



List of Service Organizations
Nonprofits & Federal, State, or Local Government Entities

This list contains non-profits, federal, state & local government agencies that are registered with the California Dream Act Service Incentive Grant Program (DSIG) and are deemed as DSIG qualifying Service Organizations. Students can volunteer with any of the organization(s) on this list or any organization not on this list that meets the criteria for a qualifying community or volunteer organization.

What is a qualifying community or volunteer service organization?

- A nonprofit as defined in Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.
- Any federal, state, or local government entity.
- Any school on the Cal Grant Eligible Schools list on the [CSAC website](#).
- Organization shall have been established for a minimum of two years before the first date on which a participating student begins performing service hours to qualify for this program.
- Community or volunteer service performed by the participating student is not advocacy of a political, social, or religious nature.
- Community or volunteer service is related to the participating student's field of study or is in furtherance of community service or a community need.

Note on Cal Grant Eligible Schools

Cal Grant Eligible Schools, including on-campus community or volunteer service organizations affiliated with a Cal Grant eligible school, such as outreach, student services, and multi-cultural organizations are automatically deemed eligible and do not require additional registration. Please note that the Cal Grant eligible schools and their affiliated departments and organizations are NOT included on this list.

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501 (c)(3) Nonprofits

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10,000 Degrees				
6th Street Center for Youth	130 West 6th Street, Chico 95928	6th Street, a program of Youth for Change, is a daytime service center for homeless and runaway Transitional Aged Youth (TAY) between the ages of 14 and 24 years old. 6th Street provides crisis intervention, Transition and Master Lease housing, assistance accessing social services, and basic needs such as food, clothing and hygiene items. 6th Street provides outpatient mental health services, including therapy and counseling services, brief family counseling, conflict mediation and family reunification.	Name: Emily Pereira Phone: 530-894-8008 Email: epereira@youth4change.org Name: Mallory Penzotti Phone: 530-894-8008 Email: mpenzotti@youth4change.org	www.6thstreetcenter.org
Ahri Center, A Project of the Tides Center	8682 Beach Blvd Suite 200, Buena Park, CA 90620	Ahri is a new organization, founded in December 2019. We exist to challenge the broken system and create new pathways for our community so that no one lives in fear of deportation, and everyone has access to education, healthcare affordable housing, and a healthy work environment. The core founding staff of Ahri are seasoned community organizers, activists, and advocates who are trusted by community members. The central programs at Ahri include Community Organizing, Civic Engagement, Immigrant Rights, and Legal Services.	Name(s): Lesley Velasco & Damian Kim Phone: (323) 565-1101 Email: lesley@ah-ri.org ; damian@ah-ri.org	https://ah-ri.org/
Animal Protection League				

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Big Brothers Big Sisters of the Inland Empire				
Boyle Heights Conservatory				
Building A Generation				
Butte County Local Food Network				
California Families in Focus				
Center for Restorative Justice Works (CRJW)	Montebello, CA	The Center For Restorative Justice Works (CRJW) re-weaves the web of relationships that have been torn apart by crime and the policies of the criminal justice system. CRJW serves as a conduit to assist and accompany children, families and communities in crossing over the barriers that separate them from people in prison.	Name: Claudia Aguilar Title: Administrative Coordinator Phone: (818) 980-7714 Email: Caguilar@crjw.org	https://crjw.org/
Central American Resource Center				

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Central Valley Immigrant Integration Collaborative	San Joaquin Counties: San Joaquin, Stanislaus, Merced, Madera, Fresno, Kings, Tulare, Kern	Central Valley Scholars is a community-based organization with a mission of creating accessible pathways towards higher education for historically impacted communities in the Central Valley. We foster equity by providing the mentorship (thementorship) and constructive tools students need to achieve the education they deserve. Our services are open to high school students and students entering or continuing post-secondary education.	Name: Lizeth Calderon Title: Assistant Program Director Phone: (559) 205- 9382 Email: contact@centralvalleyscholars.org	https://www.centralvalleyscholars.org/
Central Valley Scholars				
City Heights Community Development Corp				
Civil Rights Institute of Inland Southern California				
Coalition for Humane Immigrant Rights (CHIRLA)				
Community Food Bank of San Benito				

