

# Service-Learning in a nutshell

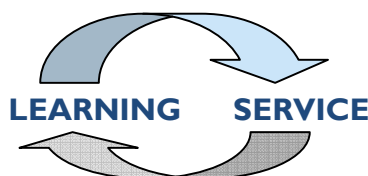
Learn by doing a service for the community



*Service-Learning is an educational proposal that combines learning and community service processes in one single, well articulated, project in which participants learn while working on real needs in their community with the goal of improving it.*

For example:

- ✓ In the project **Haz que todos lo podamos celebrar** (“Let everybody celebrate it”) boys and girls organize a food campaign in the neighborhood aimed at the hungry population. The students learn course content on nourishment, world poverty, social exclusion, and they will also enhance their solidarity and their ability to work in a team.
- ✓ In project **Conecta joven** (“Connect young”) young people in institutes or associations of free time improve their technical knowledge and social abilities by teaching basic computing to adults who have never used a computer, in this way contributing to overcome the digital gap.
- ✓ In project **Adopta un río** (“Adopt a river”) boys, girls and teenagers pledge to protect and conserve a stretch of river, a reservoir or a canal. In this way, they apply and deepen their knowledge on the natural environment, at the same time they are sensitized on its fragility and make an effort to slow down deterioration.



**Pedagogical intentionality and solidarity intentionality are merged in Service-Learning.**

**Service-Learning is an educational project with social usefulness.**

