



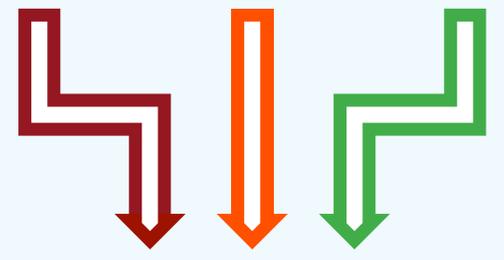
SINCE ITS LAUNCH IN 2010, OVER 100 HISTORIC HOMES HAVE RECEIVED ASSISTANCE AND OVER 1,000 STUDENTS HAVE GAINED HANDS-ON PRESERVATION EXPERIENCE.



The Students Together Achieving Revitalization (S.T.A.R.) Program is organized by the Office of Historic Preservation in partnership with the University of Texas at San Antonio College of Architecture, Construction, and Planning and San Antonio Colleges. Twice a year, architecture and construction science student volunteers led by local volunteer contractors provide exterior repairs and maintenance to property owners in historic districts. All labor and materials are provided at no cost to the owner.

HOW IT WORKS

DONATED SERVICES STUDENT VOLUNTEERS \$750 IN SUPPLIES



**\$5,000-15,000
VALUE TO THE HOMEOWNER**

WE RELY 100% ON SPONSORS AND VOLUNTEERS TO BRING S.T.A.R. TO LOCAL HISTORIC DISTRICTS.



S.T.A.R. *Is Preservation*

The S.T.A.R. program provides a proactive approach to arresting further deterioration of San Antonio's historic districts. Reinvesting in our older and historic neighborhoods protects our heritage, promotes neighborhoods that are full of character and charm, attract new people to downtown and maintains our sense of place for a community. It is also intended to serve as motivation for other homeowners to invest in their homes, spurring revitalization throughout an area. Through S.T.A.R. our office can promote the importance and value of historic preservation and protect and enhance the quality of life in a historic San Antonio neighborhood.

S.T.A.R. *Is Service Learning*

The S.T.A.R. program relies on community service as a vehicle for learning and provides unique experiences not otherwise offered in the curriculum. Students are exposed to real-life situations and apply knowledge gained in the classroom through hands-on application in their community. They not only learn the practical application of their studies but become actively contributing citizens and community members through the service they perform.



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S.T.A.R. *Get Involved*

Help us expand the S.T.A.R. program! In previous years, certain projects have been limited due to available resources. We are always looking for new partnerships that will allow us to take S.T.A.R. to the next level. Join us and become an advocate for local neighborhood revitalization and higher education programs in San Antonio. Email us today: ohp@sanantonio.gov