



# Vermont

2006 - 2007

**Meeting community needs in Vermont.** More than **8,200** people of all ages and backgrounds are helping to meet local needs, strengthen communities, and increase civic engagement through **65** national service projects across Vermont. Serving with national and local nonprofits, schools, faith-based organizations and other groups, these citizens tutor and mentor children, coordinate after-school programs, build homes, conduct neighborhood patrols, restore the environment, respond to disasters, build nonprofit capacity and recruit and manage volunteers. This year, the Corporation for National and Community Service will commit more than **\$5,200,000** to support Vermont communities through three national service initiatives:



**Senior Corps:** More than **2,700** seniors in Vermont contribute their time and talents in one of three Senior Corps programs. Foster Grandparents serve one-on-one as tutors and mentors to more than **2,300** young people who have special needs. Senior Companions help more than **530** homebound seniors and other adults maintain independence in their own homes. Retired and Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) volunteers conduct safety patrols for local police departments, participate in environmental projects, tutor and mentor youth, respond to natural disasters, and provide other services through more than **81** groups across Vermont.



**AmeriCorps:** This year AmeriCorps will provide more than **310** individuals the opportunity to provide intensive, results-driven service to meet education, environmental, public safety and other pressing needs in communities across Vermont. Roughly three-quarters of all AmeriCorps grant funding goes to the Governor-appointed Vermont Commission on National and Community Service, which in turn awards grants to nonprofit groups to respond to local needs. Most of the remainder of the grant funding is distributed by the Corporation directly to multi-state and national organizations through a competitive grants process. Other individuals will serve through AmeriCorps\*VISTA, whose members help bring individuals and communities out of poverty by serving full-time to fight illiteracy, improve health services, create businesses and increase housing opportunities, and AmeriCorps\*NCCC (National Civilian Community Corps), a 10-month, full time residential program for men and women between the ages of 18 and 24. In exchange for their service, AmeriCorps members earn an education award of up to \$4,725 that can be used to pay for college or to pay back qualified student loans. Since 1994, more than **2,400** Vermont residents have qualified for AmeriCorps Education Awards totaling more than **\$8,200,000**.



**Learn and Serve America:** Learn and Serve America provides grants to schools, colleges, and nonprofit groups to support efforts to engage more than **5,100** Vermont students in community service linked to academic achievement and the development of civic skills. This type of learning, called service learning, improves communities while preparing young people for a lifetime of responsible citizenship. In addition to providing grants, Learn and Serve America serves as a resource on service and service-learning to teachers, faculty members, schools, and community groups.

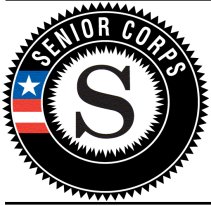
Together with the USA Freedom Corps, the Corporation for National and Community Service is working to build a culture of citizenship, service, and responsibility in America. To learn more about the Corporation or any of its programs, visit [www.nationalservice.gov](http://www.nationalservice.gov) or call 202-606-5000 or TTY 202-565-2799.

<b>Senior Corps</b>	<b>Projects</b>	<b>Participants</b>		<b>Program Funding</b>
Foster Grandparent Program	2	158		\$549,989
Retired and Senior Volunteer Program	4	2,485		\$588,659
Senior Companion Program	1	95		\$309,673
<b>Senior Corps Total</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>2,738</b>		<b>\$1,448,321</b>
<b>AmeriCorps</b>	<b>Program Sites</b>	<b>Participants <sup>1</sup></b>	<b>Education Award <sup>2</sup></b>	<b>Program Funding</b>
AmeriCorps*State (Competitive)	2	50	\$212,625	\$567,045
AmeriCorps*State (Formula)	3	62	\$189,000	\$499,979
AmeriCorps*National	3	16	\$43,116	\$130,784
AmeriCorps*Vista	27	78	\$368,550	\$944,216
AmeriCorps*NCCC	2	N/A	N/A	N/A <sup>3</sup>
Education Awards Program (National)	19	107	\$165,611	\$14,020
<b>AmeriCorps Total</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>313</b>	<b>\$978,902</b>	<b>\$2,156,044</b>
<b>Learn and Serve America</b>	<b>Grantees</b>	<b>Participants</b>	<b>Subgrantees</b>	<b>Program Funding</b>
K-12 School-Based	1	2,158	6	\$42,052
K-12 Community-Based		N/A	1	N/A
Higher Education	1	2,997	10	\$400,000
<b>Learn and Serve America Total</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>5,155</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>\$442,052</b>
<b>Administrative Funds</b>				<b>Program Funding</b>
Disability Outreach				\$30,000
Program Development & Technical Assistance				\$106,000
State Commission Administration				\$125,000
<b>Administrative Funds Total</b>		N/A		<b>\$261,000</b>
<b>Program Totals</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>8,206</b>	<b>\$978,902</b>	<b>\$4,307,417</b>
<b>Total Corporation Funding (including AmeriCorps Education Awards)</b>				<b>\$5,286,319</b>

<sup>1</sup> This figure represents the number of awarded positions available to be filled in the 2006 - 2007 program year. For AmeriCorps\*VISTA and the Education Awards Program, this represents the actual number of AmeriCorps members in active service.

