Overview: As the world’s largest sports organization, Special Olympics uses the power of sports to help people with intellectual disabilities discover new strengths, abilities, skills, and success. Ultimately, the message that Special Olympics wishes to spread is this: people with intellectual disabilities can- and will- succeed when given the chance. Upon returning, the students should have a better understanding of the mission of Special Olympics: to give continuous opportunities to athletes with disabilities in order for them to develop physical fitness and demonstrate courage as well as the experience of joy and sportsmanship fostered in athletic competition.

Day-to-day: Buck-I-SERV participants will be given the opportunity to encourage athletes eight years of age or older with intellectual disabilities in a wide variety of sports. Additionally, you might help set up athletic practices and events so that the athletes can have the best experience possible.

The Nitty-Gritty Details: Participants will be staying at a church and should plan to bring their own bedding. Meals are not provided by the housing or service site. Group members will have a small grocery budget to purchase some meal items. Participants should also plan to have additional funds for meals during the week.

SPECIFICATIONS
Location: Baltimore, MD
Price: $250
Trip Price includes:
- Transportation
- Housing
- Tools/supplies needed for service

Transportation:
Participants will travel by van to the destination and utilize the van for local transportation throughout the week.

Housing: Church
Meals: None included

Social Justice Issue:
Developmental and Intellectual Disabilities

Physicality Level: Medium

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