



## Where to Volunteer Organizations and agencies

Key Club members have the best skills in the world to support initiatives, educate their communities about social issues, and motivate their peers to raise funds for any cause. The best way to continue the work you do is to partner and utilize organizations and agencies that are skilled in their area of expertise. Many organizations and agencies in your community have the projects or programs ready for you to step in and volunteer.

Many after-school programs, from the parks and recreation departments to Boys & Girls Club support our Live to Learn service initiative. Don't always reinvent the wheel, use these and your own local organizations and agencies to support primary students in your community.

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### YMCA International

<http://www.ymca.net/international/>

The YMCA is more than day camp, child-care, sports, fitness, or youth programs. It is a worldwide family of more than 120 autonomous national movements committed to building a positive future for youth and families. Search online for your local YMCA and learn how to be a YMCA volunteer.

### Boys & Girls Clubs

[www.bgca.org](http://www.bgca.org)

Boys & Girls Clubs make a difference in the community by giving young people a safe place to learn and grow. Make a difference in your neighborhood by working with a local Boys & Girls Club. From character and leadership education to the arts, Key Clubbers can volunteer to help with one of the many available programs.

### Public Libraries

<http://www.publiclibraries.com/>

<http://www.collectionscanada.gc.ca/gateway/index-e.html>

Libraries host events and classes weekly in your community. Family story time projects often offer a chance to make a craft related to the stories read. During drop in programs children of all ages are invited to drop in and create a simple craft or to color. These activities could use your support. Contact your local library and see how your club can volunteer.

Don't have any of these agencies in your community? No worries, these are just a few. Each state/province, country, and community has after-school programming. Contact your local primary school or your government office/ministry of education. You will be surprised what volunteering opportunities there are. And you can always take the initiative and start your own Live to Learn programming.

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