

Evaluating YES Steps for Effective Service-Learning

Project title to evaluate: _____

In each of the scoring boxes, record (0)- No implementation, (1)-Some Implementation, (2)-Good Implementation, (3)-Excellent Implementation

<i>Preparation</i>						<i>Action</i>		<i>Celebration</i>			
Defining		Team Building		Planning		Researching		Implementing		Finishing	
Understanding service & learning goals		Team identifies and defines character norms to work together and with community		Team helps identify community and needs that may be served		Students engage in research to understand community need		Students identify and create strategic plan to meet specific project goals		Project results are published (bulletin boards, websites, essays, brochures, articles...)	
Understanding difference and benefits of direct, indirect and advocacy service projects		Team identifies and works with team roles/responsibilities		Team helps identify available resources		Students assembly background information		Project goals are documented in writing and associated with timelines and student responsibilities		Project evaluation is completed with student input	
Recognizing different communities		Team learns and practices decision-making skills		Team contributes to identify service project		Students help identify resources to help meet project goals		As project goals are met, they are acknowledged and evaluated		Project is celebrated	
Understanding steps for effective service-learning		Team learns and practices reflection skills		Team helps select service project		Students help clarify and affirm service goals		Students practice and help lead reflection and use reflection to improve project		Students practice and help lead reflection and use reflection to improve future projects	
				Team contributes to drafting service and learning goals		Students help clarify and affirm learning goals					
				Team practices reflection with student leadership		Students practice and help lead reflection and use reflection to improve project					
Sum		Sum		Sum		Sum		Sum		Sum	
Avg. (divide sum by 4)		Avg. (divide sum by 4)		Avg. (divide sum by 6)		Avg. (divide sum by 6)		Avg. (divide sum by 4)		Avg. (divide sum by 4)	
Rank priority (1=High, 2=Med, 3=Low)		Rank priority (1=High, 2=Med, 3=Low)		Rank priority (1=High, 2=Med, 3=Low)		Rank priority (1=High, 2=Med, 3=Low)		Rank priority (1=High, 2=Med, 3=Low)		Rank priority (1=High, 2=Med, 3=Low)	