

### ABOUT CITY YEAR

City Year is an education focused, nonprofit organization that unites young people of all backgrounds for a year of full-time service to keep students in school and on track to graduation. At City Year's 25 urban locations across the United States and two international affiliates, teams of highly-trained corps members serve full-time in schools as tutors, mentors and role models. By focusing on attendance, behavior and course performance, which identify students who are at risk of dropping out, corps members are uniquely able to help students and schools succeed.

# WHAT YOU'LL DO

Beginning each day before the first school bell rings and staying until the last child leaves the after-school program; you'll serve students, schools and communities through:

- Academic Support: Provide one-on-one or small group tutoring before, during and after school
- Attendance and Positive Behavior Encouragement: Lead energetic morning greetings, make attendance and positive phone calls to home, lead mentor groups
- **Community and School Improvements:** Organize and lead activities, celebrations and projects to improve the community and school environment

Team-based service is at the heart of City Year. You will be assigned to a diverse team of 8-15 young adults and you will serve with that team for the duration of the year.

For more information on What You'll Do, visit www.cityyear.org/virtualopenhouse

### WHAT YOU GET

Through City Year, you'll gain valuable skills and knowledge that will accelerate your career and education, no matter what path.

- Career and Education Opportunities
  - o Eligibility for exclusive scholarships to dozens of colleges and universities
  - Access to online career resource center
    - o Networking opportunities with more than 16,500 alumni
- Leadership Skills
  - o Leadership training and development
  - o Project management and communication skills
  - Civic knowledge
- Benefits
  - o Living stipend
  - o \$5,550 AmeriCorps Education Award
  - Federal student loan forbearance
  - Health insurance
  - o Uniform

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City Year AmeriCorps member description for online postings, updated 9/15/10

#### **ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS**

City Year corps members are as diverse a group as the communities they serve. We're looking for you if you want to give back and are ready to change the world.

Applicants must:

- Be between the ages of 17 and 24
- Be a U.S. citizen or legal permanent resident
- Have a High School Diploma or G.E.D.
- Have served no more than three terms in an AmeriCorps state or national program.\*
- Agree to a criminal background check
- Be able to begin City Year by July 30, 2014

Previous experiences with service, tutoring, mentoring or leadership strengthen candidacy.

\* Individuals may receive no more than the value of two full time education awards. If you have received the equivalent of more than one full time education award, you are eligible to serve and receive a discounted award.

#### HOW TO APPLY

To be considered for a position, you must visit <u>www.cityyear.org</u> and submit your completed online application and two letters of recommendation. You can apply to a specific City Year location, a region or apply to serve where most needed by one of City Year's deadlines:

Apply By	Notified By
September 30	October 21
November 15	December 16
February 15	March 16
April 30	May 30

For more information, please contact the recruitment department at the City Year site at which you are interested in serving. <u>http://www.cityyear.org/contact-recruitment.aspx</u>

#### **CITY YEAR: U.S. LOCATIONS**

Baton Rouge	New Hampshire
Boston	New Orleans
Chicago	New York
Cleveland	Orlando
Columbia	Greater Philadelpha
Columbus	Rhode Island
Denver	Sacramento
Detroit	San Antonio
Jacksonville	San José/Silicon Valley
Little Rock/North Little Rock	Seattle/King County
Los Angeles	Tulsa
Miami	Washington, D.C.
Milwaukee	

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# The give a year Partnership

# INTEGRATING HIGHER EDUCATION AND SERVICE

Through give a year Partnerships, City Year teams up with colleges and universities, who provide financial scholarships and recognition to students who give a year or more of service through City Year. Our give a year Partners value the perspective, leadership and experience City Year alumni bring to their communities.

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# HOW give a year PARTNERSHIPS WORK

City Year corps members:

- Serve with City Year in any of our 25 US Sites for at least one year
- Apply to give a year Partner schools during or after your year of service.
- If accepted, either automatically receive a give a year scholarship, complete a supplementary scholarship application to determine eligibility, or compete with other City Year corps members and alumni for a select number of scholarships.

Partner schools:

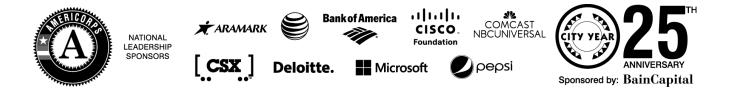
- Provide scholarships at least 25% of tuition to qualified students who have served at least one year as a corps member.
- Waive the application fee for City Year corps and alumni.
- Recognize participants as National Service Scholars at special events such as graduation.

