



ASTAR

Earn money for your college education while gaining valuable job experience through community service with a non-profit or government agency!

Are you a current student?
Use the opportunity for internship credit!

Graduating soon?
Full and part-time positions also available!



ASTAR empowers AmeriCorps members to strengthen communities across the state through service.



AmeriCorps

FROSTBURG
STATE UNIVERSITY

www.frostburg.edu/astar

Meeting needs in Maryland

Last year more than 5,000 Americans of all ages and backgrounds united to meet local needs, strengthen communities, and expand opportunity through national service in Maryland. AmeriCorps invested more than \$17.6 million in federal funding to support cost-effective community solutions, working hand in hand with local partners to empower individuals to help communities tackle their toughest challenges.

AmeriCorps members and AmeriCorps senior volunteers served at more than 600 locations across Maryland, including schools, food banks, homeless shelters, health clinics, youth centers, veterans' facilities, and other nonprofit and faithbased organizations. Through a unique public-private partnership, AmeriCorps and its partners generated more than \$7.7 million in outside resources from businesses, foundations, public agencies, and other sources in Maryland last year.



What is AmeriCorps?

AmeriCorps is the federal agency for national service. AmeriCorps provides opportunities for Americans of all backgrounds to serve their country, address the nation's most pressing challenges, improve lives, improve, and strengthen communities and GET THINGS DONE!

For more information, contact

Lisa Clark

AmeriCorps ASTAR Director

lclark@frostburg.edu • 301.697.3359

University System of Maryland at Hagerstown
32 West Washington Street
Hagerstown, MD 21740-4681



ASTAR Partnering and Hosting Organizations

Allegany County Evergreen Heritage Center, FSU PAWS Pantry, FSU Center for Literary Arts, FSU Children's Literature Centre, FSU Biology Department, FSU Education Department- (Allegany/Washington/Frederick County Public Schools serve as host organizations), Special Olympics Maryland

Carroll County Goodwill Housing Strategies, Special Olympics Maryland

Frederick County Frederick County Department of Health and Social Services, Hood College Education Department, Special Olympics Maryland, Asian American Center of Frederick, Goodwill Housing Strategies, Special Olympics Maryland

Washington County University of Maryland at Hagerstown, FSU Education Department- PALS Program (Allegany/Washington/Frederick Public Schools serve as Host Organizations), FSU HUB at University System of Maryland Hagerstown, Asian American Center- extension, , Special Olympics Maryland.

What is ASTAR?

Established in 1994, ASTAR AmeriCorps program, has engaged more than 2,000 AmeriCorps members to address community needs. As a statewide initiative with a core emphasis on capacity building, ASTAR collaborates with 75 community-connected partners across Maryland, with a special focus on rural areas.



AmeriCorps

FROSTBURG
STATE UNIVERSITY

www.frostburg.edu