

Friendly House Volunteer Program

After-School Program Volunteer Information & FAQ

How to Apply: Complete the *After-School Volunteer Form* or contact program coordinators directly:

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Frequently Asked Questions

1. Do volunteers need any special qualifications?

Volunteers should have a passion for working with children and be reliable. While prior experience is helpful, it is not required. Complete orientation and training are provided to ensure you are fully prepared.

2. What types of tasks will I be involved with?

Volunteers assist with homework help, facilitating special clubs and activities, supporting staff during snack time, and supervising children during games and physical outdoor activities.

3. Are background checks required?

Yes. To maintain the safety and well-being of all children in our care, all prospective volunteers must undergo a background check prior to starting.

4. Can I set my own schedule?

Volunteers can choose a schedule based on their availability, but we ask for a commitment to a regular, consistent time slot to build strong support for the children.

5. What benefits and recognition do volunteers receive?

Volunteers gain hands-on child care experience and skill development. We recognize contributions and offer official certificates or detailed letters of recommendation upon completion of service.