoring USA

Project type	Mentoring USA's mission is to create sustained and supportive mentor relationships for children in need ages 7-21.
contact	(212) 400-8294, www.mentoringusa.org/
address	5 Hanover Square, 17th Floor, New York, NY 10004
Prerequisites/ commitment	18 years of age or older. a one-year commitment 4-6 hours a month. pass a criminal background check conducted by Mentoring USA.

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Youth At Risk

Project type	Youth at Risk provides preventative and intervention services. Volunteer as mentor or administrative staff.
contact	www.nyyouthatrisk.org , (212) 791-4927
address	116 John St. Suite 2200
Prerequisites/ commitment	21 + years, application, commitment and orientation.

The Church of Saint Luke in the Fields

Project type	Assist at a weekly drop-in center for LGBT street youth
contact	Joanne Bartosik, <i>Development Manager</i> , 212.414.7442 jbartosik@stlukeinthefields.org , volunteers@stlukeinthefields.org or call the Parish Office (212-924-0562).
Address	487 Hudson Street, New York, NY
Prerequisites/ commitment	Contact organization for prerequisites and commitment

Boys Club NY

Project type	Homework Help volunteers provide academic support to small groups of BCNY members of various ages ensuring that members complete their homework and use good study skills.
contact	Volunteer Coordinator (347)-505-5344, www.bcny.org , volunteer@bcny.org
Address	Various locations
Prerequisites/ commitment	Application, screening, orientation and training

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FORMERLY INCARCERATED/PRISON MINISTRY

Exodus Transitional Community

Project type Teach computer skills to formerly incarcerated adults

contact Diana Ortiz at 917.492.0990 or dortiz@etcny.org

address 2271 Third Avenue, 2nd Floor

Prerequisites/
commitment varies

Hour Children

Project type Mentoring women one-on-one who are returning home from prison.

contact hourchildren.org , 718-433-4724 ext.: 170

address 36-11 12th St. - Long Island City, NY

Prerequisites/
commitment Application, orientation and interview

College and Community Fellowship

Project type Mentor and tutor formerly incarcerated men and women in college and graduate school, including administrative support, policy research and tutoring for students.

contact www.collegeandcommunity.org, 646-380-7777

address 475 Riverside Drive Suite 1626

Prerequisites/
commitment Varies according to program

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NEIGHBORHOOD CENTERS

International Center

Project type	Volunteers are needed to offer English conversation one-on-one, and help with problems of adjustment to life in New York.
contact	To volunteer, please contact the Volunteer Manager, Anna Petelka at (646) 794 3751 or anna.petelka@archny.org .
address	80 Maiden Lane, NYC.
Prerequisites/ commitment	Must have English as native language

Stanley M. Isaacs Neighborhood Center

Project type	Assist with programs for youth, families and seniors serving Yorkville and East Harlem
contact	(212) 360-7625, www.isaacscenter.org/
address	Various locations
Prerequisites/ commitment	Varies according to program

English Speaking Union

Project type	English in Action helps newcomers to the US gain fluency and confidence in conversational English by pairing them with volunteer tutors for weekly conversation sessions
contact	(212) 818-1200, info@esuus.org , www.esuus.org
address	144 East 39th Street
Prerequisites/ commitment	orientation

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OUTREACH TO SENIORS

Project FIND

Project type	Volunteers serve at holiday events, teach classes, visit seniors in senior centers, serve meals and act as escorts at cultural events.
contact	212-874-0300, www.projectfind.org/
address	160 West 71st Street
Prerequisites/ commitment	A completed application, with two letters of reference, and an interview are required.

Search and Care

Project type	Visit clients once a week for conversation and to help with ongoing projects, escort clients to and from medical appointments and to special programs and events
contact	(212) 289-5300 , www.searchandcare.org
address	1844 Second Avenue
Prerequisites/ commitment	Application and interview are required

SPECIAL NEEDS

Helping Hands for the Disabled

Project type	Volunteers are needed to work with the disabled during outings.
contact	www.hhdnyc.org , Alice Crespo at 718-606-9712

Learning Ally

Project type	“Readers” narrate the text of books, “Bookmarkers” make notes to guide readers and “Quality Controllers” check accuracy of recordings.
contact	212-557-5720

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WORK PROJECTS

New York Cares

Project type	NYCares has a wide range of activities a volunteer can get involved in. Check their website for information
contact	www.newyorkcares.org , info@newyorkcares.org
address	65 Broadway 19th Floor
Prerequisites/ commitment	Varies depending on the project

Habitat for Humanity

Project type	Building and construction of homes and living units. Register to volunteer on line
contact	www.habitatnyc.org , (212) 991-4000
address	111 John Street, 23rd Floor
Prerequisites/ commitment	Some knowledge and use of tools

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FOSTER CARE

Court Appointed Special Advocates of NY (CASA)

Project type	Volunteers must be able to talk to a wide variety of people from healthcare professionals to school officials. They present written reports to the court, sometimes speaking in the courtroom on behalf of the child's best interests.
contact	www.casaforchildren.org
address	50 Broadway, 31 st Floor
Prerequisites/ commitment	Commitment of five hours per week for one year

ADVOCACY

Women's Press Collective

Project type	Teach writing, graphic design and computers, assist with community outreach and publicity and provide clerical and administrative support.
contact	(718) 222-0405
address	228 Hoyt Street, Brooklyn, NY
Prerequisites/ commitment	orientation

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ENVIRONMENTAL

GrowNYC

Project type	GrowNYC is <i>the</i> sustainability resource for New Yorkers: providing free tools and services anyone can use in order to improve our City and environment. #letsgrownyc
contact	www.grownyc.org
address	100 Gold Street, Suite 3300 New York, New York 10038 phone number 212-788-7900
Prerequisites/ commitment	Volunteer opportunities listed and sign-up to volunteer on website

NYC Parks

Project type	NYC Department of Parks and Recreation. Managing city parks in all 5 boroughs on NYC. Park clean-up volunteer opportunities.
contact	www.nycgovparks.org/opportunities/volunteer
address	The Arsenal, Central Park, 830 Fifth Avenue, New York, NY 10065
Prerequisites/ commitment	Volunteer opportunities with various city parks listed on website

A Resource from Marble Collegiate Church Action Volunteers



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