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TD Charitable Foundation Mini-grant APPLICATION FORM

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TD Charitable Foundation Mini-Grants are offered to support youth-led service projects for Global Youth Service Day in Vermont April 23-25, 2010*.

* Service projects conducted in the days leading up to or shortly following the official event days CAN count towards GYSD.

Eligibility

The TD Charitable Foundation Mini-Grant applicant must be one or more youth (under 25 years of age). Applicants under the age of 18 must identify an adult supervisor.

Funding

Funds are available for mini-grants and applications will be accepted on a first come, first served basis at the discretion of Vermont Campus Compact. Although most mini-grants are anticipated to be within the \$300-\$500 range, you may ask for up to \$1000.

Emphasis will be given to projects that involve a collaborative effort between college students and younger children and to projects that engage disadvantaged youth.

VCC is grateful to the TD Charitable Foundation for funding mini-grants for Global Youth Service Day (GYSD) in Vermont.



At TD Bank, we are committed to making a meaningful and positive contribution to the individuals, families, businesses and communities within our marketplace. This includes the support of initiatives designed to help young people, particularly those at risk, the advocacy of partnerships amongst youth, parents and community agencies, and the commitment to early development programs which prepare young people with practical life skills.



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Vermont Campus Compact is a statewide consortium of college and university presidents committed to strengthening the public purposes of higher education. VCC presidents believe that through sustained and creative student, faculty, and institutional engagement with communities, higher education can help prepare tomorrow's civic leaders while strengthening communities and improving the lives of Vermonters.

Estimated Budget

**Applicants are also expected to seek outside donations in addition to mini-grant support.*

Budget Category	Total Anticipated Cost	Amount Requested from VCC
<i>Transportation</i>		
<i>Tools/Supplies/Materials/Equipment</i>		
<i>Facility Usage</i>		
<i>Refreshments</i>		
<i>Other (please specify)</i>		
Total dollar amount requested:		

If any budget categories are not relevant to your project, please write N/A.

Authorization

- **To be held accountable for grant funds.**

Name and title of event organizer:	
Signature	Date:

- **If the youth organizer is under 18, an adult at least 18 years of age must sign as the project supervisor.**

Project Supervisor	Date:

Mini-grants may not be awarded to an individual; a completed W-9 form is required before a check can be issued to grant recipients!

Conditions and Terms Agreement

In exchange for the mini-grant funds, I, _____ agree to the following terms and conditions:

- The GYSD project I am planning has been/will be registered on-line at www.gysdvermont.org;
- I will ensure that at least one reflection activity is conducted with volunteers;
- I will make every reasonable attempt to accurately report the number of disadvantaged youth who both volunteer for and benefit from the project;
- Funds will be used in accordance with carrying out the objectives of *Global Youth Service Day in Vermont*;
- I will provide VCC with any media released before and after the proposed project;
- I give permission to VCC to promote this project in any and all media outlets;
- I will submit a budget to VCC detailing the use of the grant funds for the project proposed;
- Within two weeks of the project, I will submit a **brief summary** of project activities to Vermont Campus Compact that will include, at the very least: **number of volunteers/attendees, the number of disadvantaged youth, quantified work completed (if applicable), general summary of project activities, and any pictures** taken during the event;

- Beyond providing background resources and funding to support logistics associated with the event described, I understand that Vermont Campus Compact is no way responsible, or of any influence, to/for any controversial matters and incidents that might be associated with planned event, including personal injury;
- I understand that the views and opinions expressed by event participants do not reflect the direct opinions and standpoints of Vermont Campus Compact. No participant can claim to represent Vermont Campus Compact in any way, without explicit, written, consent of the organization;
- I understand upon receipt, processing, and acceptance of this grant, there will be no further funding available for proposed project should logistical circumstances change;
- I understand that if all funds are not used on the designated project they will be used towards future betterment of the organization involved or returned to VCC;
- Eligibility: Funding is contingent upon the merit of this application; no group or individuals will be discriminated against based on race, religion, creed, nationality, or gender;
- I agree to acknowledge VCC and the TD Charitable Foundation for funding the grant in any media released.

I have read and agree to the terms and conditions stated above.

Signature:	Date:
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If under 18:

Adult Signature:	Date:
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FOR INTERNAL OFFICE USE ONLY:

<i>Date of Receipt:</i>	
<i>Amount approved:</i>	
<i>Processed By:</i>	
<i>Disbursement Date:</i>	
<i>Notes:</i>	

PLEASE SUBMIT TO KATHY SIMS AT



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