



HWS Alternative Spring Break 2012 Application

Deadline: February, 6th, 2012

Alternative Spring Break is an opportunity to let **Compass** point you in the direction of a week of learning and engagement within a local community.

Available trips:

- Mariam Boyd Elementary, NC
- Pocahontas State Park, VA
- Washington, DC
- Rural & Migrant Ministry, Lyons, NY
- Freshwise Farm, Penfield, NY.

Further information is available on the CCESL website:

http://www.hws.edu/academics/service/alternative_breaks.aspx

Approximate Departure: Saturday, March 17th / **Arrival:** Saturday, March 24th.

Deposits: 50% due by February 17th. Last 50% due by March 5th.

Letter of Recommendation: from someone with whom you have worked in a leadership or service position—in Geneva or elsewhere. Return to the *Center for Community Engagement and Service-Learning* (2nd Floor Trinity) by **February 6th**. Submit letters to serve@hws.edu or mail to: HWS Colleges, Center for Community Engagement and Service-Learning, Trinity Hall, Geneva, NY 14456.

Trips are substance free!

If you have any questions, contact Jeremy Wattles, Assistant Director of CCESL, by email at (wattles@hws.edu) or by phone at 781-3825.

Name _____ Age _____ Class Year _____ PO Box _____

Cell Phone _____ HWS Room Phone # _____ E-mail _____

Home Address _____ Home Phone _____

_____ HWS Van Driver? _____

T-Shirt Size _____

Campus Residence for Spring Semester

Major(s) _____

Minor(s) _____

Please rank your choices (1-5 or NA; 1 = best):

Mariam Boyd Elementary, NC _____
Pocahontas State Park, VA _____
Washington, D.C _____
Rural & Migrant Ministry, Lyons, NY _____
Freshwise Farm, Penfield, NY _____

Please answer the following questions:

1. Do you have previous experience with service trips? If yes, please describe.
2. Please describe any training, skills, experience, or qualities that will be particularly useful to this trip.
3. In what ways would you contribute to the Alternative Spring Break Team?
4. The travel may be arduous, the accommodations less than luxurious. Please describe a situation when you had to be flexible, accommodating, and/or adaptable to make the most out of a challenging situation.

I will attend all pre-trip meetings and abide by the substance free rules of this trip.

(sign here): _____ Date: _____

OFFICE USE:

Date Received _____ *Trip:* _____

Deposit _____ *Balance:* _____