



AMAZING PLACE[®]

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES - CENTRAL CAMPUS

FRONT DESK 4-6pm

Cover the front desk and lobby, answer and direct calls, greet visitors, help participants enter and leave for the day.

SPECIAL INTERESTS Times Vary

Share your interests or skills by making a presentation or leading a program. No expertise required!

PROGRAM PARTNERS 9:30am-12pm, 1-3:30pm or 3:30-5:30pm

Assist or lead participants in cognitive activities such as brain games, dominoes, visiting, etc.

CULINARY SERVICES 9am-1pm

Assist Chef Michael in the kitchen with food preparation for our Memory Preservation Nutrition[™] program.

SPANISH LANGUAGE PROGRAMS Times Vary

Serve Hispanic families through educational and social activities. Training is in Spanish!

COFFEE TALK 8-9:30am

Greet participants as they arrive. Encourage conversation over coffee and the newspaper.

STUDENT OPPORTUNITIES STARS Program Summer 2026

Summer volunteer program for students ages 16-22.

BIBLE STUDY 1 - 2:15pm

Lead a small group Bible study, engaging participants in a spiritual discussion. Minimal prep time required.

STAR-C CAREGIVER PROGRAMS 2-3 hrs/week

Assist caregivers in their home using a provided curriculum.

INTERESTED IN VOLUNTEERING? PLEASE CONTACT:

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FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS ABOUT VOLUNTEERING

How do I go about volunteering?

- Reach out to Susie Howard at showard@amazingplacehouston.org or 713-660-1378 to schedule a brief tour and visit about your interest, opportunities and available schedule.
- Complete a profile form to register as a volunteer in our Volgistics software system.
- Schedule and attend a New Volunteer Orientation, offered monthly.
- Following training, sign up for shifts at your convenience.

Do you have weekend or evening volunteer opportunities?

- English-speaking opportunities are available Monday thru Friday, 7:30am–6pm. We have some opportunities for Spanish-speaking volunteers on evenings and weekends.

Do you require a minimum time commitment to volunteer?

- No. We want to provide opportunities that work with your schedule. However, the most rewarding volunteer experience is a repeat assignment at specific intervals (weekly, bimonthly, monthly).

What is a typical volunteer shift?

- Shifts are usually scheduled for 2-3 hours.
 - Day Program shifts are from 8:00-9:30am, 9am-12pm, 1-3:30pm and 3:30-5:30pm.
 - Front desk shifts are from 4-6pm.
 - Culinary volunteers typically work from 9-9:30am until 12:30-1pm.
 - Bible Study Leaders (1-:2:30pm) and Art Teachers (10:15-11:45am) typically dedicate 1½ hours.

Do you require any type of training?

- Yes. Our volunteers must attend an orientation training on dementia, strategies for interacting with our participants, HIPPA and emergencies. We also share information on our history/mission, care philosophy, operations, and volunteer guidelines, scheduling and any assignment-specific training needed.

Do you have group volunteer opportunities?

- We welcome entertainment groups of all kinds. We cannot offer large group volunteer opportunities other than entertainment. The training requirements for interacting with our participants make one-time group opportunities challenging.

Do you have volunteer opportunities for students?

- We do! To learn more about summer opportunities for student volunteers, ages 16-22, contact Volunteer Coordinator Monica McCloskey at mmccloskey@amazingplacehouston.org or 832-476-8498.