



LEADERSHIPLINKS



In honor of the 50th Anniversary of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.’s assassination, Leadership LINKS, Inc. is honored to join The King Center’s Global “Love for Humanity: 50 Acts of Service or Kindness” campaign. The 7th and 8th grade girls in our LINKS Mentoring Program have outlined the below 50 Acts which align with *our five Core Values of Love, Inspiration, Network, Knowledge, and Service*. We invite all of our LINKS Network to participate and inform us of your acts and lessons learned using the hashtags #MLKForward and #LINKS50Acts now through April 9, 2018. Please also email us your “acts” or love or service at leadershiplinksus@gmail.com. (Include your name, state, act.)

LOVE	INSPIRATION	NETWORK	KNOWLEDGE	SERVICE
1. Bring a teddy bear to a person who is sick	Create something that will inspire and share it	Create an opportunity to collaborate with other leaders in your community	Read a book, book excerpt, article, or share your favorite story with someone	Serve food to the elderly (either someone in a nursing home, the sick and shut-in from church, or a neighbor)
2. Donate money to a charity	Compliment a stranger	Actively listen to see what a person or organization needs, and contribute if we can meet it	Tutor others in a subject we are good at	Pick up trash in your neighborhood or “Adopt A Highway”
3. Send flowers to a sick friend	Pray for someone and let them know how you are praying for them; make a prayer list	Write letters to let people in your personal Network know what they mean to you	Teach a class	Collect clothing/toiletries and share with those in need
4. Call someone who is feeling sad	Take beautiful pictures and share on social media with an inspirational quote	Invite a teacher or community leader to hear about Leadership LINKS	Mentor someone who is younger than you	Volunteer to clean or support a teacher’s classroom

5. Reach out to the Urban Ministry to develop a relationship & add to our LINKS Network (NC specific)	Leave a kind note on a car window	Connect with a person to discuss what they want to do, then research and share what you learn with them. Ask if they want to reciprocate, so you both can learn.	Start an Education MeetUp (Create an opportunity to share what you have learned with others, and give other attendees the opportunity to share in their area of expertise)	Help an elderly person clean their home or car
6. Write a letter to let someone know the reasons you love them	Tell your peers how you achieved a desired goal	Tell someone about the "Walk in Purpose" Leadership Summer Program for Girls, and ask if they know someone who would want to support or participate	Have a study session with a friend or child in need of your support	Start a community project
7. Call or Text a "thinking of you" to someone	Send a "thank you" card	Find two of your friends/associates who don't know each other but have something in common. Introduce them, and tell them what they both have in common	Research something amazing about your heritage or culture that you didn't know before, and share that information with others	Assist with house chores
8. Organize a party for children in need	Make "Get Well" cards for patients at your local hospital	Look up/research a program or organization, and share with interested parties	Take advantage of the opportunity to intern, spend a day with, or shadow someone in their work, ministry, or service	Bring gifts to the hospital
9. Make snack or hygiene bags for the homeless	Ask someone what their dreams are, and then give them a list of 5-10 reasons they would be great at whatever their dream is	Find a volunteer opportunity in the local community that aligns with your own interests	Document what you have learned through this campaign inform us via email leadershiplinksus@gmail.com (Please include your name, state, and the act or lessons learned.)	Do something nice for sick people
10. Give a genuine compliment	Tell someone what gift or quality (non-physical) they have that makes them wonderfully unique	Find a local small business you enjoy, and promote it on social media or through word-of-mouth	Consider something that is broken, or a process or procedure in need of improvement, and write out a way to fix or improve it.	Ask a friend or family member, "What can I do to help you?"