

## Project Heart Elementary After School – Prep Week Game Cards – 3Ts

Project Heart teaches students that anyone can be a philanthropist when we use our 3Ts (time, talent and treasure) to meet needs and make a difference.

The goal for this prep week (or two) is to create excitement and curiosity about giving back. This is a chance for you and your students to explore philanthropy and Project Heart together. This activity is meant to be an introductory time with hands-on experiences and very little direct instruction. These games can be played many times and students can practice leadership by teaching visitors how to play. See below for the “3Ts” activity cards; visit the [Resources page](#) for the companion “Intro to Philanthropy” cards and the complete prep week plan.



### 5-10 Minutes

- 3Ts Cards Activity
  - Explain to students: *“We’re learning a new phrase today!”*
  - Have three volunteers take the picture cards. Ask if they can figure out the “word” each image stands for (facilitate discussion).
  - Once they have identified the word (or if it is taking too long) everyone should say the words together *TIME, TALENT and TREASURE.*
  - Then show the 3Ts card w/ the three words and wrap up: *“Now you know the three things you need to practice philanthropy and make a difference.”*

This activity is one small part of a larger program designed for the elementary after school camp or club setting. Want to go deeper with your students and cultivate a philanthropic spirit in young people? Check out our full Project Heart curriculum! This program is available at no cost! Visit [www.myprojectheart.org](http://www.myprojectheart.org) to register today!





# Time





# Talent





# Treasure



**Anyone can use  
their 3Ts to do**





# PHILANTHROPY!



## Extension - Leave Changed



### 5-10 Minutes

- Reassemble the group
  - Remember to make connections every time you see kids giving back, meeting a need or showing kindness! Consider affirming together, “I can use my 3Ts to give back and make a difference so I am a philanthropist.”
- Prompt students
  - Have you ever thought about your 3Ts before? Tell about a time when you saw your friend or family member use one of their 3Ts.
  - Which T do you think is easiest to use? Which T do you think is hardest to use?
  - What is a talent you have that you want to keep spending time to get better at? How could you use this talent to help someone else?
  - What treasures do you have that aren't money (sports equipment, clothes, prized possessions, important ideas, etc.)?
  - Think-Pair-Share: one way you like to spend your time, a talent you'd like to keep developing and one of your treasures.
- Continue the conversation! Create a 3 column poster like the one below and keep it posted in your area. Start by having each child add one of their 3Ts. You can continue adding to it as you keep the conversations going.
  - Collective 3Ts chart – Let's all add at least one T to our group 3Ts chart!



## Everyone has 3Ts!

Time	Talent	Treasure