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Community Literature Initiative	2702 W Florence Ave, Los Angeles, CA 90043	The mission of the Community Literature Initiative's (CLI) mission is to help low-income communities of color write and publish books. CLI offers a variety of writing classes, publicizes writers through its World Stage Press, and houses events and gathers at the Sims Library of Poetry. Our programs synchronize well with those pursuing creative writing or literature studies.	Name: Karo Ska Title: Library Manager Phone: (323) 531-2511 Email: karo@communitylit.org	https://www.communitylit.org/
Days Long Beach				
Dream Center Foundation	2301 Bellevue Ave, Los Angeles CA 90026	We are a faith-based nonprofit in inner city Los Angeles that specializes in both outreach and residential ministry.	Name: Rylee Doyle Title: Volunteers Coordinator Phone: (913) 827-8150 Email: volunteers@dreamcenter.org	www.dreamcenter.org
Early Alert Canines				
East of Eden K9 Rescue				
El Camino Homeless Organization - ECHO	6370 Atascadero Ave, Atascadero, CA 93422	ECHO's mission since 2001 is to empower people in SLO County to make positive change by providing food, shelter, and supportive services.	Name: Miranda Lomeli-O'Reilly Phone: (805) 539-7858 Email: mlomelioreilly@echoshelter.org	https://www.echoshelter.org/
Epicenter of Monterey				

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Everyone Belongs, Inc (DBA The Lucky Few Foundation)				
Family Service Association of Redlands				
Father Joe's Villages	1501 Imperial Ave., San Diego, CA 92101	As San Diego's largest homeless services provider, FJV offers a variety of services from housing, rental assistance, healthcare, food, clothing, education, job training, mental health services, addiction treatment, and therapeutic childcare. Our mission is to end homelessness one life at a time.	Name: Liza Heredia Title: Volunteer Services Coordinator Name: Emily Montgomery Title: Volunteer Services Coordinator Phone: (619) 645-6411 Email: Volunteer@neighbor.org	https://my.neighbor.org/
First Gen Empower		First Gen Empower (FGE) is a 501(c)(3) non-profit dedicated to addressing educational inequity by supporting first-generation, low-income, and undocumented students, as well as their schools and families, with college and career readiness resources, peer-to-peer leadership training, and mentorship.	Name: Sarah Kim Title: Director of Community Engagement and Partnerships Email: info@firstgenempower.org	https://www.firstgenempower.com/
First Gen Scholars				

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Food Share, INC	4156 Southbank Road, Oxnard, CA 93036	OUR MISSION: Food Share is dedicated to leading the fight against hunger in Ventura County. Food Share is a 501(c)3 charity. Tax ID# 77-0018162	Name: Christina Forino Title: Director of Volunteer Services Phone: (805) 236-5254 Email: volunteer@foodshare.com	https://foodshare.com/
Foundation for a College Education				
Girl Scouts of Northern California				
Habitat for Humanity: Fresno Greater Fresno Area	Job Sites Vary, Restore: 1631 Railroad Ave., Clovis CA 93612	Habitat is non-profit affordable home builder in Fresno and Madera Counties. Habitat engages volunteers 18 years of age or older in our construction building processes at various job sites. We are able to engage volunteers 16 years of age or older as part of an organized trades program on our construction sites. We also engage volunteers (14+) at our Restore location in Clovis, California. Volunteers learn retail skills that contribute to the mission of building homes community and hope.	Name: Danielle Rowland Title: Volunteer Engagement Manager Phone: (559) 237-4102 ext. 115 Email: danieller@habitatfresno.org	
Hispanas Organized for Political Equality (HOPE)	634 South Spring Street, Los Angeles, CA 90014	Advancing economic and political parity for Latinas.	Name: Kaytie Gonzalez Phone: (213) 309-0083 Email: kgonzalez@latinas.org	https://www.latinas.org/
HOPE Collaboration				

