



APPLICATION DEADLINE: NOVEMBER 10, 2020

- ## HOW DOES THE PROGRAM WORK?

## WHAT DO HONOREES RECEIVE?

- Local Honorees receive Certificates of Achievement from their schools or organizations. Those who qualify will also receive the President's Volunteer Service Award if they have contributed the minimum number of volunteer hours.
- State Honorees receive a \$1,000 scholarship, engraved silver medallions, and an all-expense-paid trip with a parent or guardian to Washington, D.C.\* for several days of recognition events, including award ceremonies, sightseeing tours and Congressional visits on Capitol Hill.
- Distinguished Finalists (runners-up at the state level) receive engraved bronze medallions.
- Other top applicants at the state level receive Certificates of Excellence.
- National Honorees receive additional \$5,000 scholarships, engraved gold medallions, and trophies for their schools or organizations. They also receive \$5,000 grants from The Prudential Foundation for nonprofit charitable organizations of their choice.

## THE PRUDENTIAL SPIRIT OF COMMUNITY AWARDS PROGRAM IS WIDELY SUPPORTED!

The program is supported by:

National 4-H Council  
Girl Scouts of the USA  
American Red Cross  
Points of Light  
YMCA of the USA  
America's Promise Alliance  
United National Indian Tribal Youth  
American Association of School Administrators  
Council of the Great City Schools  
Association for Middle Level Education  
American School Counselor Association  
National Association for Music Education  
National School Boards Association  
National School Public Relations Association  
National Parent Teacher Association

## WATCH FOR THESE DATES:

### September 2020

Online application form is available at [spirit.prudential.com](http://spirit.prudential.com) and [nassp.org/spirit](http://nassp.org/spirit). Program information is mailed to all middle level and high schools and to officially designated local organizations.

### November 10, 2020

Deadline for students to complete applications online, submit applications to a school principal or the head of an officially designated local organization, and send in signed signature page.

### November 11-20, 2020

Participating schools and organizations review applications and select Local Honorees, then nominate them for state-level judging by certifying their applications online.

### February 9, 2021

Judges name the top middle level and high school youth volunteer in each state and the District of Columbia as State Honorees and Distinguished Finalists.

### May 1-4, 2021

102 State Honorees attend national recognition events in Washington, D.C., where America's top 10 youth volunteers of the year are announced.

*\* In the event that circumstances surrounding COVID-19 necessitate canceling the in-person event, a virtual event will be held and no trip to Washington, D.C. would be awarded.*

## FOR MORE INFORMATION

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