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Agency Selection

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This is to inform you that I will be doing an evaluation on an organization named Ending Campus Hunger (ECR). This program was selected because there is one goal for everyone involved, feed underserved students that have food insecurities.

Mission

Some would think the mission is self-explanatory. With exception to improving the sense of community that would be correct. We hope that improving the sense of community will attract more volunteers to the program. Then there's the facet of budgeting, food prep, storage, and all together assisting the students gain knowledge on how to eat healthy.

Demographics

As one would assume the demographics of institution of higher learning is extremely diverse. This means that we need volunteers from all walks of life. This way engaging with the students could be seamless.

The Why

This agency was chosen because food insecurities seem so senseless to me. In some areas the extreme is a food desert. Then go from a food desert to not being able to afford the food that you can access. This agency directly impacts things like this, and I am proud to be a part of making it the best it can be. Having lived in the Tidewater area for some time I have become familiar with resources that could help the cause. Between 2017 and 2020 the organization dispersed over three-thousand pounds of food to our Old Dominion University students. I will be attending grad school in the fall, and this allows me to have one more tool in my toolbox that can help people be, do, and feel better.