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Inland Empire Immigrant Youth Collective (IEIYC)	3610 Central Ave Unit 204 Riverside Ca 92506	<p>We were founded in 2010, to create a safe space for immigrant youth to express themselves and achieve their full potential, regardless of status or any other part of their identity that intersects with being undocumented. Through grassroots organizing, our mission is to engage youth to gain equal access to higher education and professional development and to seek justice for the immigrant community by empowering those most impacted by unjust policies. Our approach to these objectives are grounded in:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community building Youth Development Creativity and Artistic Expression Healing and Restorative Justice Civic Participation and Political Education 	<p>Name: Najayra Valdovinos Soto Title: Youth Engagement Coordinator Phone: (909) 419-5412 Email: najayra@theieicyc.org</p>	https://theieicyc.org/get-involved/
Inland Valley Human Society SPCA				
JCCEB (Jewish Community Center East Bay)				
Karma Rescue	2632 Wilshire Blvd, PMP 155, Santa Monica, CA 90403	Karma Rescue is a non-profit organization that promises to do everything in our power to keep families and pets together. Since 2003, we have been preventing shelter overcrowding by providing lifesaving medical aid to low-income families and free spay/neuter services to underserved communities throughout Los Angeles.	<p>Name: Annie Ward Title: Administrative and Volunteer Program Coordinator Phone: (310) 512-7833 Email: volunteer@karmarescue.org</p>	https://www.karmarescue.org/
Kern Medical Auxiliary				

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Kid City Hope Place	714 W Olympic Blvd, Los Angeles, CA 90015	Our mission is to help low-income and youth of color to develop personally and professionally within an affirming community. Through authentic programming and services, we foster agency in youth and first-generation college students to navigate and overcome systemic barriers in their education and careers. Kid City’s college access and persistence, career readiness, and music programs are responsive to the holistic needs of youth and young adults and embrace the unique voices and experiences of each of them.	Name: Kimberly Fabian Phone: (213) 749-7371 Email: kimberlyfabian@kidcityhopepl ace.org	https://www.kidcityhopepl ace.org/
Korean Resource Center				
Lift to Rise				
Long Beach BLAST				
Long Beach Public Library Foundation	200 W. Broadway, Long Beach, CA 908	In 1996, the Long Beach Public Library Foundation began with a mission to provide support to enhance Long Beach Public Libraries and encourage literacy and education for all members of the community.	Name: Veronica Garcia Davalos Title: Executive Director & CEO Phone: (562) 628-2441 Email: info@LBPLfoundation.org	www.LBPLfoundation.org
Los Angeles Alliance for a New Economy				
Los Angeles Regional Food Bank				
Los Angelitos de Encinitas, Inc.				

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Mission Viejo Church of Christ				
Mixteco Indigena Community Organizing Project (MICOP)	110 S. Lincoln St, Suite 204 Santa Maria, CA 93458	Our Mission: Is to empower indigenous youth through historical knowledge of pueblos originarios to counter discrimination, promote pride of indigenous identity, strength self-esteem and develop academic interest.		http://www.mixteco.org/
MLK Community Healthcare				
Museum of Contemporary Art Santa Barbara				
National Institute of Canine Service and Training				
On the Move: Voices				
OneFuture Coachella Valley				
Ontario-Montclair Schools Foundation				

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Orange County Rescue Mission	1 Hope Dr. Tustin, CA 92782	The Orange County Rescue Mission is a homeless shelter, focused on providing long-term, holistic help. Our goal is to help individuals work through any issues that were causing homelessness in the first place by providing counseling, education, job training and more.	Name: Hannah Kim Phone: (714) 441-8090 Email: volunteers@rescuemission.org	https://www.rescuemission.org/
Orchard Hospital				
PIH Health Whittier Hospital - Physical Therapy Departments				
Pilipino Workers Center of S. Cal.	153 Glendale Blvd 1st Floor, Los Angeles, CA 90026	Community based organization that combines both services (to engage the community) and organizing to empower them and create a base with shared vision and achieve power.	Name: Myrla Baldonado Phone: (213) 268-9174 Email: myrla.baldonado@gmail.com	https://www.pwcsc.org/
Pink Ribbon Place (Thrift shop)				
Play Mountain Place	6063 Hargis St. Los Angeles, CA 90034	Humanistic, child-led, non-profit, private preschool & elementary school.	Name: Joe Ringlehan Phone: (323) 870-4381 Email: info@playmountain.org	https://www.playmountain.org/

