# AMERICORPS STUDENT LEADERS IN SERVICE APPLICATION

Please submit the following application to Rose Gage, Assistant Director of Learning Beyond the Classroom (Community Involvement) (Campus Center, room 249B) NO LATER than ***Friday, September 18th at 4:30p.m.*** Interviews will be conducted from September 21st – September 25th. Please print clearly or type.

## CRITERIA:

Student Leaders in Service must:

- Attend a mandatory orientation, prior to beginning their placement, and other related trainings and activities throughout the year.
- Meet with Rose Gage to select a placement site and discuss their experience throughout the year.
- Successfully complete 300 or 450 hours of service and maintain accurate records of their involvement.

Name: _____ Mailbox # _____ Local Phone: _____

If you live off campus provide your local address: _____

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Date of Birth: _____ Year at WNEC (circle): FR SO JR SR

E-Mail Address you use most frequently: _____Do you have a car on campus?_____

Student ID #: _____ Major: _____

T-shirt size: S M L XL XXL How did you learn about this program? _____

## NARRATIVE QUESTIONS:

1. Please explain why you would like to participate in this program and what you hope to gain and/or learn from it.

2. Please describe the experiences you have had engaging in community service (past or present) or any that you are currently involved with.

3. Please describe what motivates you to engage in service?

4. What important skills and characteristics do you possess that will help you fulfill the responsibilities of this position? What areas would you like to improve upon?

5. What activities, both on and off campus, are you involved with this upcoming year? (i.e. clubs, internship, student teaching, etc.) Please explain how you will complete the hours of service and fit this responsibility into your schedule.

**Please indicate your preference, with <u>1</u> being your first choice and <u>2</u> being your second choice, for the types of Student Leader in Service positions that are available.**

____ Working in at a non-profit agency off campus. Please indicate the issues that you would like to explore (i.e. hunger & homelessness, children & youth, etc.)

____ Working with the Volunteer Connection Center on service projects designed to increase student involvement in the community and working with the Office of Learning Beyond the Classroom assisting faculty as they incorporate service into their coursework.

Are you still interested in participating in this program if you do not receive your first choice? **Yes** **No**

Are you interested in the 300-hour or 450 hour position? Please explain why you chose this position.

**<u>SCHEDULING AN INTERVIEW</u>**

As part of the application process, you will need to set up a ½ hour interview. Please indicate the days and times that you are available to meet from Monday, September 21st – Friday, September 25th. Please note that interviews will be conducted Monday – Friday, from 9:00am – 4:30pm.

***This program is available to all, without regard to race, color, national origin, disability, age, sex, political affiliation, or religion.***