<sup>2</sup> This figure represents the maximum potential value of AmeriCorps Education Awards that can be earned by AmeriCorps members serving in Vermont. The award can be used in any state to pay for college, graduate school, vocational training, or to pay back student loans. The education award total is included in total Corporation funding.

<sup>3</sup> Vermont is served by the AmeriCorps\*NCCC campus located in Perry Point, Maryland.  
In the past year, AmeriCorps\*NCCC teams have served on projects in West Haven and Winooski.



# Senior Corps in Vermont

Primary City	Program Name <i>Sponsor Organization (if different)</i>	Number of Participants	Program Type
Barre	RSVP For Central Vt And Nek <i>Central Vermont Council on Aging</i>	800	RSVP
Barre	Vermont SCP <i>Central Vermont Council on Aging</i>	95	Senior Companion Program
Bennington	Green Mountain RSVP <i>American Red Cross Green Mountain Chapter</i>	800	RSVP
Burlington	RSVP of Chittenden County <i>United Way of Chittenden County (VT)</i>	350	RSVP
Burlington	Tri-County FGP <i>United Way of Chittenden County (VT)</i>	59	Foster Grandparent Program
Rutland	Green Mountain FGP <i>Rutland Community Programs Inc.</i>	99	Foster Grandparent Program
Rutland	RSVP Rutland/Addison County <i>Rutland Community Programs Inc.</i>	535	RSVP
<b>Total Number of Senior Corps Volunteers</b>		2,738	



# AmeriCorps in Vermont

Primary City	Program Name <i>Sponsor Organization (if different)</i>	# of Members	Program Type
Barre	Neighbor to Neighbor <i>Central Vermont Council on Aging</i>	15	AmeriCorps*State
Bennington	Bennington College <i>Vermont Campus Compact Leadership Corps</i>	1	Education Awards Program
Brattleboro	Brattleboro Community Justice Center	1	AmeriCorps*National
Brattleboro	Brattleboro Community Justice Center/Restorative Reentry <i>Town of Brattleboro</i>	2	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Brattleboro	Washington County Youth Service Bureau	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Bristol	Washington County Youth Service Bureau	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Burlington	Community And Economic Development Office	29	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Burlington	Northern New England Campus Compact Collaboration <i>New Hampshire College and University Council</i>	2	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Burlington	YouthBuild Burlington, VT <i>ReCycle North</i>	13	AmeriCorps*National
Burlington	Burlington College <i>Vermont Campus Compact Leadership Corps</i>	1	Education Awards Program
Burlington	Champlain College <i>Vermont Campus Compact Leadership Corps</i>	12	Education Awards Program
Burlington	University of Vermont <i>Vermont Campus Compact Leadership Corps</i>	6	Education Awards Program
Burlington	University of Vermont- Education Department <i>Vermont Campus Compact Leadership Corps</i>	6	Education Awards Program
Burlington	University of Vermont- Service-learning <i>Vermont Campus Compact Leadership Corps</i>	5	Education Awards Program
Burlington	Washington County Youth Service Bureau	5	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Castleton	Northern New England Campus Compact Collaboration <i>New Hampshire College and University Council</i>	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Castleton	Castleton State College <i>Vermont Campus Compact Leadership Corps</i>	7	Education Awards Program
Castleton	Washington County Youth Service Bureau	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Colchester	Community And Economic Development Office	2	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Colchester	Northern New England Campus Compact Collaboration <i>New Hampshire College and University Council</i>	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA



