UK FUSION Project Sites

This listing shows confirmed UK FUSION project sites that will be available for students to sign up for on the day of UK FUSION, Monday, August 25th. Listed under each agency name is a description of the agency as well as the service work description for that day. To ensure that you get your preferred project site, please arrive promptly at 10am on the day of UK FUSION.

Ashland Terrace Retirement Home
A 501-e(3) nonprofit independent housing community for elderly ladies. Privately subsidize rents, and provide meals, transportation, activities and housekeeping to women 65 and older
Trim bushes, weed beds at front and back and side of building; mulch where needed, scrub fountain, trim in courtyard & weed, deadhead in garden, weed in garden, trim around garden

Ashland, The Henry Clay Estate
A nonprofit museum dedicated to education and preservation
Clean up ground on 20-acre estate by picking up sticks and trash and raking certain areas. Students will receive a tour of the mansion.

Big Brothers/Big Sisters of the Bluegrass
A mentoring service for children from one-parent homes
Wash windows; Paint; Organize boxes

Blue Grass Community Action Agency
The senior companion program recruits active seniors to assist frail elderly in their homes with the goal of avoiding nursing home placement. A number of our senior volunteers and clients reside at Christ Church Apartments senior congregate housing facility.
Prepare and serve a "cookout" meal to senior residents. Give residents a much-needed social activity and raise money to fund the SCP at Christ Church.

Bluegrass Pride
Bluegrass Pride (Personal Responsibility In a Desirable Environment) is an environmental nonprofit dedicated to litter abatement and water quality improvement. www.kentuckypride.com
Litter removal in the neighborhoods surrounding the UK campus

Bob W. Brown Housing
Housing for elderly mentally or physically challenged. The staff prepares meals, snacks, and assists with residents’ needs.
Painting; Cleaning; Wash Windows; Weeding

Boy Scouts Blue Grass Council
Provides scouting for youth in a 50 county service area
Exterior landscaping, bush trimming, mulching, exterior or interior painting

Cardinal Hill Rehabilitation Hospital
108-bed rehabilitation hospital serving both children and adults that also has a full range of outpatient services. Cookout: 11:30-1:30. Assist in cooking & serving food. Play outdoor games and organized activities with Adult Day Health Clients.

Center For Women, Children and Families
A nonprofit social services agency providing a safe, accessible and healing environment for children, while developing the strength and self-sufficiency of women and families through education, support and advocacy.
Removing items from storage (old furniture, artificial Christmas trees, boxes) and from the center attic, placing them in the dumpster

Central Adult Day Center
Primarily seniors (60 years +), provides assistance with daily activities, meals, socialization and health care.
Painting 2 rooms upstairs (training rooms); Window Cleaning; Wiping down doors and baseboards.
Updated August 19, 2003

**Central Kentucky Blood Center**
A nonprofit organization that provides 61 counties and 45 hospitals with blood. All blood donations are volunteers. CKBC receives blood from donors that give at drives sponsored by schools, businesses, churches and communities. Promote the UK back to school blood drives; Sign-up blood donors at sites; Deliver promo materials; Hang posters and shirts

**Central Kentucky Lawyer Referral Service**
CKLRS is a systematic information service designed to provide a way in which any person may be referred to a lawyer who is able and interested in rendering needed legal services. Disseminate flyers, magnets and pens. Be posted in local area businesses, various campus locations and basically anywhere within walking distance of downtown.

**Children’s Advocacy Center**
Provides services to sexually abused children and their not-offending family members
Yard work; planting; weeding; raking; cleaning windows; possible painting of porch

**Community Alternatives Lexington, Southland Center**
Day habilitation program for adults with mental retardation
Pick up trash around building & parking lot; Paint (paint outside only); Trim bushes

**Darby Square**
Nursing Home
Assist with daily activities for residents including bingo

**Family Care Center**
Provides comprehensive services for young mothers including high school, childcare, and medical clinic
Cleaning up the courtyard and front entrance area; Gardening; pulling weeds; Raking

**God’s Pantry**
God’s Pantry is a non-profit organization that provides food to low-income households free of charge, provides nutrition education classes, and feeding programs to children at risk of hunger. They have a service area of 49 counties.
Sort donated food items for Emergency Food Box Program in Fayette County; Pack food boxes

**Good Shepherd Day School**
Preschool & Kindergarten (nonprofit)
Spread mulch on playground, Remove trash can (dig-out) from playground; Haul items from basement to curb; other similar projects

**Homecare at the Area Agency on Aging**
A social model designed to keep seniors in their own home
Yard work; Washing windows; Washing exterior of 2 mobile homes

**Hope Center**
Male Homeless Shelter & Female Recovery Program
Serve lunch from 12-1 pm, Clean mats, Pick up trash, Paint, Yard work

**J.R. Ewan Elementary School**
Elementary school whose mission is to promote the academic and social development of every student by means of accountable and appropriate methods of instruction that reach the potential of every child.
Painting hallway outside of cafeteria

**Lexington Children’s Theater**
A nonprofit arts organization that provides professional performances and educational experiences for Kentucky’s young people.
General painting and prep work for painting at LCTV facility. Touch up and some detail painting.

