



# MLK DAY OF SERVICE

## Greenfield PTO Poster Display

All Greenfield students are invited to create a poster based on the text of King's "Drum Major Instinct" speech. Artwork should either communicate the message King relayed that "everyone can serve", or show ways the student will serve their community. Artwork should be emailed to the PTO ([PTOGreenfieldK8@gmail.com](mailto:PTOGreenfieldK8@gmail.com)) and will be displayed outside the school and online.

### Excerpt from "Drum Major Instinct"

*Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., February 4, 1968*

“And this morning, the thing that I like about it: by giving that definition of greatness, it means that everybody can be great, because everybody can serve. You don't have to have a college degree to serve. You don't have to make your subject and your verb agree to serve. You don't have to know about Plato and Aristotle to serve. You don't have to know Einstein's theory of relativity to serve. You don't have to know the second theory of thermodynamics in physics to serve. You only need a heart full of grace, a soul generated by love. And you can be that servant.”

*(View more from Dr. King's speech on our website: [www.greenfieldpto.com/mlk-day](http://www.greenfieldpto.com/mlk-day))*

Your poster can be any design you'd like, using any materials. Just create an artwork inspired by King's words, take a picture, and send the photo to the PTO. Your poster can have words, drawings, computer designs, photos...anything you want! Need ideas to get started? Try asking yourself these questions:

- *How can I serve my community? What can I do to help?*
- *What do I think Dr. King meant? Do I have what it takes to serve others?*
- *Do I think I can be great? Do I think I can be great by helping others?*
- *How can I inspire others to be helpful?*
- *What do I think are important needs for people? What change do I want to see?*