



Position Advertisement

The Regional Office of Education #26 (ROE26) is seeking an AmeriCorps*VISTA (Volunteers in Service to America) to volunteer and assist with community and program development in Macomb, Illinois. The AmeriCorps*VISTA program places individuals with schools, municipalities and public non-profit agencies, allowing the individuals to help the organization address issues related to poverty.

The positions will develop and mobilize resources that help to build the organizational capacity of the ROE26 to implement program expansion or enhancement under the direction of specific ROE26 Program Directors. VISTA positions include:

1. Development and expansion of the Truants' Alternative and Optional Education Program.
2. Development of a Public Library afterschool program as well as programming for days when school is not in session.
3. Development of an educational program designed to assist homeless students.

A bachelor's degree or three years of related volunteer/job experience is preferred. The individuals selected must be willing to make a commitment to serve full-time for one year. For more information about the AmeriCorps*VISTA program, please visit <http://www.nationalservice.gov/programs/ameri-corps/ameri-corps-vista>.

The individual selected receives a modest living allowance of approximately \$472 bi-weekly (pre-tax), relocation assistance (if applicable), and childcare assistance (if eligible). In addition, the individual will receive their choice of an end-of-term cash stipend of \$1,803 or an education award of \$5,920 upon completion of their term.

For more information regarding the ROE26 AmeriCorps*VISTA position, please contact John Meixner, Regional Superintendent of Schools at 309-575-3226 or via e-mail at jmeixner@roe26.net

Interested persons can apply directly online at:

<https://my.americorps.gov/mp/listing/viewListing.do?id=53345&fromSearch=true>

