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VOLUNTEERING OPPORTUNITIES



How to volunteer safely, and support yourself and your community during this time, or give your time remotely.

COVID-19 VOLUNTEERING

NHS Volunteer Responders

<https://www.goodsamapp.org/nhs>

Support the NHS and the care sector during the Covid-19 Outbreak.

The role will involve being called upon to do simple but vital tasks such as: Delivering medicine from pharmacies, driving clients to appointments, bringing them home from hospital or making regular phone calls to check on people isolating at home.

Volunteer with the City of York

<https://www.york.gov.uk/COVIDVolunteering>

The City of York Council are looking for volunteers to operate remotely to help protect the emotional health and physical wellbeing of residents.

Support Local Food Banks

<https://www.trusselltrust.org/get-help/find-a-foodbank/>

Donating, making an online food delivery or volunteering at a local food bank that may be receiving a decrease in donations.

Mutual Aid Groups

<https://covidmutualaid.org/local-groups/>

Neighbourhood level groups have been developed and are being led by volunteers.



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A range of micro-volunteering and digital opportunities that can be done remotely.

Amnesty International UK

<https://www.amnesty.org.uk/issues/pocket-protest>

Contribute to defending free speech and stand up for human rights.

Be My Eyes

<https://www.bemyeyes.com/>

Support a blind or low-vision person for visual assistance through video calling.

Brightside Mentoring

<https://brightside.org.uk/volunteering/>

Online mentoring for young people to achieve their potential.

Catch a Fire

<https://www.catchafire.org/volunteer/>

Volunteer your skills virtually.

Definition Of

<https://www.definition-of.com/>

Contribute by defining words to feed a hungry child.

Dementia Friends

<https://www.dementiafriends.org.uk/>

Become a Dementia Friend and learn about what it is like to live with dementia.

Free Rice

<https://freerice.com/>

Free quiz game, where each answer you get right, the World Food Programme donates 10 grains of Rice to help end Hunger.

Galaxy Zoo

<https://www.zooniverse.org/projects/zookeeper/galaxy-zoo/>

Assist professionals in classifying research on how galaxies are formed looking at telescopic images of distant galaxies.

Loving Hands

<http://www.lovinghands.org.uk/>

Knitting, crocheting and crafting for various charities and causes.



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Missing Maps

<https://www.missingmaps.org/>

Map areas where humanitarian organisations are trying to meet the needs of vulnerable people.

Phylo

<https://phylo.cs.mcgill.ca/play.php>

Solve a puzzle and help genetic disease research.

Postpals

<https://www.postpals.co.uk/>

Send a letter, card, email or gift to a seriously ill child and their siblings in the UK.

Princes Trust Mentoring

<https://www.princes-trust.org.uk/support-our-work/volunteer/become-an-online-mentor>

Use an online platform to mentor young people and help them to get ahead in life.

Surfify

<https://surfaid.org/surfify/>

Listen to music whilst raising money for communities in Indonesia for free.

The Mix

<https://www.themix.org.uk/get-involved/volunteering>

Peer to peer support in online communities or one to one support online.

Translators without Borders

<https://translatorswithoutborders.org/>

Fluent in another language other than your native language? Translate medical texts and for crisis response.

United Nations Volunteers Programme

<https://www.onlinevolunteering.org/en>

Team up to address sustainable development challenges anywhere in the world.

