

## 2007-2008 Kentucky AmeriCorps Programs

Program	Sponsor	# of Members	Mission
Every 1 Reads AmeriCorps Program	Jefferson County Public Schools	10 full-time	Members will serve to expand Every 1 Reads (E1R), a community-wide partnership between business, local government and Jefferson County Public Schools to address the educational needs of at-risk students through literacy training. Members will also recruit and train community volunteers as tutors.
FRYSC Corps	Northern Kentucky Cooperative for Educational Services	25 full-time	Members, serving under the supervision of Family Resource and Youth Services Center (FRYSC) coordinators, will provide reading tutoring for academically at-risk students utilizing the "Great Leaps" reading curriculum.
Getting Things Done for Kentucky's Homeless	Homeless and Housing Coalition of Kentucky	28 full-time	Members counsel low-income families/individuals, assisting them in attaining permanent and/or transitional housing. Members also serve as construction assistants at non-profit agencies, rehabilitating and building housing in low-income communities.
Homeland Security Corps	Green River Area Development District	10 full-time	Members serve in rapid response agencies to educate individuals in public safety, public health and disaster preparedness issues; train agency-affiliated volunteers; and assist in developing closer collaboration among local response agencies.
Louisville Metro AmeriCorps Program	Louisville Metro Community Action Partnership	10 full-time 20 part-time	Members will address the health and nutrition, education, and human service needs of families who live in low-income urban communities by building capacity and social capital. Members will serve at various community organizations to recruit and support volunteers to expand the agencies' capacities and enhance agency responses to community needs.
MSU Corps	Morehead State University	19 full-time	Members will provide reading tutoring for the academically at-risk student utilizing the "Great Leaps" reading curriculum; recruit and train community volunteers to be reading tutors; develop and demonstrate skills in tutoring, civic engagement, and volunteer recruitment.
Prevent. Prepare. Respond.	American Red Cross, Louisville Chapter	10 full-time	Members will serve in support of the three key components of Disaster Capacity Building: 1) Community Disaster Education, 2) Volunteer Recruitment and Training, and 3) Emergency Shelter Partnership.
Senior Connections	Green River Area Development District	20 full-time	Members seek to improve the quality of life for at-risk low-income elderly by providing in-home assistance with chores, home repairs, home management, caregiver relief, benefit counseling and home safety education. Members initiate, implement, and participate in senior centered activities; are trained in disaster response and assist in local community projects.
SERV Corps (Service Educators Recruiting Volunteers)	Eastern Kentucky University	30 full-time	Members will provide reading tutoring and drug education for at-risk students. Members will also serve as drug education coordinators within their service site schools.
SUCCESS Corps	Northern Kentucky Cooperative for Educational Services	20 full-time	Members will serve the at-risk children of Eastern Kentucky in a proactive manner with the implementation of a research based home visitation model called "Parents as Teachers" and provide support to the family to ensure a higher level of parental involvement in education and a greater level of school readiness.
The Learning Corps	Barren County School District	23 full-time	Through structured reading and math tutoring sessions, members and community volunteers will raise reading comprehension and math levels of K-8 students. Members will also facilitate the recruitment and training of volunteers to provide additional tutoring for the students.

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