# give a year PARTNERS

All schools listed on next page offer between a 25% and 100% tuition scholarship to qualified City Year corps, alumni and staff, along with other benefits. Please visit the City Year Website at www.cityyear.org/scholarships for more information on our partnership with each school.

# FOR MORE INFORMATION

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# Current give a year Partners

All schools listed below offer between a 25% and 100% tuition scholarship to qualified City Year corps, alumni and staff, along with other benefits. Please visit the City Year Alumni website at alumni.cityyear.org/?giveayearpartners for specific information on all partnerships.

# **EDUCATION:**

American University School of Education, Teaching and Health 
 Boston University School of Education 
 Columbia University's Teachers College
 Eastern Michigan University College of Education
 Loyola Marymount University - School of Education
 Mount Holyoke College - Master of the Arts
 in Teaching
 Pepperdine University Graduate School of Education and Psychology
 Syracuse University School of Education
 The University of
 Chicago Urban Teacher Education Program
 University of Miami School of Education
 Kuman Development
 University of Pennsylvania Graduate
 School of Education
 University of Rochester Warner School of Education

# **BUSINESS / NON-PROFIT MANAGEMENT:**

American University Kogod School of Business
 Bentley University - McCallum Graduate School of Business
 Boston University School of Management
 Brandeis University - The Heller School for Social Policy and Management
 Claremont Graduate University - The Drucker School of Management
 Clark University Graduate School of Management
 The George Washington University School of Business
 Illinois Institute of Technology - Stuart School of Business
 The John Hopkins Carey Business School
 Northeastern Graduate School of Business Administration
 Simmons College - School of Management
 Washington University in St. Louis - The Olin School of Business
 Williamette University MBA for Business, Government and Not-for-Profit Management

# POLICY:

Brandeis University - The Heller School for Social Policy and Management 
 Carnegie Mellon University - H. John Heinz College
 University of Colorado Denver School of Public Affairs
 Duke University - Sanford School of Public Policy
 The University of Pittsburgh Graduate School of Public and International Affairs
 Rutgers University - The Edward J. Bloustein School of Planning and Public Policy
 The Bush School of Government and Public Service at Texas A&M University
 University of Pennsylvania Fels Institute of Government

# SOCIAL WORK:

Boston College Graduate School of Social Work - Boston University School of Social Work - The Florida State University College of Social Work - New York University - The Silver School of Social Work - Simmons College School of Social Work - University of Southern California School of Social Work - Washington University in St. Louis - The George Warren Brown School of Social Work - The Wurzweiler School of Social Work of Yeshiva University -

#### ARTS & SCIENCES/OTHER: \*Note: Many of these schools offer programs in the above categories

 Andover Newton Theological School • Antioch University New England • ACED Fellows Program at Illinois State University • Bard Center for Environmental Policy • Brandeis University - Graduate School of Arts and Sciences • Brown University - M.A. Program in Public Humanities • Cambridge College Graduate Programs • Clark University - International Development, Community and Environment • Drexel University • Emmanuel College of Graduate and Professional Programs • Episcopal Divinity School • Louisiana State University • Marist College • Monterey Institute of International Studies • Northeastern University College of Professional Studies • Our Lady of the Lake University Graduate Programs • Prescott College On Campus Concentration in Social Justice and Human Rights • Rosemont College Schools of Graduate and Professional Studies • Simmons College Graduate School of Library and Information Science • Simmons College of Nursing and Health Sciences • SIT Graduate Institute • Stetson University • Tufts University - The Graduate School of Arts and Sciences • Washington University in St. Louis - Brown School, Master of Public Health • Wesleyan University Graduate Liberal Studies • Westwood College • Wheelock College Graduate and Continuing Studies •

# **UNDERGRADUATE:**

Bentley University - Founding give a year Partner • Cambridge College Undergraduate Programs • Dean College • Eastern Michigan University
 undergraduate programs • Eastern University • Illinois Institute of Technology • Northeastern University College of Professional Studies • Our Lady of the Lake University • Paul Smith's College of Arts and Sciences • Pine Manor College • Shimer College • Stetson University • St. Mary's University • Westwood College • Wheelock College • Widener University •