



What is A Red Cross Club?

Imagine hanging out with your closest friends and helping your community at the same time — you'll be able to do just that when you start a Red Cross Club! A Red Cross Club is an extension of a local Red Cross region or Service to the Armed Forces (SAF) Station where you'll be able to serve the community with your friends. Along with training and leadership development opportunities, you can choose mission-related activities in your community while delivering lifesaving services of the Red Cross. You'll plan and implement projects that can save hundreds of lives from blood drives to disaster preparedness education.

How Does the American Red Cross Engage with Youth & Young Adult Volunteers?

When you volunteer with the American Red Cross, you're supporting one of the largest humanitarian organizations in the world and making a positive impact on your peers and in your community. You can also maximize your talent, learn new skills, improve your resume and meet new people — all while making a meaningful difference in the lives of others.



K-12 and College

If you are a youth in elementary, middle, or high school, you are in the right place! We have tons of resources for you to start and maintain your Red Cross Club, as well as show you all the opportunities.



National Youth Council

The American Red Cross National Youth Council (NYC) is a group of fifteen youth members and two adult advisors who nationally represent and serve the youth volunteers of the American Red Cross.



Young Professionals

Young professionals have no shortage of talent and energy to give to the Red Cross: providing relief to victims of disasters, organizing fundraisers, teaching lifesaving training courses, and more.

Opportunities with the Red Cross Include:

- Join or **start a Red Cross Club** at your school or chapter.
- Apply to be a part of your chapter's Youth Executive Board or work with your chapter to start a Youth Board.
- Apply for an **internship** with your local chapter or at National Headquarters.
- Sign up for **YouthWire**, the National Youth Council's E-newsletter, which features exciting news, stories, and opportunities.
- Apply to join the **National Youth Council** (application typically opens in March).

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