

No Kid Hungry Youth Ambassadors Posting: Sacramento City Unified School District's Central Kitchen Location: 3101 Redding Ave, Sacramento CA 95820

No child should grow up hungry in America. By connecting kids in need with nutritious food, the No Kid Hungry campaign surrounds children with healthy food where they live, learn and play.

We're ending childhood hunger by connecting kids to effective nutrition programs like school breakfast and summer meals. This work is accomplished through the No Kid Hungry network, made up of private citizens, public officials, nonprofits, business leaders and others providing innovative hunger solutions in their communities. These public-private partnerships work together to identify and eliminate the barriers that may prevent children from accessing existing food and nutrition resources.

Share Our Strength's No Kid Hungry Campaign has created a program to involve college-aged Youth Ambassadors in the fight against childhood hunger by working with one of our community partners.

For the summer program, Sacramento City Unified School District's Central Kitchen will host **one (1) Youth Ambassador** to work on initiatives related to the alleviation of childhood hunger.



JOB RESPONSIBILITIES:

General:

We are looking for a youth ambassador that has a passion for the health and wellness of our students. We believe every student, regardless of income, deserves a freshly prepared meal while at school (or summer school). This position will spend 50% of their time supporting our mobile food truck team in implementing our mission and vision. Our ambassador will spend 40% of their time supporting our Mobile Food Pantry and 10% of their time on marketing and administrative support.

Includes:

- Support our Central Kitchen Mobile Food Truck with promotion and hands on food preparation
 and service. Learn all aspects of the Federal USDA Summer Food Service Program (SFSP), what
 makes a reimbursable meal, the SFSP meal pattern, and how to claim meals for reimbursement
 in the Federal SFSP program with the California Department of Education. Participate in SFSP
 training and attend meetings.
- Research and establish new locations within our school community that need summer meals services from the Central Kitchen. Conduct research on summer programs throughout the SCUSD attendance area and reach out to coordinators regarding summer meal opportunities.
- Support our Mobile Food Pantry with coordination of logistics with the Sacramento Food Bank and Family Services and our district warehouse. Complete records and reports and assist with food box distribution if needed.
- Establish Cal Fresh Enrollment opportunities for families visiting our Mobile Food Pantry in coordination with River City Food Bank. Learn the requirements for Cal Fresh Enrollment. Assist with enrolling families and promotion.
- Coordinate marketing opportunities with our contracted marketing provider. *Take photos and write text for social medial and the Central Kitchen website.* <u>www.thecentralkitchen.org</u>

QUALIFICATIONS:

No Kid Hungry seeks enthusiastic college students to join our program as Youth Ambassadors.

The ideal candidate will have:

- A great attitude and willingness to work on all kinds of projects
- Interest in hunger issues
- Commitment to working with diverse communities
- Reliability, responsibility, and a good work ethic
- Good customer service and interpersonal skills



- Ability to work independently
- Familiarity with social media
- Use of personal laptop and mobile phone preferred
- Reliable access to a vehicle

Youth Ambassadors will receive a stipend of no more than \$6000 for over the course of the summer, for a completion of 360 hours over 10 weeks, with one week's paid vacation. **The program starts on May 30th, 2023 and ends in August 30, 2023.**

Youth Ambassadors will report to a national No Kid Hungry staff member, and a Sacramento City Unified staff member. Ambassadors will participate in weekly conference calls, complete a weekly report, and attend online training sessions throughout their term.

Interested applicants should apply online at http://nokidhungry.org/youth-ambassadors.