



omprakash

Connecting Volunteers, Classrooms & Communities

Sample Club Charter

The purpose of this club is to build and sustain relationships that connect this campus and community to the grassroots health, education, and environmental projects around the world that are partnered with Omprakash. These relationships will be fundamentally educational for all parties, and will involve the following:

- International volunteering.

We will work to educate our community about the volunteer opportunities available through the Omprakash network, and will organize events at which past volunteers can share their experiences.

- Service-Learning.

We will work with other members of our campus and community to design and accomplish innovative projects that will serve the needs of Omprakash Partners and will be educational for everyone involved. Students will learn about a country, a culture, and a people while seeking to address a specific and real issue through mutual understanding.

- Practicing methods of non-profit work.

We will learn about and practice effective fundraising, grant-writing, event planning, advocacy, and networking, among many other skills necessary in non-profit work. The Omprakash network provides material and personnel to help with these endeavors. By staying connected to the individuals in the network, we learn from other people's experiences and form close collaborations.

- Guest Speakers series.

We will invite volunteers and administrators from the Omprakash network to our campus to forge partnerships and inspire new collaborations. Through these personal connections, we ensure that our on-campus service work has a real-world impact. We will share these speakers with other local schools to build relationships with those schools and potentially to form multi-school collaborations.