

Community Service Guidelines/Information

1. Seniors: 75 hours of community service are required for the Bright Futures 100% Scholar's award. These hours are due before graduation.
2. Any senior who hopes to use Bright Futures in an early decision program must have those hours recorded one week before the end of semester 1.
3. Any senior who hopes to be considered for a scholarship or Baker community service award must have all hours recorded before May 1.
4. There may be a difference in what organizations at Baker count for community service and what is acceptable to be logged on this form for Bright Futures or Baker awards and scholarships.
5. Example of allowable Bright Futures or Baker community service include:
 - Work after school hours, on the weekends or during the summer for Community organizations or drives.
 - Relay for Life, MS Walk, or any fund-raiser for fighting health problems
 - Kiwanis, Elks, Lion's Club
 - Hope Hospice
 - Habitat for Humanity
 - Picking up trash with a school organization
 - Tutoring
 - Chamber 4th of July booths
 - Volunteering for Little League or other like organizations
 - Hospital Volunteer (outside school hours)
 - Baker school-wide events (Open House, Graduation, Freshman Orientation)
 - Volunteer hours with a business related to your academy
6. Examples of service work which are unacceptable for Bright Futures or Baker awards:
 - Any work done during the school day
 - Any family obligation (babysitting or helping out around the house)
 - Participating in a practice or performance.

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- Top 10% of students with the highest number of community service hours
- Due no later than May 1st