“Everybody can be great because everybody can serve.”

- Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.
Led by Chief Service Officer Josh Fryday and a 25-member bipartisan Board of Commissioners, California Volunteers, Office of the Governor is the state office implementing Governor Newsom’s bold vision for service in California.

**Mission:**

Engage all Californians in service, volunteerism, and civic action to tackle our greatest challenges, together.
Why Service & Volunteerism?

- Unite communities and build trust among Californians
- Create connections and purpose
- Solve our biggest challenges
- Create career and education opportunities
- Empower Californians
- Live a healthy and meaningful life
Pyramid of Civic Engagement

Serve

Fellows dedicate time of service
  • Structured service programs to provide Californians with work experience, living stipends, and scholarships to pay for school while serving their community

Volunteer

Californians sign up for an event
  • Support local events, nonprofits, and days of action by volunteering in the community

Take Action

Californians to take individual action
  • Empowering individuals to act at home or in their communities
Program to employ underserved youth across the state to help address urgent challenges in California while participants learn key job skills, develop career pathways, and engage with their communities.

This program focuses on Californians aged 16-30 who are:

- Low-income
- Unemployed and/or out of school
- Justice-involved
- In or transitioning from foster care
- Engaged with mental health or substance abuse systems

Key Issue Areas:

Climate Action, COVID-19 Recovery, & Food Insecurity
Participating Cities and Counties

13 LARGEST CITIES:
- Los Angeles
- San Diego
- San Jose
- San Francisco
- Fresno
- Sacramento
- Long Beach
- Oakland
- Bakersfield
- Anaheim
- Santa Ana
- Riverside
- Stockton

OTHER MUNICIPALITIES:
- City of Santa Monica
- City of Richmond
- City of South Gate
- Monterey County
- Merced County
- City of Big Bear Lake
- Contra Costa County
- Marin County Fire Foundry
- Zero Waste Sonoma
- City of La Puente
- City of Maywood
- Stanislaus County
- City of San Bernardino
- Nevada County
#CaliforniansForAll College Corps

- Create debt-free pathways to college for students who commit to serve their community (California GI Bill)
- 6,500 Fellows over the next two years (roughly size of the Peace Corps)
- Includes AB 540 California Dream Act Students

Goals:

1. Create a generation of civic-minded leaders with the ability to bridge divides and solve problems.
2. Help low-income students graduate college on time, with less debt, social networks, and professional skills.
3. Address societal challenges and help build more equitable communities across California.
College Corps Partner Campuses

**UC:**
- UC Berkeley
- UC Davis
- UC Irvine
- UCLA
- UC Merced
- UC Riverside
- UC San Diego

**Private Institutions:**
- University of San Diego
- University of the Pacific
- Vanguard University
- Concordia University Irvine

**CSU:**
- Cal Poly Humboldt
- Cal Poly Pomona
- Cal Poly San Luis Obispo
- Cal State LA
- Chico State
- CSU Bakersfield
- CSU Dominguez Hills
- CSU East Bay
- CSU Long Beach
- CSU Monterey Bay
- CSU San Bernardino
- Fresno State
- Sacramento State
- San Francisco State
- San José State
- Stanislaus State

**COMMUNITY COLLEGES:**
- Allan Hancock College
- Butte College
- Cerritos College
- College of the Desert
- College of the Redwoods
- College of the Siskiyous
- Compton College
- Crafton Hills College
- Cuesta College
- East Los Angeles College
- Fresno City College
- Glendale Community College
- Irvine Valley College
- Moreno Valley College
- Norco College
- Rio Hondo College
- Riverside City College
- Sacramento City College
- San Bernardino Valley College
- Shasta College
- Woodland Community College
Let's Work Together!

1. Partner with us for an event in your area

2. Promote jobs, service, and scholarship opportunities in your area (newsletters, social media, etc.)

3. Work with us to meet volunteer needs in your area

4. Work with us to build more opportunities for service and volunteerism

& more!