

Beacon House

Beacon House-Ghana is a children's home in Accra that serves up to 40 orphaned and vulnerable children between the ages of 2 and 10.

Organizational needs:

The organization prefers volunteers with an interest in children. This could include students interested in education, healthcare or social work. Beacon House also welcomes volunteers with special skills or hobbies such as videography, web design, fundraising and administrative skills.

Projects:

Depending on your skills and backgrounds, you can work in a variety of capacities at Beacon House. Some ISEP participants prefer working directly with the children in learning situations, tutoring or play groups while others enjoy working on administrative projects such as outreach, marketing and project development. Beacon House works individually with the volunteers to find the best possible match between their skills and the organization's needs.

Notes:

Beacon House prefers long-term volunteers as it gives students the chance to better understand the organization. Long term volunteerism also allows you, as an ISEP student to forge sustainable partnerships with the children and community.

More Info??? Contact Us:

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Mawuvio's Outreach Programme

Mawuvios's Outreach Program provides primary education to disadvantaged children at the outreach center at Kissemah

Organizational Needs:

Mawuvio's Outreach Programme seeks volunteers that can teach basic to intermediate English, Math, Multicultural Studies, Science and skill development in Arts and Crafts.

Projects:

Volunteers may participate in any of the following projects:

- Teaching children in grades 3-14 at the outreach center at Kissemah
- Participating in the Outreach Building Project at Ayikuma village
- Outreach school feeding project which encourages teaching and learning at the center
- Collaboration projects with Elikem and Daapu which are supporting farmers in 26 communities to join the Fairtale Network
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Notes:

There are no specific requirements to visit or work with the outreach programme. Other requirements may be requested if there is a need. Volunteers must specify if they are allergic to any food, drink, object or creatures if they choose to live at the outreach center.



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Global Civic Preservation

Global Civic Preservation is an organization that focuses on serving the community through youth development, cultural awareness, health awareness and poverty alleviation.

Organizational needs:

Global Civic Preservation prefers student volunteers with an educational background in public health, education, agriculture, finance, administration, program development or economics.

Projects:

Currently, GCP has a **Village Project** to build latrines/toilets in a village in the Ashanti Region. We will need the ISEP students to be engaged with the community and the local corporate and ministry sectors to assist in facilitating getting the necessary funding and materials needed to complete the project. The ISEP student will act as a Liaison / Project Coordinator for the project.

GCP also has an **Agriculture Project** where the ISEP student will be engaged as a liaison / Project Coordinator to facilitate the development of the agriculture project for the Tsipasi village. Both projects will be responsible for developing and following tasks to insure that the project is being completed as well reporting the necessary information, providing pictures, video and managing the communication with organizations in the United States Global Community Service Project via Skye to show U.S. students, youth organizations and corporations the work that is currently being done in Ghana.

GCP has **Community Health Awareness Projects** that allows ISEP students to engage in health fairs with health officials, NGOs, ministries, village leadership. These health fairs typically have cover Malaria, HIV/AIDS, STDs, Dental Screening, Personal Hygiene and Safe Drinking Water. The ISEP student will insure that all of the necessary survey information is documented and uploaded to GCPs Information Management System. Additional Health Awareness programs may be held at urban and rural schools in Ghana.

Notes:

Global Civic Preservation asks that ISEP students commit to volunteering for a minimum of 8 hours per week. Some of that time could occur on the weekend depending on the project needs. Hours *may not* require you to come to the GCP facility. Work can be carried-out at the appropriate venue. GCP asks for students that are energetic, positive and want to make a positive difference in our global society.

Want More Info??? Contract Us:

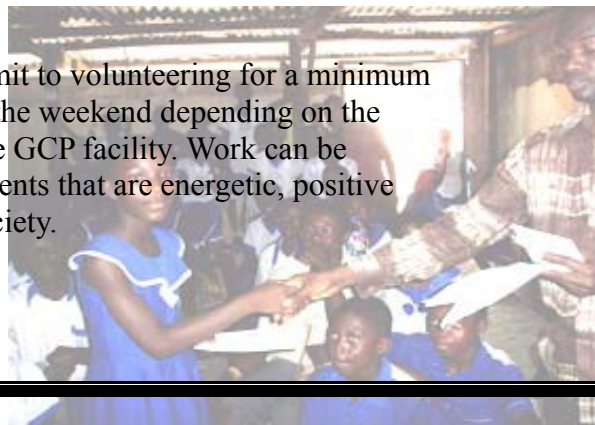
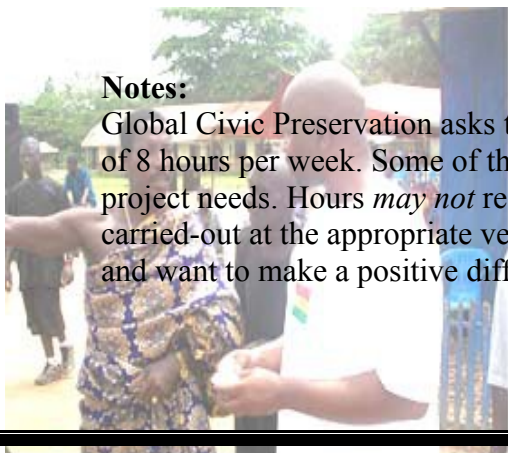
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New Horizon Special School

The school promises day school education for children and vocational training and employment for adults who have mental disadvantages.

Organizational Needs: Special Education, Occupational Therapy, Clinical Psychology, Music & Dance Therapy, Speech and Language Therapy, Behavior and Play Therapy.

Projects:

- Sensory Room Project - Creating Tactile wall,
- Projects and activities to evaluate pupils
- Fundraising, advocacy,
- Computer training, Sports and Recreational activities,
- Help develop, implement and monitor high quality IEPS
- Assist teachers in teaching Math, English and Social Skills,
- Reading Project.

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Notes:

Dress Code for Volunteers: Volunteers should dress for work and should commit a minimum of 8 weeks in order to be able to establish relationships and enable stability and continuity.





West African AIDS Foundation

WAAF is involved in prevention, advocacy, treatment, management and care of people living with HIV.

Organizational needs:

The organization prefers volunteers with an interest in medicine, social work, nursing, information/technology, fundraising, marketing or business administration.

Projects:

The West African AIDS Foundation has several ongoing projects including:

- *Orphans and vulnerable children project*; where children are engaged in various activities to enhance their overall development
- *Healthy mother = Healthy baby project*; where HIV positive expecting mother are assisted with nutritional support (both in education as well as food items)
- *Organizational Development*; where volunteers could participate by updating websites; creating brochures/pamphlets and additional marketing strategies; developing spreadsheets for upkeep of data for various departments or shadowing patients with doctors and nurses

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Notes:

Students learn and contribute more when they can stay for at least 3 months. However the organization will take students who desire to volunteer for shorter periods.

