

Streetwise Soccer

Soccer is a very convincing, universal language. Streetwise Soccer aims to use soccer as a tool for personal and social change in schools and in „high risk“ communities in various townships in Cape Town.

Project summary:

Volunteers use soccer as a tool to foster a sense of purpose, drive and dedication in at risk and influenceable youngsters, many of whom come from disadvantaged backgrounds. Volunteers and coaches help to identify and mentor the youngsters in the local community.

Volunteers will work with elementary school-aged children ages 7-14.

Your responsibilities:

- Teaching skills to young people
- Working with schools to improve their extracurricular sports activities
- Encouraging youngsters to develop their skills and self-confidence
- Having fun and being a mentor to the youth, fitness or conditioning classes
- Administration and office support.
- Working with social programs such as day care centres and orphanages.

Requirements:

- Minimum age: 18 years (younger on request)
- Coaching or general football knowledge
- Patience and friendliness
- Intermediate English skills (be able to follow instructions)
- Minimum duration: 2 weeks

Included:

- Transfer from/to Cape Town airport
- 3 day orientation
- 2 meals daily
- Accommodation
- Rechargeable sim card



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