VIRTUAL VOLUNTEERING

THE SITUATION
With students across the state currently at home, it's important to stay connected.

THE SOLUTION
Pick one or all three “virtual volunteer” activities, and make someone’s day!

ACTIVITIES TO CHOOSE FROM

1. READ
   - Read a book to a sibling, relative or friend by using mobile or video technology.
   - Take a picture of yourself reading your book, and share it with United Way of Greater Waterbury.
   - When you share your picture, tell us who you’re reading to and what book it is.

2. CREATE
   - Create an art project that shows how you think we can all help each other right now; Share your artwork on Instagram and tag @unitedwayofgreaterwaterbury.
   - Make a video where you share your favorite book, and why you love it so much; Post your video on Instagram and tag us.

3. ENCOURAGE
   - This is an especially tough time for the elderly, so make a card or write a letter that could be sent as a surprise to someone older.
   - Share a picture of your card or letter with us, and where you plan to send it.
   - If you need a suggestion for where to send it, we can help!

HAVE QUESTIONS? NEED HELP?
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