

Social Care Pre-School / Children Orphanage

Information about the pre-school

The pre-school is located close to a buddhist temple and a 5 min walk from the Education Development Centre (EDC). Children from 3 to 5 years coming to this school - per year a group of about 30 to 35. The pre-school is managed by the senior teacher Mrs.

and 2 or 3 teacher assistants. In the interval children can play on the playground. Volunteers support the teachers and play with the children.

Information about the orphanage in Beruwala

The orphanage is located in Beruwala in a Muslim area close to the harbour. After renovation works the house was open again in 2006 and is home for girls – orphans, half-orphans and girls from families with social/financial problems. About 15 to 20 girls are here temporary or long term together with housemother Mrs. Malenie and helpers. Volunteers come once/twice per week afternoons to learn English with the girls, to play games, sing songs, etc.

Working information

Working time:

Pre-School: 1-4 days / week – from 8 a.m to 1 p.m

Orphanage: 1-2 days / week – only afternoons

Duty:

Support of necessary work

Pre-school: drawing, playing, English teaching, etc.

Orphanage: teaching /spoken English, games, ect.

Working places are in walking distance or transport will be provided

Working clothes:

Skirt and blouse, trousers and shirts, frock

→Cloth should cover shoulders and knees / decent

Additional:

Teaching skills, independent preparations and contribution of own material will be very helpful, but is no precondition

Food & Accommodation

Will be provided in the NV quarters in Aluthgama

Requirements

fluency in English

