

## **Kitsap Community Resources**

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The Kitsap Community Resources (KCR) AmeriCorps programs engage 36 full-time and 40 summer-only national service members in service throughout Kitsap County. The application process for the 2008-2009 program year begins on August 13, 2008 with all members starting their term of service on October 1, 2008 and completing on August 31, 2009. AmeriCorps members will serve in a variety of capacities throughout Kitsap county including:

- tutoring at eight elementary schools in Bremerton and Central Kitsap School Districts;
- facilitating parenting classes in partnership with The Parenting Place;
- helping low-income clients obtain employment in cooperation with the KCR Employment & Education Division;
- assisting Children of the Nations prepare county organizations for emergencies and feeding children in third world countries through their ready relief program;
- supporting at-risk youth with the Kitsap Youth in Action programs;
- assisting with court-ordered community service workers with the City of Bremerton and Kitsap County government;
- helping the American Red Cross in assisting victims of disaster and in preparing local residents in emergency preparedness;
- aiding domestic violence victims and their families in partnership with the YWCA;
- helping Head Start and ECEAP families and children overcome personal obstacles standing in the way of their children's education; and
- assisting the Kitsap County Health District with health education and the ABCD Children's Dental Program.

**Counties Served:** Kitsap

**Number of Members:** 36 AmeriCorps Members  
40 Minimum-Time Members (300 Hours)

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