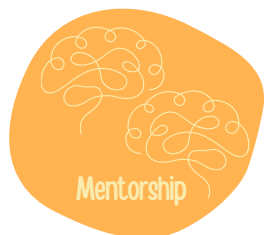


# UNITED WAY

## Volunteer Opportunities



At United Way, we are always striving to expand our programs, develop new initiatives, and adapt quickly to necessary changes in order to serve our community better. This means that we are in need of helping hands in order to maintain the work we do and meet increasing requests. Stay up to date with all volunteer opportunities at [volunteer.ymvunitedway.org/](http://volunteer.ymvunitedway.org/) or scan the QR code below.



We want our SA6 students to know we are there to support them inside and outside of the classroom. **By becoming a mentor, you will change a student's life.** Young adults who face an opportunity gap but have a mentor are **55% more likely to enroll in college** than those who don't have a mentor. Students who meet with their mentor regularly are **52% less likely to skip school.**

Contact Kielly at [kjrappp@ymvunitedway.org](mailto:kjrappp@ymvunitedway.org) to learn more.

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Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) is an essential program at our United Way and empowers individuals by preparing their taxes free of charge so that our clients keep their **entire** return. Last year, VITA volunteers completed 2,024 returns and brought back over \$2M to the Valley. Training is provided, so prior experience is not required. College students and retirees are welcome to apply, and volunteers can earn continuing education credits.

Contact Grimilda at [gosantiago@ymvunitedway.org](mailto:gosantiago@ymvunitedway.org) to learn more.

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Women United has played a critical role in providing students and families with the necessities to be successful through United Way's education initiatives. As unexpected needs arise throughout the year, Women United is there to aid with food, clothing, and hygiene kits. Women volunteer their time and host Women's Wednesday events to ensure help is there at a moment's notice. Where there is need...women lead.

Contact Tina at [tchance@ymvunitedway.org](mailto:tchance@ymvunitedway.org) to learn more.

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Food access remains a critical issue for our neighbors, many of whom are still unable to get out of their homes for groceries and basic necessities. Our Saturday of Caring started in partnership with the Muransky family as a response to the pandemic but continues strong today serving 425 homes on the **3rd Saturday of each month.**

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