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Utah Application for the President’s Volunteer Service Award

The Utah State Board of Education has been designated as a certifying organization for the President’s Volunteer Service Award by the Corporation for National & Community Service. The Board, in this capacity, will verify citizenship and hours of service for employee and student applicants, order and pay for awards, and make presentation to approved individuals who apply. Applicants who receive the award have demonstrated a firm commitment to volunteer service and community engagement. This prestigious award is a significant addition to resumes and biographical collections, and is a clear representation of civic engagement.

Specified awards are based on the following list of service hours rendered in a year.

	Bronze	Silver	Gold
Kids (ages 5-10)	26-49	50-74	75+
Teens (AGES 11-15)	50-74	75-99	100+
Young Adults (ages 16-25)	100-174	175-249	250+
Adults (ages 26+)	100-249	250-499	500+
Families & Groups	200-499	500-999	1000+

Name _____ Date _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____

Zip Code _____ Phone _____ Email _____

Age _____ Verification of United States Citizenship _____ (Birth certificate, U.S. Passport, Certificate of Citizenship, or Naturalization Certificate has been viewed by verifier. These documents will not be collected by the Utah State Board of Education).



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Eligible Service:

- Unpaid acts of volunteer service benefitting others
 - Service through National service programs that provide a stipend (e.g., Peace Corps, AmeriCorps) may count towards the Lifetime Achievement Award*, but not for the annual Bronze, Silver, and Gold Awards)
 - Travel stipends, transit/parking passes, membership passes, expense reimbursements, and other nominal volunteer support do not impact service eligibility

Eligible Service does not include:

- Donating funds
- Political lobbying (Non-partisan voter registration is an eligible activity)
- Religious instruction
- Conducting worship service
- Proselytizing
- Volunteer service performed as part of court-ordered community service
- Serving only family members

Verifier Qualifications

- Must be 18 years of age or older
- Must not be related to the applicant
- Must have observed/monitored service rendered
- Must be available for contact from the certifying organization



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Verifier's Contact Information

Name:	Address:	Email:	Phone:

(Additional Verifiers may be added on a separate sheet)

Send completed application to:

Alan Griffin
 Utah State Board of Education
 250 East 500 South
 Salt Lake City, UT 84114-4200



=====**This Section to be filled in by Certifying Organization**=====

Certified by: _____

Position: _____

Award Presentation Date: _____