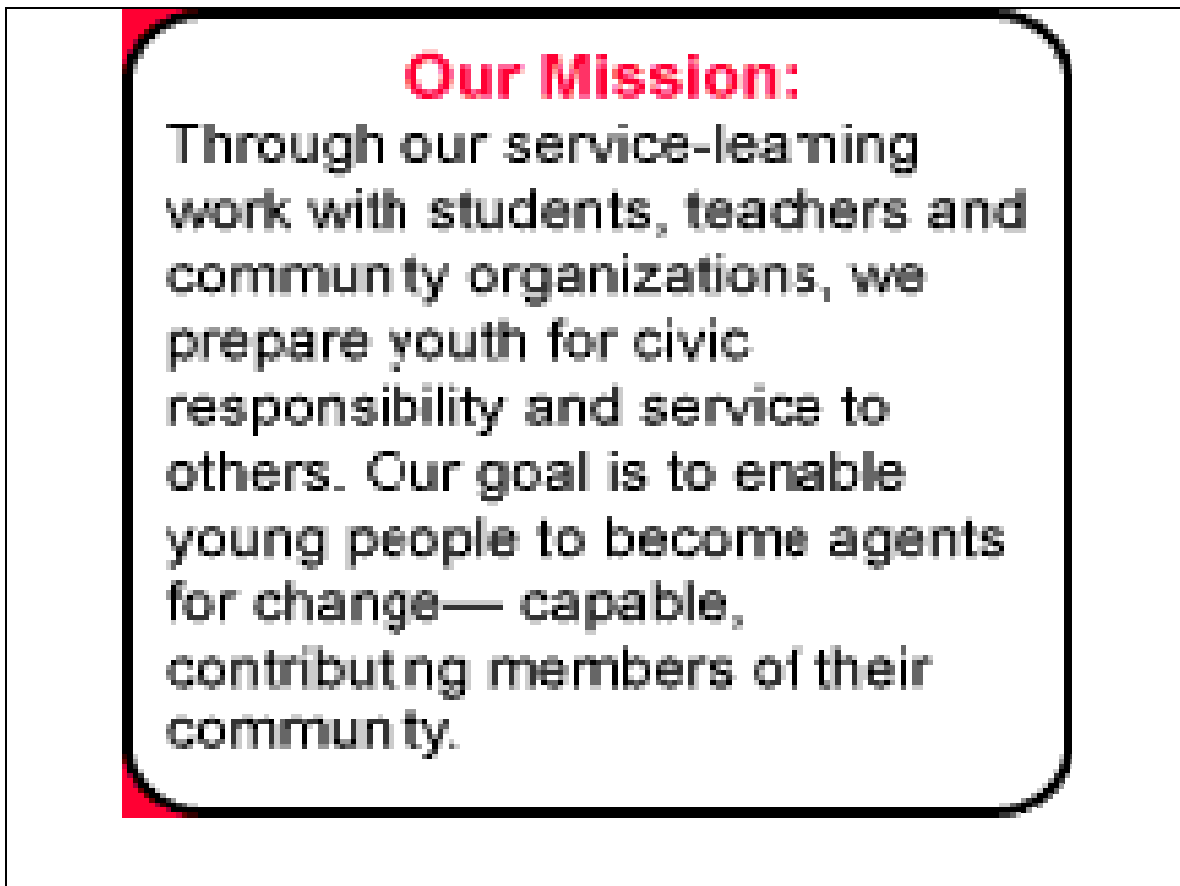


Benchmark: 2 b



**Selected Response Prompt:**

The United States government is for the people, by the people. This means each citizen has certain responsibilities. All of the following are examples of good civic responsibility except:

- a. Reading newspapers, magazines and internet sites for information on government
- b. Volunteering to help in your local government (school, town, state)
- c. Expressing your opinions about the government to your elected official
- d. Complaining about the government's actions but refusing to vote in elections

**Correct Response:**

    d

