



We work in association with over 20 clubs, located in 12 communities across the Dominican Republic. Our clubs are in the most needy communities and neighborhoods in the country-- large city centers, remote rural communities and on the border between Dominican Republic and Republic of Haiti. Each club has a trained and dedicated staff as well as volunteers who provide children, ranging in age from preschool to young adulthood, with programs in physical recreation, technology, the arts, personal growth and more. Many clubs also provide meals, family support programs, emergency shelter, and other support to youth at risk.

ESL Program

Date: The program is open year-round

Fall: Middle of August to mid-December

Winter: January to March

Spring: March to end of July

Participants can choose to come for a week or for longer periods. The part of the program that requires them to teach English is very flexible in order to meet everyone's needs and interests. The program offers English-speaking volunteers the opportunity to receive free Spanish classes in return, and more.

Volunteer service

The Guanin Center, Inc. is looking for enthusiastic, motivated, committed people who would like to be positive role models for the children and youth who attend our programs. We offer varied time commitments and take volunteers on a weekly, biweekly, and monthly basis.. or for longer periods.

After school and literacy programs for youth and adult

The Guanin Center, Inc. is designed to make you feel at "HOME" away from "HOME." Whether your interest lies in education, cultural, social, medical assistance, volunteer community service of any kind, working with orphanages... we can help place you.

With our assistance, your experiences in the Dominican Republic can be productive, satisfying... memorable!

Community Service

We offer a way to discover the Dominican culture, past and present, on our custom designed trips, a way that will coincide with class curriculum while safely immersing students into the diverse Dominican lifestyles in various parts of the country.