

# Service Project Coaching & Consulting for Educators

## **Who is the Service Project Team?**

**Coaches:** Volunteer Center Orange County (VCOC) is a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization. We develop and implement programs that engage volunteers in working hand-in-hand with schools and nonprofit partners to develop strong and vibrant communities. Project coaches are certified trainers and regional experts in linking service projects with educational components, as designated by the California Department of Education.

**Clients:** That's you! You are an educator or team of educators – in the classroom or after school – looking for help in planning and implementing a stellar service project with your students.

## **What is Service Project Coaching?**

The goal of Service Project Coaching is to help you develop the confidence and skills to design and lead **high-quality** service projects and programs in your community.

We will help you plan and implement projects that incorporate both professional skill building and academic learning while meeting real community needs. As coaches, we train beginners and fine-tune pros. We can design projects and lesson plans, find you great partners or work with you to problem solve. We are there in whatever way you need us so that you succeed.

## **How Do I Sign Up?**

Contact VCOC Coaches directly to set up a team meeting. We offer a free hour-long consultation in order to assess what coaching options best meet your needs. Each additional hour is valued at \$50 to \$60, depending on the project.

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