## SERVICE LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

A variety of SENMC courses may include Service Learning options. Service learning programs involve students in activities that address local needs while developing their academic skills and commitment to their community. Service Learning is a teaching and learning strategy that connects meaningful community service with instruction and reflection to enrich the learning experience, teach civic responsibility and strengthen communities. Participants in Service Learning master important curriculum content by making connections between what they are studying in the SENMC classroom and its many applications. The four pillars of Service Learning are:

- · the academic focus in the SENMC classroom,
- the service that meets a community need,
- · reflecting on the experience, and
- · strengthened civic responsibility.

For more information on Service Learning Opportunities at SENMC call (575) 234-9268 or visit the Community Education Office on campus in office 1B.