

## Objective

By the end of this lesson, you will understand the concept of volunteering and its importance in society.

## Materials and Prep

- Construction paper
- Crayons or markers
- Scissors
- Tape or glue
- Books about volunteering (optional)

No prior knowledge or preparation is required for this lesson.

## Activities

1. Start by discussing the concept of volunteering with the student. Explain that volunteering means helping others without expecting anything in return. Give examples of different ways people can volunteer, such as helping at a food bank, cleaning up a park, or visiting elderly people in a nursing home.
2. Ask the student to think about something they would like to do to help others. It could be as simple as drawing a picture for a friend or picking up trash in their neighborhood.
3. Provide the student with construction paper, crayons or markers, and scissors. Instruct them to create a "Volunteering Poster" that shows their chosen activity. Encourage them to be creative and colorful.
4. Once the poster is complete, help the student hang it up somewhere visible in your home. This will serve as a reminder of their commitment to helping others.
5. If you have books about volunteering, read them together and discuss the stories. Talk about the characters' actions and how they made a difference in their communities.

## Preschool Grade Talking Points

- "Volunteering means helping others without expecting anything in return. Can you think of some ways we can help others?"
- "What is something you would like to do to help others? It could be a small act of kindness."
- "Let's create a poster that shows your chosen activity. What materials do we need? What colors will you use?"
- "Where should we hang your poster? It will remind us of your commitment to helping others."

- "Shall we read a book about volunteering? We can learn about different ways people help their communities."