

Pace in Pleasantville The Future is Here

Community Impact: Economic Engine Community Service Innovation Visit our Campus



Pace Supports the Community



All Pace Students Give Back to the Community. It's Required.

Pace requires all students to take a three-credit service-learning course to fulfill the University's [Civic Engagement and Public Values](#) core curriculum requirement. For example, students in the popular [Web Design for Non-Profits](#) course have built close to 50 Web sites for not-for-profit organizations in Westchester.

Service-learning courses are as rewarding for students as they are for the people they help. In the [Intergenerational Computing](#) course, students teach computing skills to residents at the United Hebrew Home in New Rochelle, NY. The ability to e-mail and Skype with family and surf the Internet improves cognitive function, boosts self-esteem, and battles depression in older adults. [Learn more](#) >>>

Last year alone, 583 students at Pleasantville enrolled in 35 service-learning classes and provided a total of 8,745 hours of service.

Besides what's required, students volunteer extra time to community service—more than 12,000 hours extra in 2010

Pace athletes shine on the field and off

All 360 contribute time and effort to the community. The Pace Setters Football Team and team mascot T-Bone celebrated Dr. Seuss' birthday March 2 at Pleasantville Elementary School as part of [Read Across America](#) day. Athletes also conduct sports clinics for area youth, coach local teams, and host the Special Olympics.

Together, campus and community celebrate victories over cancer

The sight of cancer survivors taking a victory lap around the Goldstein track is a high point of the annual [Relay For Life](#) event held on campus. Pace students work with partner organizations such as the Pleasantville Chamber of Commerce and the Pleasantville Lions Club to raise an average of \$50,000 for the American Cancer Society in this all-night event.

Learn more about our student volunteers from the [Center for Community Action and Research](#) (CCAR) at Dyson College. 914.773.3539.