**Lexington Habitat for Humanity**
A nonprofit, ecumenical, Christian ministry that cultivates partnerships with families in need, sponsors and volunteers to build simple, decent, affordable housing in Fayette County
Doing a scrapbooking project. The scrapbook will be shown to their applicants as a fundraising tool.
Updated August 19, 2003

**Lexington Hearing and Speech Center**
Provides clinical and educational services to children and adults who have communication disorders. It is a United Way agency and has served the community for over 43 years.
General yard cleanup; raking, trimming bushes, clearing out landscape beds, trimming trees; Clean front porch; Clean 15 upholstered chairs

**Lexington Parks & Rec McConnell Springs**
McConnell Springs is a 26-acre natural and historic park with 2 miles of trails and an education center.
Weed and mulch flower beds; Trim shrubs along trails

**Metro Group Homes**
Metro Group Homes, Inc. is a nonprofit agency for homeless, abused or runaway youth. They also do outreach programs in the community with Project Safe Place and Peer Outreach Program.
Painting; Yard Cleanup; General Cleaning

**New Birth Worship Center**
Local church acting to find activities for member children as well as community members.
Painting building exterior; Yard cleanup around fence

**North Point Lexington Health Care**
A 150 Bed Nursing home facility for 80-90 year old senior adults
Visiting elderly; Assisting activities: courtyard-outside with resident serving plant flowers / plants in courtyard.

**Northern Elementary School**
Elementary school with early start through fifth grade. All students receive Spanish instruction.
Help teachers with student instructional needs in classrooms, making bulletin boards, copies, helping in math and science classrooms, in the library, computer lab, physical education, art, music, violins and Spanish.

**Omicron Delta Kappa**
The National Leadership Honor Society National Headquarters
Stuffing & mailing envelopes; Placing mailing labels on packages

**Raven Run Nature Sanctuary**
Raven Run is a 470-acre nature sanctuary owned and operated by Lexington-Fayette Urban Co. Government Division of Parks and Recreation. The Sanctuary has 10 miles of trails and offers a variety of educational programs.
Cut the stems of bush honeysuckle, and invasive weed in the sanctuary, using hand saws and loppers, Drag the shrubs to a chipper

**Richmond Place Senior Living Community**
Hang Christmas Lights in Courtyard

**Ronald McDonald House Charities of the Bluegrass**
It provides a "home away from home" for families of children that are being treated in local hospitals.
A mix of indoor and outdoor jobs: yard work, cleaning, organizing toys.

**Shepherd's House**
Residential Halfway House--2 floors, 6 bedrooms, offices, etc.
Painting; Cleaning windows; Landscape work

**St Agnes House**
A nonprofit organization supported by private donations, grants and the Episcopal Diocese of Lexington. It provides accommodations for patients in Lexington for medical treatments, primarily cancer.
Window washing; Landscaping; Gardening (Weeding, Mulching)

**Tanbark Health Care Center**
Nursing Home Facility
Providing assistance with daily recreational activities for the elderly including reading, arts & crafts, games and exercise.

**UK - LFUCG Arboretum**
A living library and wonderful outdoor classroom. It celebrates nature, fosters people and plant connections and emphasizes research on the environment and attention to conservation issues.
Updated August 19, 2003
Restoration of native Ky plant communities in the Arboretum woodlot, including removal of invasive plants, collection of seeds (from wildflowers to grasses), repair of trails, etc.

**Volunteers of America of Kentucky**
Nonprofit organization that helps homeless families with children return to stability
Clean and organize storage basement-- remove / move old beds, organize household goods, etc.

**West End Community Empowerment Project**
WECEP is a nonprofit organization dedicated to making the lives of our community members better.
Provides curriculum driven day camps, tutorials, health fairs, transportation and much more.
Cleaning, painting, beautifying gym area and playground

**YWCA Spouse Abuse Center**
A private, nonprofit agency providing domestic violence counseling and services to victims and their dependent children in the 17 counties of the Bluegrass Area Development District
Paint the interior entryway of the shelters, possibly the hallway in the resident living area