

# T&T Ultimate Challenge Service Passport Projects

If you're looking at this, you have a clubber or many clubbers working in the T&T Service Passport™. Congratulations on involving your clubbers in using the T&T Service Passport! This introductory page will provide you with basic information to help you guide your clubbers in serving your church, community and families.

## How it works

Clubbers receive a T&T Service Passport booklet with the goal of completing four service projects a year. (You can choose the projects, allow them to choose, or work together to choose projects. See details below on the range of project options.) Once a project has been selected, print the project on labels for clubbers to paste into their booklets, or simply write the project in by hand.

## Why use it?

Kids at this age want to start doing something with their faith – they want to serve and help and use what they know. The T&T Service Passport is a great way to introduce clubbers to serving others in order to strengthen their commitment to the Lord, to their church and to Awana®. All this said, T&T Service Passport is totally optional, but we highly recommend it as a way to encourage your clubbers to live out what they believe and have learned.

## Two sets of project choices

We have developed distinct project option lists for your T&T Ultimate Adventure™ clubbers in third and fourth grade and for your T&T Ultimate Challenge™ clubbers in fifth and sixth grade. These age-grouped recommendations are meant to help you in planning and implementing T&T Service Passport in your club, but are certainly flexible and can be used at your discretion. You are in the best position to make the final determination about what projects fit your kids' gifts, interests and maturity levels.

## Different types of project choices

You'll notice that some of these projects are of a larger scale. These will be better accomplished if many clubbers work on them together – such as assembling gift or toiletry bags, collecting food, performing a skit or concert at a nursing home, volunteering at a local agency, etc. Other projects are perfect for clubbers to do on their own or with their families. We suggest a good mix of potential group projects and individual projects.

Some projects (mostly the ones for groups) will necessitate involvement from you, the leader – such as arranging for clubbers to visit a hospital, children's shelter, nursing home, scheduling time to assemble packages, etc.

## Personalize your project choices

Your community and church are unique, and we encourage you to tailor our project ideas and/or develop your own to meet unique needs. To note these instances in the T&T Service Passport booklet, either make your own labels for your club or simply write in what the clubber(s) did. The "what" of the project is not as important as the "why" – the key is to get clubbers serving and thinking about service.

## Recognize service activity

When a child completes a project, stamp the T&T Service Passport booklet page with the appropriate T&T Service Passport stamp – either Ultimate Adventure or Ultimate Challenge. Each time clubbers complete a set of two service projects they are eligible to receive a T&T Service Passport collector pin of their choice. (Clubbers fully participating in the Service Passport program across four years of T&T would thus receive two pins per year for a total of eight.)

## Awana GO

You'll notice that one label mentions the option of being involved in an Awana GO fundraising activity to reach more kids. Awana GO is a library of easy-to-use downloadable resources that equip you to encourage kids to be involved in God's bigger story for reaching kids around the world. Visit [www.awana.org/GO](http://www.awana.org/GO) for fund raising tools and ideas to fulfill the requirement for the service label. Great proven ideas for entire club involvement as well as individual engagement are shared.

## Share your service project ideas

We plan to publish additional project option lists for download in the future. If you would like to share your unique T&T Service Passport project ideas for consideration, please e-mail them to [tt@awana.org](mailto:tt@awana.org) with the subject "T&T Service Passport project idea."

## Questions? Suggestions?

Please e-mail us: [tt@awana.org](mailto:tt@awana.org)

Rake, mow or weed the yards of two people who need this help.

Bake and deliver cookies to your local police and firefighters to thank them for their service.

Pick a park and spend an afternoon cleaning, picking up garbage, etc.

Interview residents in a nursing home and ask them what life was like when they were kids. Put the information in a book, video or report.

Help out in a community event by serving lemonade or taking tickets at a festival or parade.

Organize a craft day at a children's home or nursing home. Bring the supplies and help the participants.

Put on a free spaghetti dinner at church for people in your neighborhood.

Read to people who aren't able to read: the blind, the elderly, sick children at a hospital, etc.

Do you know a family that had a baby recently? Help your parents bring dinner to their house.

One Sunday morning, serve as an usher/greeter at your church alongside an adult.

Help Reach Kids! Visit [awana.org/GO](http://awana.org/GO) for fund raising tools for club or individual use. See the T&T Service Passport™ intro page for more info.

Pick a Saturday and spend it helping your mom or dad around the house. Write what you did and why you appreciate all your parents do.

Volunteer for a day at a local animal shelter.

Raise support and walk in an event that raises funds for the elderly, sick or unborn.

Plant flowers and plants in public places that could use some color. Don't forget to get permission.

Plan a family fun night for your family: the meal and the activities. Then lead it to give your parents a rest.

Decorate a Christmas tree at a nursing home.

Go through your toys and give some of the nice ones to a younger brother or sister, a shelter or a holiday toy drive.

Write a letter to your pastor and thank him for his service to the church.

Ask your parents if you can stay after church and help pick up the sanctuary or clean up and put away Communion supplies.

Make dinner for your family one night and don't forget to clean up afterwards!

Spend part of a day cleaning your church: vacuum, dust, clean windows.

Shovel snow from someone's driveway without being asked. Surprise them!

Volunteer at a soup kitchen or food bank.

Help the nursery staff at your church by washing and scrubbing all the nursery toys.

Most churches or nonprofit organizations need envelopes stuffed for mailings. Volunteer to help stuff envelopes for an afternoon.

Do you play an instrument? Play a special song during the Sunday morning or evening service.

Do you know someone who loves flowers? Plant their favorite flowers in a pot and deliver them.

Learn how to crochet and make a baby blanket. Deliver it to a children's hospital.

Have a yard sale, sell lemonade, etc., and donate the money to a needy family or to your church.



























































