



Character
Leadership
Accountability
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Service

2016-17

Thank you for your interest in joining/rejoining C.L.A.S.S. for its 7th year!

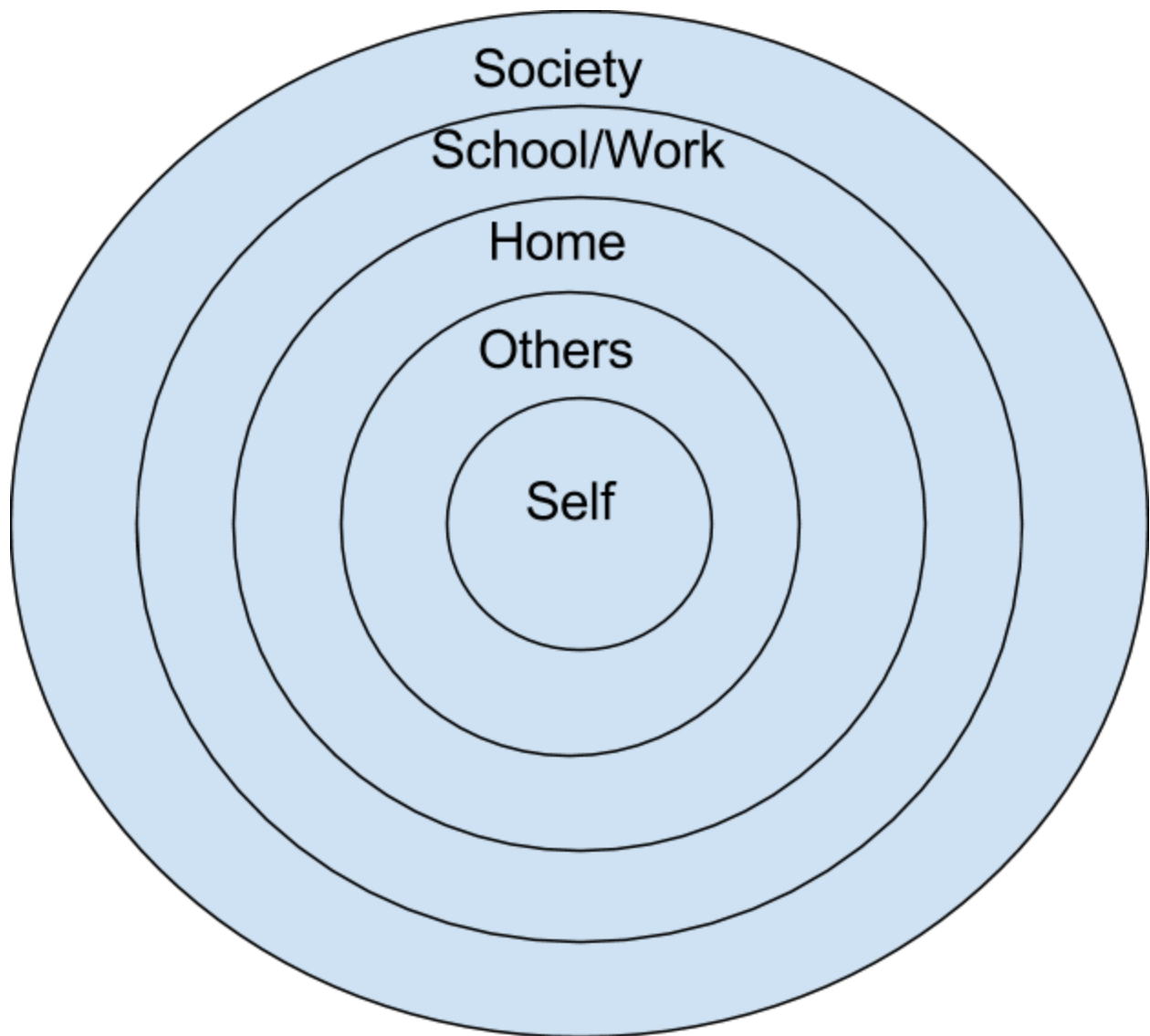
The mission of C.L.A.S.S. is to bring together students of all ages to recognize an injustice in their world, learn about affected communities, create relationships with them, and serve them with action and awareness-building.

Not only does C.L.A.S.S. provide leadership for others, but it also promotes personal growth in its members and sustains its work by teaching others how to lead themselves.

Application Directions:

1. Read the explanation of concentric circles.
2. Complete the Rings of Responsibility organizer below by writing names of people and organizations that relate to your own life.
3. Answer the question underneath the concentric circles organizer.
4. Submit to either Ms. Moore or Ms. Henke Mueller by November 4 as your Application to C.L.A.S.S.

Concentric Circles: Based on research conducted by the Good Project, as individuals develop ethical reasoning and ethical decision-making skills, rings of responsibility widen. In other words, as individuals become more concerned with others around them, they develop more responsibility and act on these responsibilities to make sound ethical decisions not only for themselves but for others they care about and for people and societies they may never know. In work, there are five major responsibilities: responsibility to the self; responsibility to others (including family, peers, colleagues); responsibility to the workplace (or, in this case, school); responsibility to the field or domain (e.g. education, public health, the arts); and responsibility to society. **To whom are you responsible?**



How do you show your responsibility to the names you wrote into the circles? (Be specific and precise.)

C.L.A.S.S. Schedule

These dates need to be shared with your parents and placed on your calendar. If you join CLASS, you are committing yourself to these dates.

A-day Monday, November 21 Kick-off Little free Library/Literacy event @ HALO
(12:30-3:00 TPS transport to HALO until -5:30 Return to school 6:00)

*CiA (CLASS in Action) Holiday Train December 5 (4:30-6:00)

*CiA (CLASS in Action) December 10 HALO Book fair

D-day Friday, December 16 (12:30-3:00 TPS transport to HALO until -5:30 Return to school 6:00)

B-day Friday, January 13 (12:30-3:00 TPS transport to HALO until -5:30 Return to school 6:00)

B-day Thursday, February 9 12:30-3:45 Soup-making for Empty Bowls @ TPS *no HALO

*CiA (CLASS in Action) Empty Bowls March 6, 2017

A-day Friday, March 17 Meal-sharing @ HALO Cook at TPS, transport dinner to serve and share at HALO (12:30-3:00 TPS transport to HALO until -5:30 Return to school 6:00)

A-day Thursday, April 27 (12:30-3:00 TPS transport to HALO until -5:30 Return to school 6:00)

B-day Tuesday, May 16 12:30-3:30 @ TPS Reflection/Assessment

***CiA events are an attempt to get others in the school involved in C.L.A.S.S.-supported community events. They do not require C.L.A.S.S. participation. If you decide to not join C.L.A.S.S., consider these volunteer events as a possibility. Encourage your friends to join in on those, too.**