



## Teaching Volunteer

Action for Children in Conflict (AfCiC) is offering international teachers the chance to have a real hands-on experience, working directly with street and other vulnerable children in Thika, Kenya.

We are looking for enthusiastic teachers to teach either at our Interim Care Centre for street children or one of our local partner primary schools for periods from 2 weeks-9 months.

### Job Description

- Teaching English and other Kenya National Curriculum subjects (depending on expertise)
- Assisting with extra-curricular classroom activities, and setting up extra-curricular activities tailored to your interests and expertise
- Teaching on an individual basis, as well as in classrooms
- Working together with our local teacher to improve all round education for the children we work with
- If you have an interest in teaching children with special needs, then this can also form part of the post holder's workload

### Skills and experience required (E - essential; D - desirable)

- A PGCE or other teaching qualification E
- A positive and flexible attitude and a willingness to learn and have fun E
- An enthusiastic, friendly and positive mentality E
- Independence and ability to work on your own initiative E
- At least 21 years of age, with the willingness to undergo vetting by the CRB (Criminal Records Bureau) E
- A TEFL qualification D
- Experience of teaching overseas/with children who do not speak English as their first language D
- Interest/skills in extra-curricular activities - e.g. sports, music, drama or arts and crafts D

### Benefits

- You will directly impact on the lives of vulnerable children and will be able to see, first-hand the positive outcomes you help to achieve
- AfCiC will provide people with professional references to support them in their career development
- You will have the opportunity to join and play an active role in our Volunteer Committee, which will help you to shape the way the organisation works, as well as providing you with the opportunity to learn new skills and enhance your C.V.
- As a small charity, AfCiC prides itself on its personal approach. Those who assist us with our work become part of the AfCiC family

### Cost

To stay at our Interim Care Centre, we ask for a project contribution of £350 for the first month and then £300 per month for each additional month (which includes accommodation and meals). To stay at our house, the project contribution is £750 for three months; £950 for six months; and £1150 for nine months (with an additional £120 per month to cover accommodation). The volunteer is involved in directly spending this money with the staff at the centre to maximise the benefit for the street children. Flights, insurance, vaccinations and other in country expenses are not included in this.

### To apply

Please visit <http://www.actionchildren.org/how-you-can-help/volunteer.php> or contact Maria Clemons at [maria@actionchildren.org](mailto:maria@actionchildren.org) or contact her on 01793 767820