

### I. <u>What Do You Want To Do</u>?

- A. Identify an area of service you would like to do.
  - i. Education
  - ii. Healthcare
  - iii. Hunger & Homelessness
  - iv. Environment
  - v. Other
- B. Is this a one-time or on-going service opportunity?
- C. Are there any current volunteer opportunities in the community that you'd like to engage in?

### II. <u>Why Do You Want To Do It</u>?

- A. What are the problems or needs it addresses?
- B. What benefits do you expect it to have for the community?
  - i. Consider one time versus ongoing and implications.
- C. For the students?
- D. For you as a leader?
- E. For PLU?

### III. Identifying Community Organizations

- A. Identify 2-3 community organizations you'd like to work with.
- B. How will you connect with the organization?
- C. How do you know they want your help?
- D. What will your relationship be?
- E. What do they expect from you?
- F. What do you expect from them?

# IV. <u>Plan the Details</u>

- A. How many students does the community partner need?
- B. How will you recruit other students for this opportunity?
- C. How many students will actually be going?

- D. Are there requirements the students need to satisfy before doing the work?
- E. Does the work require students to have background checks?
  - i. If so, how will you ensure they are completed?
- F. What day(s) and hour(s) will the work take place?
- G. How will you handle transportation?
- H. Is there any need for cash or funding?
- I. What campus resources will you use to support this service opportunity?

# V. <u>Identify the Learning Outcome Goals</u>

- A. How will you know they are achieved?
  - i. Students will gain insight and perspective into the life of another person
  - ii. Students will have a deeper understanding of self, world and community
  - iii. Other goals developed by the students themselves

# VI. <u>Establish a Reflection Plan</u>

- A. What questions or topics will you ask to consider before engaging in service?
- B. What questions or topics will you ask or consider after you have engaged in service?
- C. What are your ideas for reflection activities?

# VII. <u>Follow Up</u>

- A. What will you do to follow-up or follow through with beyond the service and its reflection?
  - i. Will there be a follow-up service opportunity?
  - ii. Will you invite community members on campus?
  - iii. Any follow up communication needed with the organization?