



Community Outreach



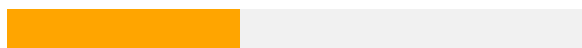
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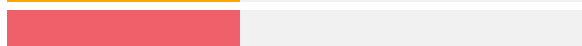
Support the sustainable development of schools, churches, health care centers, and more in a small Ugandan village through construction and renovation work!

In this program, you will be working in a village that receives minimal support from the government to maintain its infrastructure. Your tasks here will vary depending on the needs at the time, giving you the opportunity to take part in community development and other improvement efforts.

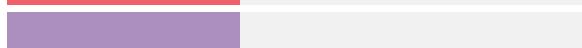
Culture



Learning



Leisure



Community Engagement



Physical Demand



Program Description

Rural communities away from large cities often lack support from the government in terms of infrastructure development and maintenance. Most families only have enough to feed themselves with what they grow but are still affected by occasional food shortages and malnourishment. House repairs are not common as the priority is working the farms in order for their children to have food to eat.

Local communities rarely receive funding from the government which oftentimes means that there is limited support in schools, healthcare centers, village halls, churches, etc.

During this project, you will be assisting with simple construction and renovation at these locations. Your tasks will be assigned depending on the current needs, which may include building sinks, water tanks, repairing chairs, planting flower beds, painting or repairing walls, etc.

In addition, you may also get the opportunity to assist with a feeding/nutrition project aimed at enriching the health and well-being of local schoolchildren.

Program Duration & Availability

Min duration (weeks): 1

Aims & Objectives

- Support the community and promote sustainable development in the village
- Give you a sense of achievement through light construction and renovation projects
- Assist the effort with extra hands

Schedule

Monday to Friday

You will be working for 4-5 hours on construction/renovation and anything that may be needed at the time. Below is what a typical day might look like:

- Breakfast
- Construction/renovation work
- Lunch
- Construction/renovation work
- Back to the accommodation
- Free time
- Dinner

This schedule can be changed and/or amended depending on weather conditions, local conditions and unforeseen circumstances.

Starting Dates

During 2019

This program starts every week.

During 2020

This program starts every week.

Participant Criteria & Requirements

Minimum age:	-
Maximum age:	-
Minimum English level:	Basic
CRB required:	On Signup
Passport copy required:	No
Resume copy required:	No
Required qualification:	None

Additional Requirements

There are no further requirements for this program.

Additional Equipment

- Modest work clothing - covering your shoulders down to your knees, nothing see-through or with offensive themes written on them for the time you will spend working in the community.
- You are welcome to bring tools, supplies or other useful items to donate for community use.