



# Kindergarten Teaching and Community Outreach



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Hop into this incredible and vibrant land of Rajasthan. Take part in teaching and imparting early childhood education to young kindergarten and school children willing to learn from you. Reach out to these bunch of energy packed kids with enthusiasm and take back home memorable experiences with the satisfaction of had taught something valuable to these future citizens.

Culture



Learning



Leisure



Community Engagement



Physical Demand



## Program Description

Educational support will be given to kindergarten and young children of Udaipur in the age group of about 4 to 5 years old who are right at the start of their school careers.

You will be teaching at a local school in the morning and in the afternoons wherein Hindi is mainly taught to children who come from mostly lower middle income families. These schools try to provide the best possible education to the children of tuk-tuk (autorickshaw) drivers, house and office maids, unskilled laborers and also encompassing the children of every-day Rajasthani Indian with average facilities. The teachers of the school are capable of translating Basic English. We need your support to teach young children English.

They will all be excited to see you and exceptionally welcoming, due partly to the natural and genuine friendliness of all Rajasthanis, especially children, but also the fact that you will be one of the few westerners they have met!

The teaching program is informal, same as kindergartens worldwide, and the children will want to play with you more than be 'taught' in a formal sense. Your help and assistance will help the kids grow in their confidence and learn better English which will help them in many ways in the future.

The kindergarten school functions from 08:00 to 12:00

- The project will be more interesting if you are creative
- You should adapt to the school administration, teachers & children while you are with them. You are part of a school that is culturally different from other developing systems.
- You should be organized and the daily program will be planned with the aid of the teaching handbooks & coordinator inputs.
- You should be an active person and should be willing to research their lesson planning. Lesson Planning Guides will be available.
- You should be able to interact, communicate with children and teachers of the school, work as a Team and be cooperative with the local coordinator or other participants. Able to adjust to facilities available at the local school.
- Your appearance should be presentable at the project. You should be able to gauge the capacity of different students.
- Should you find any difficulty kindly consult our Coordinators

## Community Outreach School

Our Community Outreach program is located in Udaipur. Around the community, most of the children attend school and some of them due to various difficulties some children stay back at the school itself at the boarding facility available at the school. These schools concentrate mainly on vernacular language thus the children are not well equipped with standard English due to this reason the students need training in written and spoken English language as well as awareness on hygienic habits, environmental awareness, behavioral skills, and much more.

At the community outreach center, there are about 30 children attending the program. The children are all girls between the age of 10 to 16 years. These children live at the hostel facility available at the school as they come from very far off villages. Most of their families live in far-off under-developed villages having odd jobs for their living and earn very little to support their families and to provide education for their little ones.

Assist in teaching young, energetic and enthusiastic girls of the local community by helping with their everyday homework. These classes are held in the evenings after regular school hours and apart from conventional teaching methods, games and other activities may be used to teach the children.

The project starts from 16:00 to 18:00.

The purpose of this after-school outreach project:

- To provide English teaching so as to develop English knowledge.
- To provide an idea to the children to find white colored jobs in their future.
- To impart hygienic and environmental awareness to the children so as to keep their surroundings clean.
- To impart behavioral skills to respect one and another and also learn behavior between genders.
- To identify and develop their talents
- To learn and exchange various other cultures and languages
- To take the kids out to various parks, museums, art theaters, libraries to recognize various available resources to learn and enhance their knowledge

### **What you should have:**

- Be empathic with Community Kids.
- The project will be more interesting if you are creative.
- You must be organize a daily program with our coordinator with a clear plan before going for the project.
- You should be able to work as a teamwork and cooperation with local coordinators or participants.
- Artistic
- Basic English knowledge
- Good at basic mathematics, geography, science and computer knowledge.

\*\* Any other educative skills are more than welcome

## **Program Duration & Availability**

**Min duration (weeks):** 1

## **Aims & Objectives**

The aims & objectives are to help the kids grow in their confidence and learn better English which will help them in many ways in the future and also to provide a global platform for the students of Udaipur by interacting in English and to share the best practices in the education system.



# Schedule

## Monday

On your first day of the program, you will have an orientation, to better understand your new environment and program. Our coordinators will take you to an energized authentic Rajasthani cultural dance concert, visit the local market, and a few supermarkets located close to our center. You can also utilize this time of the day to exchange your currency or purchase any of the essential items you might need during your stay.

## Tuesday

On Tuesday of your first week, introduction to the local projects and program will be given through an observation time at the project site. Our coordinators will also theoretically orient and train you on the activities of the project onsite so as to introduce you to the project in a step-by-step manner.

## Wednesday to Thursday

Your time on the project will commence on Wednesday.

08:00 - Breakfast

09:00 - Departure to the assigned school

09:30 to 12:00 - Assist in teaching at the kindergarten school

13:00 to 14:00 - Lunch

14:00 to 16:00 - Preparation on subjects to be taught at the community school

16:00 to 18:00 - Assist in homework, games, and interaction at the community school

18:30 to 19:30 - Dinner

20:00 onwards - Preparation on subjects to be taught for the next day at the kindergarten school or at the community school.

## Friday

08:00 - Breakfast

09:00 - Departure to the assigned school

09:30 to 12:00 - Teaching at the kindergarten school

13:00 to 14:00 - Lunch

14:00 to 16:00 - Preparation on subjects to be taught at the community school

16:00 to 18:00 - Assist in homework, games, and interaction at the community school

18:30 to 19:30 - Dinner

20:00 onwards - Feedback about your week at the projects

**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

<b>Minimum age:</b>	18
<b>Maximum age:</b>	-
<b>Minimum English level:</b>	Basic
<b>CRB required:</b>	On Signup
<b>Passport copy required:</b>	On Signup
<b>Resume copy required:</b>	No
<b>Required qualification:</b>	None

## Additional Requirements

There are no further requirements for this program.

## Additional Equipment

### Dress Code

- Cover up as much as possible in the spirit of the local culture to avoid embarrassment.
- Your clothes must not be too short, too tight or too revealing. Kindly make sure your shoulders and legs are covered.
- Dress professionally since you will be working in a professional environment while teaching the children.
- It is completely fine to wear western clothes as long as they fit the local standards
- Be thoughtful of the graphics, symbols or text printed on your clothing and avoid wearing clothing styles that might be inappropriate
- Be thoughtful to poor communities by not displaying expensive items and clothes
- Wearing local clothes could help you build a good working relationship with the community