



Join our team as an AmeriCorps VISTA member!



The Syracuse Northeast Community Center and Syracuse University have partnered to create a one-year AmeriCorps VISTA position that will:

- Increase the engagement capacity of SNCC to be a successful community school partner.
- Expand outreach and education in SNCC's food resource programs.
- Enhance relationships among those who make the community school thrive.

What will my projects look like?

Some of the VISTA member's projects may include:

- Creating a series of events, and communication pieces between the community school partners: Dr. Weeks Elementary School and Syracuse Northeast Community Center.
- Researching, designing, and administering surveys to parents of Dr. Weeks' students, and using the data to assess SNCC's outreach in the school.
- Work with Syracuse University professors, courses, and community engagement initiatives to design programming that will engage neighborhood families and teach healthy eating practices.

We are looking for a passionate individual who will thrive in a fast-paced environment, develop connections with a diverse group of people, and will lay a strong foundation for this three-year project.

Who can I contact?

For more information about the program, please contact Lexie Kwiek, Community Engagement Coordinator at SNCC, by email at lkwiek@snccsyr.org or by calling 315-472-6343 ext. 215.

What is AmeriCorps VISTA?

VISTA (Volunteers In Service To America) was founded in 1965 as a national service program to fight poverty in America. In 1993, VISTA was incorporated into the AmeriCorps network of programs.

Today, more than 46 million Americans live in poverty.

AmeriCorps VISTA taps the skills, talents and passion of more than 8,000 Americans annually to support community efforts to overcome poverty.

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The 2017 – 2018 NYCC VISTA application will be posted to the AmeriCorps portal in late spring.

Visit www.nyccvista.org for project updates, and info about current VISTA projects.