

RANCHO SANTA FE FOUNDATION introduces its SUMMER VOLUNTEER ACADEMY

The Rancho Santa Fe Foundation is excited to introduce its new service learning summer program, the Summer Volunteer Academy. The program targets recent high school graduates and college undergraduates in the San Diego area who are looking for an opportunity to get involved with and explore the nonprofit sector, volunteering, and personal philanthropy. The Summer Volunteer Academy will commence in late June and end in early August. During this time, through a combination of discussion and experiential learning, students will gain a meaningful understanding of the values and capabilities of philanthropic work. Students will learn more about their relationship with their community and how they can give of themselves.

Volunteer experience is an important part of a philanthropic education. Students will be presented with descriptions of twenty or so nonprofit organizations in the San Diego area with five separate focuses: Education, Arts and Culture, Environment, Health and Human Services and Military. Students will then select one organization with which to volunteer during the month of July. This is a great way to learn more about the nonprofit sector and will serve well as community service on college and professional resumes.

Should you wish to apply, please go to the Rancho Santa Fe Foundation website at www.rsffoundation.org or email Taylor Hanlon, Student Volunteer Coordinator at taylor@rsffoundation.org. The application deadline is June 21st.