



Join the 10th Anniversary of 9/11

National Day of Service and Remembrance

Dear Parents,

Scholastic has partnered with the 9/11 National Day of Service and Remembrance to provide educators with helpful tools and lesson plans surrounding the 10th Anniversary of 9/11. In observance of this important and historic milestone, we invite you to join thousands of other groups and millions of people who plan to pay Tribute to the victims of 9/11 by participating in the single largest expression of charitable service in American history. Learn more about this remarkable national initiative by visiting **911day.org** and signing up to receive updates. You can also follow us at **facebook.com/911day** and **twitter.com/911day**. Together we can create a wonderful Tribute on the 10th Anniversary, and help rekindle the spirit of service and unity shared by so many of us immediately following 9/11.



Sincerely,

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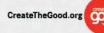
















Family Handout

Working Together for the Common Good

Good deeds happen every day. Helping an elderly neighbor purchase or unload groceries. Donating clothes to a local shelter. Volunteering to help in the classroom. Even dropping change into a charity's collection box during the holidays. But what else can your family do?



This September 11, please join millions of others who are taking the time to adopt a charity, volunteer, donate, or engage in other charitable service work to help those most in need. It's up to you to decide who you'll support and what you'll do.

Here are three simple ways to get involved:

- 1. Visit 911day.org and adopt a cause or charity for the day, or post a good deed that your family or child plans to perform in observance of 9/11.
- **2.** Create a volunteer or charity service project with your family. There are literally thousands of things you can all do together, and a service project is a great way to teach your children about the importance of setting aside time to help others in your community. You can:
 - Clean up a neighborhood playground, beach, or park
 - Volunteer at an animal shelter
- Donate books and toys to a shelter
- Create homemade gifts for the residents at a retirement home
- Collect sports equipment donations for a youth group
- Volunteer at a food pantry

Be sure you visit **911day.org** and share your activity. You'll also find a list of websites that will provide you with many easy (and inspirational!) ideas.

3. Contact local community organizations, schools, and faith-based groups to see if they have any service plans for 9/11. Then you and your family can volunteer to help.



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Permission Form



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