Components of a Service Learning Syllabus

- The service learning “Meta-question” (i.e., what is the over-arching question related to service – justice, diversity, social responsibility and compassion – that the students are to examine?)

- Specific service learning outcomes

- List of possible community partners
  - Contact Name
  - Address
  - Service activities
  - Available service times
  - Directions to site
  - Other details?

- Clear expectations for students work in the community
  - Minimum hours required?
  - Parameters for completing the “project”

- Integrative assignments
  - Specific journal questions
  - Short essay topics
  - Research papers
  - Portfolios

- How service component will be assessed?
  - Portion of grade assigned to supervisor evaluation?
  - Integrative

- Description of Service Learning Student Leader (sl)² role

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