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Colchester	USCRI - Vermont <i>USCRI Vermont</i>	2	AmeriCorps*National
Colchester	Saint Michael's College <i>Vermont Campus Compact Leadership Corps</i>	10	Education Awards Program
Craftsbury Common	Sterling College <i>Vermont Campus Compact Leadership Corps</i>	1	Education Awards Program
Johnson	Johnson State College <i>Bonner Leaders Program - National</i>	3	Education Awards Program
Johnson	Johnson State College <i>Vermont Campus Compact Leadership Corps</i>	6	Education Awards Program
Lyndonville	Northeast Kingdom Initiative AmeriCorps Program <i>Lyndon State College</i>	23	AmeriCorps*State
Lyndonville	Lyndon State College <i>Vermont Campus Compact Leadership Corps</i>	3	Education Awards Program
Middlebury	Northern New England Campus Compact Collaboration <i>New Hampshire College and University Council</i>	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Middlebury	Middlebury College <i>Vermont Campus Compact Leadership Corps</i>	8	Education Awards Program
Montpelier	Woodbury College <i>Vermont Campus Compact Leadership Corps</i>	3	Education Awards Program
Montpelier	Vermont Community Stewardship Program <i>Vermont Housing and Conservation Board</i>	34	AmeriCorps*State
Montpelier	Vermont Youth Development Corps <i>Washington County Youth Service Bureau</i>	16	AmeriCorps*State
Montpelier	Washington County Youth Service Bureau	3	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Morrisville	Washington County Youth Service Bureau	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Northfield	Norwich University <i>Vermont Campus Compact Leadership Corps</i>	16	Education Awards Program
Norwich	The DREAM Program, Inc.	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Plainfield	Goddard College <i>Vermont Campus Compact Leadership Corps</i>	5	Education Awards Program
Poultney	Northern New England Campus Compact Collaboration <i>New Hampshire College and University Council</i>	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Poultney	Green Mountain College <i>Vermont Campus Compact Leadership Corps</i>	9	Education Awards Program



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Randolph	Vermont Technical College <i>Vermont Campus Compact Leadership Corps</i>	3	Education Awards Program
Randolph Center	Northern New England Campus Compact Collaboration <i>New Hampshire College and University Council</i>	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Richmond	Vermont Youth Conservation Corps <i>National Association of Service &amp; Conservation Corps</i>	1	Education Awards Program
Richmond	Washington County Youth Service Bureau	8	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Shelburne	Community And Economic Development Office	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
So. Londonderry	Washington County Youth Service Bureau	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
South Burlington	Washington County Youth Service Bureau	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
St. Albans	Community And Economic Development Office	2	AmeriCorps*VISTA
St. Albans	VT TechCorps <i>Vermont Associates for Training and Development, Inc.</i>	24	AmeriCorps*State
St. Albans	Washington County Youth Service Bureau	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
St. Johnsbury	Northern New England Campus Compact Collaboration <i>New Hampshire College and University Council</i>	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Waterbury Center	Green Mountain Club <i>National Association of Service &amp; Conservation Corps</i>	1	Education Awards Program
White River Junction	Tri-County CAP, Inc. <i>Tri-County Community Action</i>	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Winooski	Community And Economic Development Office	2	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Winooski	The DREAM Program, Inc.	5	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Winsooski	Community And Economic Development Office	2	AmeriCorps*VISTA
<b>Total Number of AmeriCorps Members</b>		<b>313</b>	

Notes: If there are programs with identical names in separate entries, they are different grants to the same organization. If no members are shown, either the grant is for planning or technical assistance, or enrollment data was not available at the time of printing.



# Learn and Serve America in Vermont

Primary City	Sponsor Organization	Number of Participants	Program Type
Barre	Spaulding High School	500	K-12 School-Based
Barre	Washington Central Supervisory Union	455	K-12 School-Based
Bennington	Southern Vermont College	180	Higher Education
Burlington	Champlain College	308	Higher Education
Burlington	Greater Burlington YMCA	N/A	K-12 Community-Based
Burlington	The University of Vermont	1,600	Higher Education
Castleton	Castleton State College	76	Higher Education
Colchester	Saint Michael's College	140	Higher Education
Duxbury	Harwood Union High School	N/A	K-12 School-Based
Johnson	Johnson State College	75	Higher Education
Middlebury	Middlebury College		Higher Education
Middlebury	Middlebury College	80	Higher Education
Montpelier	Montpelier Public Schools	440	K-12 School-Based
Montpelier	Vermont Department of Education		K-12 School-Based
Montpelier	Woodbury College	211	Higher Education
Northfield	Norwich University	30	Higher Education
Poultney	Green Mountain College	297	Higher Education
Thetford	Thetford Academy	363	K-12 School-Based
Worcester	U-32 High School	400	K-12 School-Based

## Total Number of Learn and Serve Participants

5,155



*Presidential Freedom Scholarships: Two students from the junior or senior class in each high school in the United States may receive a \$1000 college scholarship for outstanding leadership in service to community. This is a matching scholarship: \$500 is provided by a local organization such as the PTA or Kiwanis and \$500 is provided by Learn and Serve America. Since 2000, more than 75 Vermont students have received these scholarships.*

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