

**SALEM – Immanuel Lutheran College**  
**Community Service Scheme ( 2010 – 2011)**

**Introduction**

In the new secondary curriculum, students are asked to learn through service-based community activities. Students become active members in their community. We believe every student has the potential to benefit from participating in the service learning programmes.

Students can learn from experience and develop interpersonal skills. Students can work for a common goal together as a team to help the needed. Students can learn that community services are meaningful. Students will become more self-confident, gain more pride in themselves and their abilities, and feel more a part of their community. Students are able to participate in higher order thinking. Service learning programmes are good opportunities for their success, growth, wise use of time and talents.

Lastly, service learning cannot be done without the collaboration of the school, community and parents. We will challenge all students to contribute themselves to the society.

**Objectives**

Through participating in community service, our students will be able to:

1. Understand that community service is an integral part of their school lives;
2. Understand the meaning of community service;
3. Understand the needs of others;
4. Learn how to cooperate with others effectively; and
5. Understand how to serve others without expecting anything in return.

**Requirements**

<i>Form</i>	<i>Basic requirements</i>
S1-2	Know the community service(s) organized by school such as Community Youth Club.
S3	Join ONE fund-raising activity such as flag-selling, walkathon organized by school on class basis.
S4	Join ONE community service organized by school on class basis.
S5	Join independently in ONE or more community service(s) coordinated by school.
S6	Join independently in ONE or more community service(s) organized by external organisations.

**Community Services Programmes**

1. Community Services Programme for People with Intellectual Challenged (CSPPIC)
2. Community Services Programme for Enrichment of Children English (CSPECE)
3. Community Services Programme for Senior Citizens and Disabled (CSPSCD)
4. Community Services Programme for Environment Protection (CSPEP)
5. Community Services Programme for Escort Service (CSPES)
6. Community Services Programme for Fund Raising (CSPFR)
7. Others

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**Awards**

<i>Community service awards</i>	<i>Number of hours *</i>
Gold Award	21 or Above
Silver Award	15 to 20
Bronze Award	10 to 14

\*including service training

**Remarks:**

- 1 Service record cards should be submitted on or before **30-5-2011**.
- 2 Students with the highest service hours will be nominated for voluntary service awards organized by external organizations.
- 3 An award presentation ceremony will be organized at the end of the school year.