

Chapter 7: A Life of Service SET A SERVICE GOAL TEMPLATE

INSTRUCTIONS: This form helps you define, plan, and track a specific service goal, such as volunteering hours or participating in outreach initiatives, to make a meaningful impact in your community.

Please ensure your responses fit within the text box provided.

1. Define Your Service Goal

What is your service goal? (Example: Volunteer 10 hours per month, mentor 2 youth, participate in a weekly food drive)

Why is this goal important to you? (Reflect on your motivations and desired impact.)

Which community or cause will benefit from your service? (*Example: local shelter, youth mentorship program, environmental cleanup*)

2. Plan Your Service Commitment

| Service Activity | Frequency | Time Commitment | Start Date | End Date |
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| e.g.,: Meal prep at shelter | Weekly | 3 hours per week | Feb 1, 2025 | Ongoing |
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3. Resources and Support

What resources or tools do you need to accomplish your goal? (Example: training, transportation, funding)

Who can support or partner with you in achieving this goal? (*Example: friends, family, local organizations*)

4. Track Your Progress

| Date | Activity Description | Time Spent | Impact/Outcome | |
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| e.g., Jan 15 Volunteered at food pantry | | 3 hours | Helped prepare meals for 50 families | |
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5. Reflect on Your Service

What have you learned or gained from this experience?

How has your service impacted the community? (Include feedback or observations.)

What changes or adjustments would you like to make to your goal?