The deadline for the Student Leader Application is January 28, 2022 at 11:59 pm eastern/ 8:59 pm pacific. There will be no deadline extensions so please plan accordingly for weather or other circumstances.

For questions concerning Student Leaders, please call 1-800-218-9946.

Do you want to be the generation that will serve, inspire and change the world?

We are looking for the next generation of community leaders. If you are a current junior or senior in high school with a passion for improving your community, we want to help you turn that passion into action.

As a Student Leader, you will participate in an eight-week paid internship at a local nonprofit organization where you will learn first-hand about the needs of your community and the critical role nonprofits play.

In addition, you will learn valuable civic, social and business leadership skills. Each Student Leader will attend the Student Leader Summit held in Washington, D.C.* where you will explore how government, business and the nonprofit sector work to address critical community needs.

If you would like to make a difference in your community, apply today!

To become a Student Leader, you must:

- Currently be a junior or senior in high school
- Live in one of the eligible counties listed below. This must be your permanent address
- Be able to participate in an 8-week paid internship at a local nonprofit/charitable organization and work 35 hours a week*
- Be legally authorized to work in the US without sponsorship through the end of September 2022
- Be able to participate in a week-long Student Leadership Summit in Washington, DC (July 25-30, 2022 (All expenses paid as part of Student Leaders. This week will be part of your 8-week experience.) *
- Be a student in good standing at your school

Obtain a letter of recommendation from a teacher, guidance counselor, or school administrator at your current school. Contact your recommender as soon as possible to provide them with the requirements listed in the recommendation fact sheet. If not submitted with your application, uploaded letters, meeting all requirements, must be received by 11:59 pm eastern on Monday, January 31, 2022. Late letters will not be accepted. Letters may not be emailed, mailed or faxed.

*In-person events will be in line with local and national guidelines around gatherings and travel and may be subject to change.