# 18 Middle Years Program and Service Learning Information

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- At Robinson, every student in grades 7-10 is a part of the IB MYP.
- In the spring of 10th grade, you can apply for the IB MYP Certificate with these qualifications:
  - World language course in both 9th and 10th grade
  - Three service learning reflections during both 9th and 10th grade.
  - o Complete a Personal Project during 10th grade.
- The IB MYP Certificate is not a requirement for taking IB Diploma Program courses in 11th and 12th grade
- More information: <u>Robinson IB MYP Website</u>

### Service Learning

- All students are encouraged to participate in Service Learning throughout your time at Robinson.
- Service Learning is community service plus a reflection of your learning.
- Service activities should be recorded in x2vol.
  - o <u>First time set up help</u>
  - o X2vol scroll down to student log in
- Resources:
  - o College and Career Services Website
  - O Volunteer Fairfax (not sponsored nor endorsed by FCPS)

#### Robinson Contacts

- IB Middle Years Program Coordinator: <u>Kristin Webster</u>
- College and Career Services Specialist: Holli Selman

# Writing Service Learning Reflections

Students should use x2VOL to submit all service-learning hours and reflections. When submitting an event, use the "Reflections" space to describe your growth during the service-learning. While there is no hour requirement, each service-learning activity should be significant enough to allow for a reflection upon a students' understanding of themselves, the population they are serving, and the social issue driving their service activity. Some possible questions to reflect upon:

- What do you think you will do and what impact do you think you will have?
- What needs did/does/will you help fill?
- What are the causes of those needs
- How do people contribute to this problem? How do we help to solve it?
- Did anything surprise you? If so, what?
- What did you do that made you feel that you made a difference? Why?

Quick video on entering reflections in x2vol