

# ACTS OF CIVICS SERVICE

project kit

Create **empowered, active citizens** with this print-and-go authentic service project!

## KIT INCLUDES

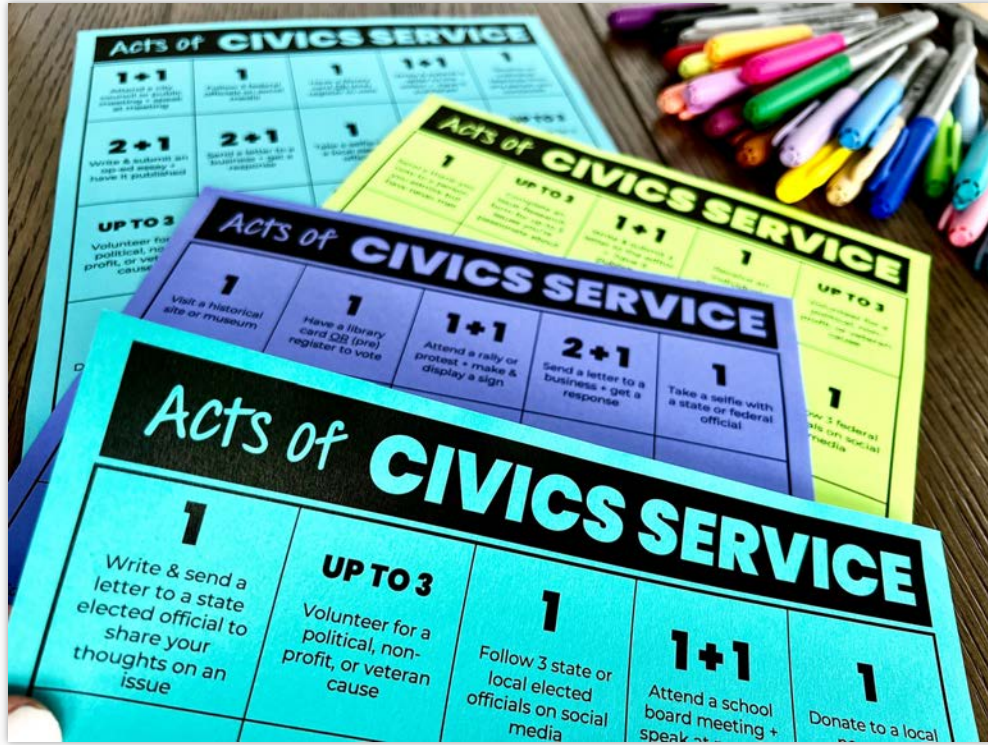
- ✓ **4 BINGO-style challenge boards** with 25 service actions for students to complete
- ✓ **Action Log** and **Fine Print** challenge details sheets to support students
- ✓ **How-To Skill Handouts** to support writing-centered actions
- ✓ **Post-Project Reflection** questions sheet
- ✓ **Teacher Overview and Tips** to help you plan and implement



**COURSE-LONG PROJECT PERFECT FOR YOUR CIVICS CLASS**

# 4 BINGO BOARDS

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Encourages students to complete actions **outside their comfort zone** and work with students they might not usually.

**Wide range of actions included like**

- ✓ Following elected officials on social media
- ✓ Attending public meetings
- ✓ Writing letters to the editor
- ✓ Volunteering or donating
- ✓ Researching issues important to them

As a civics teacher with students with various learning needs, this activity was **extremely comprehensive** and **easy to use!** I was extremely happy with it. Thank you! – TPT seller

I loved using this resource with my students. It was a **scaffolded, step-by-step approach** for them to create their civic action plan! – Veronica C.

