

COMMUNITY IMPACT BADGE

Stage 1

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2. **Plan action.** Decide what issue your section should take action on and what you want to change. Talk to your section about what actions you would like to take.
3. **Take action over three months.** You should:
 - spend at least four hours personally taking action on your chosen issue. You can achieve more impact by spreading your time out over a month, instead of doing it all in one go.
 - involve others in the action. Work in a team with your section and preferably people in the community you are trying to help.
4. **Learn and make more change.** Discuss with your section what you've learned, how you have made people's lives better, how taking action has developed you, and what you could do to help even more people in your chosen community.
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3. **Take action over six months.** You should:
 - spend at least 12 hours personally taking action on your chosen issue. You can achieve more impact by spreading your time out, over four months, instead of doing it all in one go
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3. **Take action over nine months.** You should:
 - spend at least 24 hours in total personally taking action on your chosen issue. You can achieve more impact by spreading your time out, over six months, instead of doing it all in one go
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3. **Take action over 12 months.** You should:
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