

Chaplains Help

Proven and Successful Projects in Schools continued

5. School and Community Events

- · Hosted a first-ever post-graduation party with large attendance and prizes.
- Organized a sports banquet, a first for the school.
- Organized a business lunch for CEOs and managers served by culinary students.
- Invited military veterans to speak on Veterans Day.
- Organized a Police Day with attendance prizes and skits, inviting the police chief and other officers.
- Brought in guest speakers, including business leaders, mentors, professional athletes, and celebrities.
- Hosted a talent show in collaboration with band/music teachers, with prizes including studio time and Grammy tickets.

6. Resource and Funding Coordination

- Found alumni to adopt/sponsor underprivileged students.
- Found funding for new sports equipment through churches and non-profits.
- Found band and music equipment for underprivileged students.
- Helped find a marriage officiant and other wedding essentials for a teacher.
- Coordinated furniture donations for families in need.
- •Organized discounts, sponsors, and logistics for community and school resources, such as fruit bags for students.

7. School Spirit and Recognition

- Honored a "family of the year" for volunteerism within the school.
- Organized a parent-teacher social event.
- Organized a career fair to support student career development.
- Worked with ROTC to organize tributes for teachers and coaches who are military veterans.

This categorized structure provides a clear overview of chaplain support areas, focusing on intervention, appreciation, support, and community engagement. Each category reflects how chaplains impact students, staff, and families in non-religious ways.