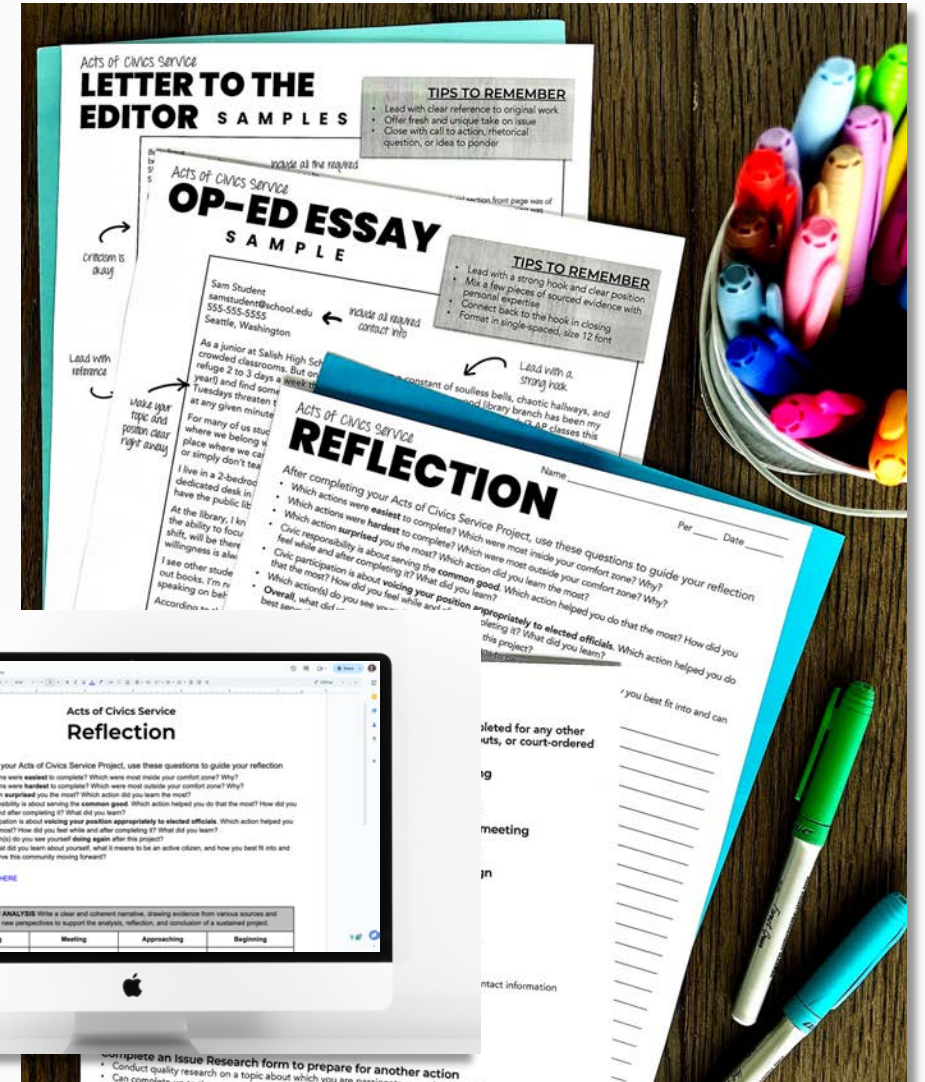
# EXTRAS & SUPPORTS

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Support students from **start to finish** in completing their civic participation actions with these added elements.

- ✓ **Action Log** for students to record actions
- ✓ **Fine Print** handout to detail requirements
- ✓ **Issue Research** form to help students learn about issues important to them
- ✓ **Samples** of Op-Ed Essay, Letters to the Editor, Business Letter, and Thank You Notes with tips for writing own
- ✓ **Reflection** questions and writing sheet with standards-based rubric

**PROJECT RUNS ITSELF  
IN THE BACKGROUND**



# FREQUENTLY ASKED *questions*

## Will this work for middle school?

This was designed and written for **high school students** but could still work for upper middle school, especially since an editable version of the action board is included. You can tweak or swap out any of the included actions. I do this project with my mixed-ability on-level 12<sup>th</sup>-grade Civics class.

## Can I use this in a homeschooling setting?

**Sure!** Everything in this kit can easily be used in a solo or a small group setting. The included how-to reference handouts for completing some of the actions will help **you** teach the skills of active citizenship!

## Is this editable?

**The Action Board and Reflection are, yes! An editable Google Slides version is included.** That way, you can customize the actions to fit your students and the opportunities available in your local community. The **Reflection sheet also comes in a Google Doc file.** The other handouts are meant to be printed, thus don't come in digital formats.

## Will this work for my <insert unique setting here> classroom?

The preview and product description are **extremely detailed**—be sure to look closely. If you still have questions, feel free to leave a Q&A!

## What standards does this address?

**Several!** Standards from various states that this kit supports are listed in the product description and below:

Analyze the **duties, responsibilities, and obligations of citizenship**, including being informed about civic affairs and serving the public good – Analyze the various **methods of participation in the political process** at the local, state, and national levels – Explain the **importance of civic participation** – **Research social studies issues**, analyzing sources – **Write arguments** appropriate to audience and task.