



Youth Survey on Philanthropy, Service & Volunteerism

Child: _____

Age: _____

Grade: _____

Date: _____

1. Have you heard the word “philanthropy” before?
 - a. Yes
 - b. No
 - c. Not sure
2. What do you think “philanthropy” means? (open ended)
3. Which of these is an example of volunteering? (choose one)
 - a. Getting paid to babysit
 - b. Picking up trash in the park for free
 - c. Doing your homework
 - d. Playing video games
4. Can someone your age be a volunteer?
 - a. Yes
 - b. No
 - c. Not sure
5. What are some ways people can help others? (check all that apply)



- a. Donate money
 - b. Help without getting paid
 - c. Sharing skills or talents
 - d. Being kind to others
 - e. Writing a letter to a friend
6. Helping others is important to me:
- a. Strongly agree
 - b. Agree
 - c. Not sure
 - d. Disagree
 - e. Strongly disagree
7. I believe I can make a difference in my community:
- a. Yes
 - b. No
 - c. Not sure
8. When I help others, I feel (open-ended)
9. Who do you think needs help in your community? (open-ended)



10. What are some problems you would like to help solve? (open-ended)

11. Have you volunteered before (helping someone or your community without getting paid)

- a. Yes
- b. No
- c. Not sure

12. Where would you like to volunteer or help out?

- a. Animal shelter
- b. School or library
- c. Park or nature center
- d. Food bank
- e. With younger kids
- f. With older adults
- g. Other:

13. What stops you from volunteering?

- a. I don't know where to go
- b. No one asked me
- c. I don't think I'm old enough
- d. I am nervous/shy/scared
- e. I'm too busy
- f. Other:

14. Would you like to do more service or volunteer work in the future?

- a. Yes
- b. No
- c. Not sure