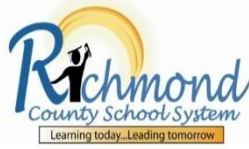


# RCSS Volunteerism Cord Guidelines



**Purpose:** The Silver Volunteerism Cord is awarded to High School Seniors who have demonstrated commitment making a positive difference in the community. It signifies that the wearer has completed a set number of hours of community service through a non-profit organization.

## **Eligibility Requirements:**

- 50 hours of community service
  - Hours must have been completed between June 1, 2019 and March 27, 2020.
  - The volunteer hours can be accomplished in a variety of ways such as volunteering for a church, civic organization, non-profit summer camp, school and/or hospital.
  - All service hours will be verified by the Student Volunteer/Citizenship Contact
- Submission of Application Packet
  - RCSS Volunteerism Cord Student Volunteer/Community Service Log Sheet
  - Student Reflection (minimum 250 words) that explains the significance of the community service(s) and how the volunteer experience has impacted their life.
  - A letter of verification (on organization letterhead) from the supervisor of the activity confirming the number of hours completed.

**Application Deadline:** The complete application packet must be submitted to the school-based Student Volunteer/Citizenship Contact no later than Friday, March 27, 2020.

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