



**BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS
OF ACADIANA**

AMERICORPS OPENINGS AT BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS

The Boys & Girls Clubs of Acadiana and AmeriCorps are seeking passionate, responsible, and dedicated individuals (age 18 and older) who, once they commit, will be available to serve at one of our clubs during our after-school program and assist youth as needed.

You must be able to commit to the *Full Service Term* as an AmeriCorps Member: *January 3rd, 2023 – May 12th, 2023.*
Please call (337) 268-9555 or email us for an application and email it back to us ASAP. You may find an application on our website at www.bgcacadiana.com or pick up & drop off an application by your local Boys & Girls Club.

NOTE: We ask that only applicants WILLING AND ABLE TO COMMIT to serving the FULL TERM, at the REQUIRED TIMES SHOWN BELOW, apply. Youth will be depending on you each day when they arrive at the clubs, and we need to assure that we will have committed AmeriCorps Members in place, who are willing and able to stick with the program the length of the Spring Term.

AmeriCorps members will complete a service term as an enrichment instructor at one of our Boys & Girls Clubs in: **Abbeville, New Iberia, Lafayette, Lake Charles, Natchitoches or Opelousas.** AmeriCorps members help make learning fun for Club members by planning, implementing, and evaluating activities provided within a specific program area, such as Education, Character & Leadership, Sports & Recreation, The Arts and Health & Wellness. This is a high-energy, fast-paced, noisy environment, so if these things bother you, this may not be for you!

Requirements of Minimum-Time AmeriCorps Members

Complete a *minimum of 300 hours of service* AND Complete the *Full Service Term*: **January 3rd, 2023 - May 12th, 2023**

*includes a MANDATORY Pre-Service Orientation & training prior to working with youth.

- Available Monday - Friday (2:30pm-7pm) *in-club service
- Attend Mandatory Pre-Service Orientation & BGCA Training (*first week of January *Time TBA*)
- Must be at least 18 years old
- U.S. citizen or lawful permanent resident

** SCHEDULE IS DEPENDENT ON THE SCHOOL CALENDAR And SUBJECT TO CHANGE.
SCHEDULE MAY VARY BY CLUB AND WILL BE DISCUSSED UPON APPLICATION.

Member Benefits

- *Living Allowance* (term used for PAY): \$2,600* per term of service (divided into pay periods every other Friday)
 - PLEASE NOTE: *Living Allowance* and *Pay* are one and the same; this is basically volunteer service but with some compensation to help with living expenses while serving with AmeriCorps.
- *Educational Award*: \$1,374* (paid to educational or financial institution once successfully completing term)
*** *Living Allowance & Educational Award* amounts are *Subject to Change*
- **Additional SLCC scholarship opportunity available to SLCC students, subject to restrictions**
***Amount subject to change with each grant year

If you are interested, it is imperative that you get your application back to us AS SOON AS POSSIBLE as we will begin the interview process soon for our **SPRING 2023** term.

To apply, please contact:

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