

Millersville University

CIVIC AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT  
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EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING  
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Applications are available  
online or at the front desk in  
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[https://www.millersville.edu/elcm/  
volunteer/alternative-spring-break.php](https://www.millersville.edu/elcm/volunteer/alternative-spring-break.php)



MILLERSVILLE  
*Alternative Spring Break*

**“Break into Service”**

Millersville University  
Civic and Community Engagement



## ABOUT ALTERNATIVE SPRING BREAKS

The goal of the Millersville University's Alternative Spring Break (ASB) trips is to have students experience different levels of service in different locations around the country. The two separate locations are based on a National and Local level. The trips will be coordinated in collaboration with Civic and Community Engagement and the Experiential Learning and Career Management teams.

These trips combine avenues of growth and exploration. Students will participate with direct service, education, diversity awareness, social justice/injustice and various types of reflections. The groups will be immersed in the community where they will be staying and become a part of the community's engagement.

## SUNDAY MARCH 10 -FRIDAY MARCH 16

### BLACK MOUNTAIN, NC

**COST- \$250**

Student will travel to Black Mountain, North Carolina to work with the YMCA Blue Ridge Assembly. During the week, students will have opportunities to participate in different service activities in the Appalachian area. All service and education activities will be organized by the YMCA. To read more about the YMCA at Blue Ridge Assembly visit their website. Along with the service and travel, students will have a free day for fun activities!

<https://www.blueridgeassembly.org/>

### LANCASTER, PA

**COST- \$100**

Working around the Lancaster County area, students will experience a variety of activities of service, education, and travel. Although students may be staying in the area, the ASB program will be organizing service and experience that are unique to this trip. Incorporated in the daily schedule, an emphasis will be placed on immigration and migration.

### COST/FUNDRAISING

The cost of each trip is dependent on the travel expenses, housing, and meals. Students will also be expected to fundraise as a trip, months prior to departure.

## APPLICATION PROCESS

Applications will work on a rolling admission, however first priority will be given to those that apply by October. Students will be asked to bring a copy of their insurance card and complete an emergency contact form.

A brief interview with the Student Manager will be set up. The "interview" is informal and will last about 15-20 minutes to work with the student's schedule.

The student will be notified in November about their trip location, further information about trip details and preparation.

Students will be expected to follow the payment schedule/pay in full. Amounts are adjusted to the trip.

**10/31, 12/1, 12/29, 1/26**

