**We Are Experience Corps**

**Social Media**

*Share your story on social media to encourage open dialogue online—you never know which of your friends may see your post and be interested in reaching out to learn more. Some general thoughts about sharing on social media: using personal stories, appeals, and photos can be very persuasive because they let others picture themselves in your shoes. Don’t just post—start a conversation with someone in the post’s comments, follow up via direct messaging, and/or encourage people to reach out.*

*Update the following language with more personal information, like the name of your student (if your program allows that) or your host agency or school/site name.*

**Shape Brighter Futures**

**Post a picture of yourself with student or in your Experience Corps vest or lanyard.**

Last year, I joined AARP Foundation Experience Corps with (Program Partner Name) and was able to help a young student learn reading skills critical to being successful in life. As a volunteer, you can make a lasting impact on students’ literacy and educational outcomes. Volunteer today and together, we can shape brighter futures. If you’ve wanted to find ways to make a difference in our community too, add a comment below or reach out directly. I’d love to share more about my time volunteering! #WeAreExperienceCorps #ExperienceCorps

**Each One, Teach One**

**Post a picture of yourself with Experience Corps tutoring and reading materials.**

I always remember the phrase “Each one, teach one” and that’s why I joined AARP Foundation Experience Corps with (Program Partner Name). This local and national literacy tutoring program gave me the ability to ignite a love for learning in a young child. Get involved today and, together, let's bridge the literacy gap and build a brighter future for our students. If you’ve been looking for the perfect volunteer opportunity, add a comment below or reach out directly. I’d love to share more about my time volunteering! #WeAreExperienceCorps #ExperienceCorps

**Young Again**

**Post a picture of yourself in your tutoring location or reading with student.**

Reading with students this year with AARP Foundation Experience Corps has allowed me to feel young again. My student makes me to laugh and keeps me looking forward to our next tutoring time. This summer, Experience Corps (location) is looking for new volunteers who are interested in helping our community and looking to make a difference in the lives of students next school year. The program has a proven track record of helping children attain reading proficiency by the end of the 3rd grade, which is the most significant factor of high school graduation success. If you’ve wanted to find ways to make a difference in our community too, add a comment below or reach out directly. I’d love to share more about my experience volunteering! #WeAreExperienceCorps #ExperienceCorps

**New Sense of Purpose**

**Post a picture of yourself in your tutoring location or reading with student.**

I currently volunteer with AARP Foundation Experience Corps with (Program Partner Name). I work with a student in (grade level) grade providing critical one-on-one tutoring, mentoring, and support they need to be successful in their lifetime. Working with my students has brought me so much joy and a new sense of purpose that I wanted to share the opportunity with my online family. If you’re looking for more ways to add purpose in your life, add a comment below or reach out directly. I’d love to share more about my experience volunteering! #WeAreExperienceCorps #ExperienceCorps

**Give Back to Our Community**

**Post a picture of yourself in your tutoring location or reading with student.**

We can give back to our communities in many ways, and one of the best is volunteering to improve a student’s literacy with AARP Foundation Experience Corps in your neighborhood. Experience Corps helps to break the cycle of poverty particularly in high-need communities where opportunities have been lacking. If you’ve wanted to find ways to make a difference in our community too, add a comment below or reach out directly. I’d love to share more about my time volunteering! #WeAreExperienceCorps #ExperienceCorps

**No Training, No Problem**

**Post a picture of yourself with Experience Corps training materials and/or at training with or without other volunteers.**

When I first learned about AARP Foundation Experience Corps, I was nervous to join because I never taught or had classroom experience. However, with the great training, easy-to-use resources, and assistance that Experience Corps provides me I was able to gain confidence and help multiple students grow in their literacy this year. Don’t let worry stop you. If you think you have time to give back, add a comment below or reach out directly. I’d love to share more about my time volunteering! #WeAreExperienceCorps #ExperienceCorps

**One Year Makes a Lifetime of Impact**

**Post a picture of yourself with student or in your Experience Corps vest or lanyard.**

I always thought I never had enough time to volunteer to make a positive impact. My schedule always seemed to be filled but last year I volunteered with AARP Foundation Experience Corps. It’s so simple, I support students through 30-minute tutoring sessions twice a week throughout the school year. If you want to change a student’s life for the better and are free this school year, add a comment below or reach out directly. I’d love to share more about my time volunteering! #WeAreExperienceCorps #ExperienceCorps