



PLACEMENT DETAILS

Name of school	Nguyen Tat Thanh school
Area of placement requested	Teaching
Country /Location	Vietnam/Hanoi

General Project information	
Name and Address of Local Contact	<p>Ms. Que (International Volunteer Director)</p> <p>Email: quenguyen@csds.vn</p> <p>Mobile: +84 912585525 (24 hours)</p>
Project information (summary of project, staffs, and location)	<p>Nguyen Tat Thanh School, established on July 4th 1998, is located in Cau Giay district, Hanoi, which is about 6km from the Old Quarters. It composites secondary school (grade 6-9) and high school (grade 10-12), There is very little chance for the pupils and teachers to meet foreigners to practice English and exchange communication skills.</p> <p>At this school, English has recently been paid more attention by the teachers and students. However, local teachers only tend to focus on teaching the students grammar and do not focus on the speaking and communicational skill which is also their weakness.</p> <p>The aim of the program is to provide English language speaking environment for pupils to practice and improve their confidence in using a foreign language in communication. At the same time, with the support of the international volunteers, the local teachers can improve their speaking skills and get to understand more about the culture of the language that they are teaching.</p>
Volunteer's main responsibilities	<p>Volunteers will be expected to help with the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improving listening/speaking skills for students • Improving pronunciation for students • Organizing games and other activities in classrooms • Assisting local teachers in managing the classes. • Manage the class with their own designed activities if possible. <p>Normally volunteers will teach about 20 hours a week. There is always a local teacher who works closely with the international volunteers.</p>
Volunteer requirements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Love working with students • Mature and proactive • 18 plus <p>Minimum stay of 2 weeks.</p>

2. Location information	
Departure and End Point	Hanoi International Airport



Stay at	Volunteer House No. 63 Pham Than Duat, Mai Dich, Cau Giay District, Hanoi.
Food	Provided by the host organization 3 meals a day with Vietnamese food.
Distance and location of the nearest phone/Internet Café:	Available at the Volunteer House
Distance from accommodation to work	15 minutes walk.
Nearest medical services for minor ailments (distance and time):	Mai Dich Clinic 200m / 5 minutes walk.
Nearest medical services for major problems (distance and time):	Viet Phap International Hospital Trung Hoa Area, Hanoi About 25 minute driving.
Electricity:	Yes /220 V/
Running water	Yes
Additional information that might be helpful to volunteers	<p><u>Things that volunteers are encouraged to bring for the children:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Toys (learning aids, small gifts, pencils, pens, paints etc) - Books (books, stories, novels, etc (used ones are fine). - Games - Photos (British kids, British nature, British people, etc). <p><u>General challenges for volunteers:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Big, busy & noisy city. - Heat and humidity. - Pollution. - Difficulties in communicating with local people - Being a visible minority. - Working practice & conditions differences. - Food – a lot of rice!

Thank you very much for joining us and have a nice trip!