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Project Open Hand	730 Polk St. San Francisco, CA 94109	<p>Founded in 1985, Project Open Hand is a nonprofit organization that provides meals with love to critically ill neighbors and seniors. Our food is like medicine, helping clients recover from illness, get stronger, and lead healthier lives.</p> <p>Every day, we prepare 2,500 nutritious meals and provide 200 bags of healthy groceries to help sustain our clients as they battle serious illnesses, isolation, or the health challenges of aging. We serve San Francisco and Oakland, engaging more than 125 volunteers daily to nourish our community.</p>	Volunteer Services Department Phone: (415) 447-2404 Email: volunteer@openhand.org	https://www.openhand.org/volunteer
Puente de la Costa Sur				
Redlands Educational Partnership				
Royalty Soccer				
Ruben Castro Charities				
Sacred Heart Church Food Pantry at Cabrillo Village	<p>Site: 1515 S. Saticoy Ave., Ventura, CA 93004</p> <p>Mailing: 10800 Henderson Road, Ventura, CA 93004</p>	<p>We are a "drive-thru" food pantry, approved by the USDA, and operating through FoodShare, Inc. The Pantry serves approximately 120-130 client families per session on the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month. Help is needed for the food distributions and on the Tuesdays prior to the food distribution days when the preparation of the food bags is done. Volunteers must be 18+ years old, able to lift 30 pounds, and must be able to be on their feet for extended periods.</p>	Name: Gary Cooper Title: Pantry Coordinator Cell: (805) 701-4567 Email: garywcooperdds@gmail.com	None

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Salesian Family Youth Center				
ScholarMatch				
Shepherd's Pantry				
Smart Fit Girls	Long Beach, CA	<p>Smart Fit Girls is a program that teaches adolescent girls how to love their bodies by embracing their own strength. During our program, girls participate in exciting activities aimed at improving their self-esteem and body image, and are introduced to resistance training exercises in a fun, group environment.</p> <p>The mission of Smart Fit Girls is to empower middle school girls to support one another and themselves in their pursuit of strength, both in body and mind. We do this using an evidence based program that involves lessons designed to foster self-love and activities that show the girls what they can do when their bodies are strong. We envision a world where girls love all of who they are (inside and out) because we know that all girls are inherently strong, worthy and capable of greatness.</p>	<p>Name: Kellie Walters Phone: (916) 300-0307 Email: smartfitgirls@gmail.com</p>	<p>www.smartfitgirls.org</p>

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Southern California College Attainment Network (Project of Community Partners)	Los Angeles	Formed in 2005, Southern California College Attainment Network (SoCal CAN) is an alliance of 110 organizations working together to support the college and career aspirations of 200,000 students in the region. SoCal CAN holds the shared belief that no single program, organization, or institution alone can solve the educational inequities that exist in our communities. Collective action is necessary to achieve large-scale change. In every aspect of our work, we create opportunities for our members to learn, collaborate, and advocate. Our mission is to increase the rate at which underrepresented students access and complete post-secondary education.	Name: Marcos Montes Phone: 213-346-3279 Email: marcos@socalcan.org	https://socalcollegeaccess.org/
St. Joseph Health Northern California	St. Joseph Hospital - Eureka, CA General Hospital - Eureka, CA Redwood Memorial Hospital - Fortuna, CA	Non-profit hospitals serving communities in Humboldt County, California.	Name: Christie Duray Title: Manager of Volunteer Services Phone: (707) 382-7125 Email: christie.duray@providence.org	https://www.providence.org/locations/norcal/st-joseph-hospital-eureka
Stand Up for Kids				
Steward Hospice Care Inc.				

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The Angel Society of Fallbrook				
The Frida Cinema	305 E 4th St #100, Santa Ana, CA 92701	The Frida Cinema is a non-profit organization, dedicated to enriching, connecting, and educating through the art of cinema. We meet our mission by presenting dozens of films a month that are carefully curated to offer a wide range of genres, with a focus on foreign, avant-garde, cult, horror, LGBTQ+, revival, documentary, and animated films.	Name: Jill Georgieff Title: Volunteer Coordinator Phone: (714) 403-2922 Email: Jill@TheFridaCinema.org Name: Logan Crow Title: Executive Director, Founder Phone: (714) 285-9422 Email: Logan@TheFridaCinema.org	https://thefridacinema.org/
The LGBTQ Center of the Desert				
The Los Angeles United Methodist Museum of Social Justice	115 Paseo de la Plaza, Los Angeles, CA 90012	The Museum of Social Justice is dedicated to telling the neglected stories of the diverse people of Los Angeles. By showcasing the history of social movements from the perspective of marginalized groups, the Museum inspires visitors to engage with social justice principles and advocate for change through revolving exhibitions and programming.	Name: Domenica Castillo Phone: 818-224-8759 Email: domenica@museumofsocialjustice.org	https://www.museumofsocialjustice.org/
The Salvation Army				

