

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES FOR PRE-TRIP PREPARATION

As you begin to prepare for your week of service, start with our Pre-Trip Study Sessions for 2022 with core content that will help connect us in our knowledge of ASP, Appalachia, and the 3 S's, which are ASP best practices. Then use any resources from this page or other resources that your group may have to add to the core content for your session to be the best fit for your group.

Appalachian Culture, Housing and Challenges:

- Home Selection Exercise - [Home Selection Exercise](#)
- Mountain Month - [Mountain Month \(2015\)](#)
- Video: *Because This is Where They Live* about the roots of ASP's mission
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bbEvNID66FU&t=444s>
- Video: *Many Hands: Rebuilding Appalachia* Published on 13 Jan 2015. A presentation of OpportunityLives.com Executive Producer: John Hart, A Citygate Films Production
https://youtu.be/QOJdJKH8nmY?list=PLqRA_56QdMy1fU5hAVcZPqdtJdJhQJmj2

Resources to Learn About Appalachia:

- Appalachian Regional Commission Snapshots on Poverty, Education and Computer and Broadband access:
<https://www.arc.gov/wp-content/uploads/2020/07/DataSnapshot-IncomeAndPovertyInAppalachia.pdf>
<https://www.arc.gov/wp-content/uploads/2020/07/DataSnapshot-EducationInAppalachia.pdf>
<https://www.arc.gov/wp-content/uploads/2020/07/DataSnapshot-ComputerAndBroadbandAccessInAppalachia.pdf>
- An Appalachia Reading List
<https://www.thisappalachialife.com/single-post/2017/07/05/An-Appalachia-Reading-List?fref=gc>
- Book: *My Name is Child of God...Not "Those People"* by Julia Dinsmore
https://www.amazon.co.uk/Name-Child-God-Not-ThosePeople/dp/0806656247/ref=sr_1_3?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1305625129&sr=1-3
- Poem: "My Name Is Not 'Those People'" by Julia Dinsmore
<https://doorwayproject.wordpress.com/2011/05/19/my-name-is-not-those-people-4/>