



Importance of Getting Involved on Campus

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Involvement Research and Data

- Astin (1996) identified student involvement as studying, spending time on campus, participating actively in student organizations, and interacting with faculty members and other students.
- Pascarella and Terenzini (1991) found that the more involved a student was the more likely they would have high educational aspirations, enhanced self-confidence, and increased interpersonal and leadership skills.
- Rubin, Bommer, and Baldwin (2002) concluded that the more involved a student was in an organization the better their interpersonal skills such as communication, initiative, decision making, and teamwork.

Volunteering/Community Service can help build certain life skills

Time Management

Communication skills- Interpersonal Communication

Teamwork

Leadership/ability to work under different management styles.

Professional Benefits of Volunteering

Networking opportunities
Real-World Experience
Determining Career Goals
Boost resume

Where to find Volunteer opportunities

Student Life Center

Student Career Center

www.volunteermatch.org

www.allforgood.org

Church/Mosque/Temple

Types of Campus Involvement

- Campus Organizations/Clubs
- Places of Worship
- Tutoring
- Meeting with Professors/Faculty
- Athletic Events and Programs
- Living on Campus (Residence Halls and Dormitories)
- Working Out on Campus
- Study sessions with peers
- Volunteering
- Can you think of other ways to get involved on your campus?

Organizations & Clubs

Clark Atlanta University

- Financial Planning Association
- WSTU Radio Station
- Organization for Social Change

Norfolk State

- Student Government Association
- Student Nurses Association
- National Society of Leadership and Success

Morehouse College

- National Society of Black Engineers
- Lifting Our Voices
- National Society of Collegiate Scholars

Texas Southern University

- Tigers for Christ
- National Council of Negro Women
- Jumpstart for Children

10 Benefits of Volunteering

1. Provides you with a sense of purpose. ...
2. Provides a sense of community. ...
3. Helps you meet new friends. ...
4. Increases your social skills. ...
5. Improves self-esteem. ...
6. Teaches you valuable skills. ...
7. Provides job prospects.
8. Brings fun into your life.
9. Gets you out of your comfort zone
10. Can help you be happier

Volunteer Opportunities

Savannah State University

- STRIPES Program {for Community Service allowing students to participate in community/volunteer services

Howard University

- WHUR-FM Food2Feed
- HU Day of Service

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Thank You!

Do you have any questions for me before we go?