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The Youth Center	10909 Oak Street, Los Alamitos 3232 Hedwig St, Los Alamitos	Nonprofit serving children ages 5-18 since 1952. Programs include summer camps & after school programs.	Name: Lina Lumme Phone: 562-493-4043 Email: lina@theyouthcenter.org	https://www.theyouthcenter.org/
Think Together				
UFW Foundation				
UURISE (Unitarian Universalist Refugee & Immigrant Services & Education, Inc)	HQ: 1600 Buena Vista Dr. Vista, CA 92081 WORKSITE: 1050 Los Vallecitos Blvd, San Marcos, CA 92069	UURISE provides no cost and low cost services for immigrants and refugees. We provide legal services to help clients access the protections and benefits available under current immigration laws, and CARE (Connections / Advocacy / Resource Navigation / and Emergency Safety Planning for Immigrants) services to help individuals and families navigate living in the US. Our justice services respond to the needs of a wide variety of communities and partners by providing services designed to support and further justice for immigrants.	***First step - complete volunteer/intern application on our website: https://uurise.org/volunteer-or-intern/ Name: Gladys Guzman Title: UURISE Resource Coordinator Phone: (760) 477-7537 Email: Gladys@uurise.org	uurise.org
Valley Sober Charities, Inc				
Valley Voices				
Wesley Foundation Serving UCLA/580 Café	580 Hilgard Ave. Los Angeles, CA 90024	We are a faith-based organization that advocates for immigrant rights, full inclusion of LGBTQIA+ students, first gen, and underrepresented communities in higher education, primarily at UCLA.	Name: Jeanne Roe Smith Title: Executive Director Phone: (310) 909-4471 Email: wfsucla@gmail.com	https://www.wfsucla.org/

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Working Wardrobes	2000 E. McFadden Ave., Ste. 100, Santa Ana, CA 92705	Working Wardrobes is Orange County’s foremost workforce readiness nonprofit, providing the tools to job seekers so they can achieve the dignity of work. Founded in 1990 by Jerri Rosen, Working Wardrobes has been serving Southern California for over 30 years by providing assessments, job training, career placement, and wardrobe services to more than 120,000 clients to overcome barriers to employment and achieve The Power of a Paycheck™. For more information, please visit www.workingwardrobes.org .	Name: Amanda Phan Title: Volunteer Coordinator Phone: 657-758-8597 Email: volunteer@workingwardrobes.org	https://www.workingwardrobes.org/
Youth 2 Leaders Education Foundation				

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Alameda County Deputy Sheriffs' Activities League				
Apple Valley Unified School District	12555 Navajo Road, Apple Valley CA 92308	The Apple Valley USD Food Pantry was established April 2021 with the purpose of helping families who were experiencing food insecurity. The Food Pantry began servicing families of AVUSD but has since grown to service the surrounding communities as well. Families are serviced on a weekly basis when school is in session. We are currently servicing an average of 150 families each week. We provide a bag of dry goods and a box with fresh produce as well as household items and hygiene items when available.	Name: Aurora Martinez Title: Family Center Coordinator Phone: 760-247-8001 ext. 20537 Email: aurora_martinez@avusd.org	www.avusd.org
City of Oxnard - Oxnard Special Populations				

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City of Sacramento Front Street Animal Shelter	2127 Front St. Sacramento CA 95818	Animal Welfare organization.	<p>Name: Jennifer Magaña Title: Volunteer Coordinator Phone: 916-805-4864 Email: Jmagana@cityofsacramento.org</p> <p>Name: Shannon Quinn Title: Animal Care Supervisor Phone: 916-215-4254 Email: Sqinn@cityofsacramento.org</p> <p>Name: Haley Waugh Title: Public Information Coordinator Phone: 916-281-8563 Email: Hwaugh@cityofsacramento.org</p>	frontstreetanimals.org
Elsinore High School	21800 Canyon Drive Wildomar Ca	Public High School, non-profit	<p>Name: Stacy Styracula Phone: (951) 816-0814 Email: Stacy.Styracula@leusd.k12.ca.us</p>	https://ehs.leusd.k12.ca.us/
Long Beach Public Library Foundation				
San Bernardino County Department of Public Hlth. Nutrition Program				