

ACE Foundation **Teach for Africa Volunteer Program 2015 - 2017**

A volunteer is a young person of African descent that wishes to give one or two years of his/her life to travel to and teach in Africa. The Volunteer will get an experience that will enrich his/her life and uplift his/her resume. The receiving school will cover all travel and living expenses and give to the volunteer a stipend. Though the volunteer does not get what would be considered a professional salary in the USA or Europe, he/she receives a stipend that is equivalent to a middle class salary in Africa. The love for Africa and African people should be the greatest motivating factor for the Volunteer.

The profile we are looking for is as follows:

Bachelor Degree Minimum
Love for Africa and Africans worldwide
Desire to Teach and Learn in Africa
Ability to cope with physical and cultural challenges
Plan to pursue Master, PhD or Law school after tenure in Africa

Minimum Tenure: 1 school year (10 months)
Maximum tenure: 2 school years preferred

Volunteer teacher Yearly Package

Round trip Ticket	1 500 000 FCFA
Medical Insurance	500 000 FCFA
Local Housing	1 500 000 FCFA
Stipend to cover living expenses	3 000 000 FCFA
End of Year Bonus	1 000 000 FCFA

This a total package of 6 500 000 FCFA per year. The conversion of this package in US dollars or Euro will give a misleading idea. A person whose house is paid for and who gets 300 000FCFA every month lives comfortably by local standards. People that successfully complete their tenure get a bonus.

The above package is for a volunteer who comes with appropriate teaching or work experience. A smaller package may be offered to recent graduate or inexperienced candidates.

This program is not for everyone. It is both challenging and rewarding. The Volunteer has to make sure that he/she has understood both sides of the deal.

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