



Minnesota FCCLA encourages your chapter to write and send postcards to Operation Gratitude for 911 Day of Service.

MISSION OF OPERATION GRATITUDE

To forge strong bonds between Americans and their Military and First Responder heroes through volunteer service projects, acts of gratitude, and meaningful engagements in communities nationwide.

HOW THEY DO IT

In March of 2003, Operation Gratitude sent its first four care packages to deployed service members in Iraq. Since then, the organization has given millions of Americans the opportunity to express appreciation through hands-on volunteerism while lifting the spirits of more than 1.8 million deployed troops and another 1.3 million recruit graduates, veterans, military families, first responders, and healthcare heroes.

How to Send Postcards to Operation Gratitude:

See website: Where to send postcards with student messages.....See link for more details. <https://www.operationgratitude.com/ship-packages/>

ONLINE FORM: PRODUCT AND LETTER DONATIONS Fill out our Donor Form online with the Operation Gratitude website. Upon submission, you will receive an email with shipping instructions.

COMPLETE DONATION FORM See link for a donation online report to Operation Gratitude. <https://www.operationgratitude.com/product-donation/>

**Send: Send donated items to: Operation Gratitude
9409 Owensmouth Ave, Chatsworth, CA 91311**

Tell MN FCCLA what you did:

Remember to report you student volunteer data to MN FCCLA! By Sept 17. Use the MN FCCLA form with students name or ID. (our goal is at least 500 student volunteers)

If you receive a thank you from Operation Gratitude, please send a copy to MN FCCLA for our grant reporting. Thank you.