

POST ORIENTATION SERVICE EXPERIENCE



Feinstein Enriching America Program
Office of Community Service
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June 14 - 15

Frequently Asked Questions

Where will I be staying?

We all will be staying at the Mercy Center for the duration of POSE. Along with your belongings for orientation, please bring blankets, pillows, and a sleeping bag/air mattress. Students will be sleeping in the open floor area of the Mercy Center. Students will use the Rodgers Recreational Center showers during their extended stay.

What should I pack?

Along with clothing, toiletries, and shower flip flops for orientation, pack extra clothes to get dirty in! Bring clothes that you don't mind getting dirt, paint, etc. on. For your safety, also pack closed-toe shoes (no flip flops, sandals, etc.) for service. Also be prepared to dress in layers. We will on occasion be working outside.

Where will we be serving?/What will we be doing?

Some of the sites/projects we'll be involved with include the Potter League for Animals, Methodist Community Gardens, and Salve's Adopt-A-Spot in Washington Square. The community partners will have a range of task for us to do, including: gardening, cleaning, and painting. Due to the varying needs of the community partners, these service activities are subject to change.

How much does POSE cost?

The POSE program is FREE.



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What's on the Menu?

All food will be provided for you. We will be having a continental breakfast the morning of June 15th, sandwiches for lunch in between service sites, and ending POSE with a dinner reception for students and their families. If you have any allergies or dietary restrictions/needs, please fill out the section in the application.

What are the requirements of being a POSE participant?

We are looking for incoming Salve students who are committed to making a difference while learning about their new community. Because it is our first annual POSE program, we can only offer the experience to students attending the second orientation session. After their trip, participants are expected to share their unique experience through reflection questions and small interviews. This feedback will allow us to expand the program and make it bigger and better for next year!

How do I apply?

Applications open May 1st and close May 20th. See the website below for the application.

How does the application process work?

The applications must be received by the deadline to be given full consideration. The office staff will review your application and you will receive an acceptance email by May 27th. Because it's in its first year, the capacity for POSE is 10 incoming students.

To apply, visit:

**[http://www.salve.edu/community
-service/service-retreats](http://www.salve.edu/community-service/service-retreats)**