

Category	Carpentry	
Location	Antigua	
Year of foundation	2004	
Number of permanent employees:	3	
Project description:	<p>This is a unique project, teaching Guatemalan children and youth with limited resources about carpentry, and through that, improve their standards of living.</p> <p>The project has a complete workshop in Alotenango, where they receive training according to a curriculum, learning different stages and skills of carpentry. By following the study plan that includes theory and practice, they learn to make their own products, and this stimulates their self-esteem and social skills.</p>	
Description of volunteer tasks:	<p>There are long-term and short-term activities for volunteers.</p> <p>Long term:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - support training in education by coaching the local teachers. - create educational material, organize events - assist in lessons (high Spanish necessary) <p>Short term:</p> <p>Painting, small tasks, maintain tools, elaborate photo and video material, make documentary or something, do workshops for Nov. 1st.</p> <p>For carpenters with experience, there is the opportunity to participate in a project, providing furniture to a hostel in Antigua.</p>	
Opening hours:		
Requirements:	Spanish level:	Depens on your function
	Minimum time commitment:	1 week
	Work schedule:	Depends
	Others:	
How to get to the project:	Take a Orellana bus from Antigua to Alotenango. The bus costs Q3.50 each ride, the volunteer pays this.	
Closing dates of the project:	Dec. 11 th until Jan. 1 st . January: class preparation. February: classes start.	
Lodging options:	Hotel, hostel or host family in Antigua. Prices can be found here .	

Photo impressions

