Work Schedule of Volunteers

TO

Patiala School for The Deaf

Patiala School for The Blind

Patiala School for The Deafblind

Dear Volunteers,

Society for Welfare of the Handicapped, welcomes volunteers to the above schools. The schools are located in the Royal City of Patiala, (Punjab) State of India, which is approx 250 Km's from New Delhi. It is well connected with New Delhi by road, rail and by air Via Chandigarh, the capital of Punjab which is approx 72 Km's from Patiala.

Schools are residential and Co-educational with working Hours from 9 am to 2 pm and Co curricular activities round the clock.

During your stay with the schools you will be apprised about the following;

- (a) Introduction to Disabilities
- (b) Introduction to Blindness, its peculiar aspects and Characteristics
- (c) Introduction to Deafness, its peculiar aspects and Characteristics.
- (d) Introduction to Deafblindness, and its peculiar and Characteristics.
- (e) Basic learning of Braille language.
- (f) Basic learning of Sign language.
- (g) Basic learning of Tactile Signing.
- (h) Basics of teaching pattern of Deaf and blind and deafblind children.
- (i) Participation in Art and craft workshops.
- (j) Participation in teaching of Deaf and Blind children.
- (k) Participation in recreational and extracurricular activities.

Your experience and talent in any field, which is beneficial to the Students is especially welcome. It can be in any field/activity. On the technical side volunteers can also involve themselves in the following;

Operations	Marketing	HR	Finance	Others
Management	Marketing the	Identify	Launch fund	Misc
Of various services	value of Society	Problem areas	raising campaign	

Visit to Other local Charitable Institutions

Students will be taken and familiarized with many other local Charitable and Social institutions, such as;

- Old Age Home
- Orphanage
- Leprosy Colony
- Slum Areas
- Volunteering service in Govt. Hospitals
- Orphanages
- Mental asylums

Visit to other Institutions of Interest

- Public Schools
- Govt. run Schools / local village level schools
- Historical places of interest

Visit to Villages and farms in rural areas to understand the local living conditions, culture and traditions. Night stay In villages and firsthand experience.

Local Sightseeing, visit to places of interest and nearby places is also possible. Visit to Rishikesh or any other place can also be arranged for Yoga/ Meditation Good quality and comfortable lodging/ boarding facility is available in the schools. Arrangements for stay as paying guests also available at very reasonable rates in good and friendly environments with local reputed families. A new dimension. Duration. Flexible ranging from One Week to One Month or more.

Free lodging and boarding is also available in the schools premises if desired.

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