

A group of diverse people, including men and women of various ages and ethnicities, are holding hands in a circle. They are captured in a blurred, dynamic pose, suggesting movement and unity. The background is a plain, light color. Overlaid on the left side of the image is a large, hand-drawn red circle. Inside this circle, the text "Welcome to MLTV Project" is written in a black, cursive script font.

*Welcome to  
MLTV Project*

# **MID/LONG TERM VOLUNTEERING PROJECT 2022/2023**

*The social contact during the program is as important as the work itself and respect for the local environment and community is expected at all times. We expect all our participants to work together as a team and successfully execute the project.*



how do I  
apply for the  
MLTV ?

You should know and follow the  
three main steps:

- 1- Structure of the Program
- 2- Application Procedure
- 3- Orientation



# Structure of the Program

The L/MTV program at CSM  
as follows:

## Application

Volunteers must apply through our partner organizations at their home country.

## Placements:

We will complete the placements of volunteers within a week of receiving the application. Volunteers can apply for an L/MTV program for a minimum of one two weeks.

## Arrivals:

Volunteers will have to arrive at Rabat airport or Rabat ville train station.

## Information:

CSM will send the required Information to the volunteers - including a pre- arrival letter if its needed, info sheet, general information and travel details.

This information will be sent to the volunteers at least one month in advance.

## preparation:

The program will start with a 3 days' orientation.

The Orientation will be held our office in Rabat.

## Pick up from the airport:

If You choose to arrive directly in Rabat Airport, we can arrange someone to pick you up for 200 dirhams, otherwise the meeting point will be Rabat Vi I le Train Station.

- To get to the Rabat vile Train Station from the airport you can take the bus

right outside the airport for 20 dirhams and it will leave you in front of the train

station. With a taxi, it should cost you about 200 dirhams (price negotiable).

- If you arrive in any other airport of the country, you will be able to reach Rabat

by train, check the timetable and connections on [www.oncf.ma](http://www.oncf.ma)

## Registration:

The registration will be completed during the first week of arrival.

## Monitoring:

Each volunteer is allocated a LTV Coordinator on his/her arrival who is a staff of CSM and he/she supports the volunteer, and monitors the progress during their voluntary service through monitoring visits, LTV Cultural Meet, one to one sessions, emails, phone calls, reports etc.

## Projects:

Following the orientation week, volunteers will join their respective projects in different locations, depending on the placement.

## Final evaluation:

Volunteers are expected to complete and submit a Final Feedback report and Final Evaluation report at the end of their volunteering program. This details their work, progress, problems, solutions and suggestions for future volunteers and CSM Morocco. This report acts as a future resource and reference documents for new volunteers and enables CSM Morocco to further develop and improve the

A group of people are sitting in a circle on a wooden floor in a room. They appear to be engaged in a discussion or meeting. The room has white walls and a glass door in the background. The people are dressed in casual to semi-formal attire. A blue circular graphic with a white outline is overlaid on the bottom left of the image, containing the text "Application Procedure:".

Application  
Procedure:

## Application:

In the section below, titled “LTV/MTV Project Information”, the details about the different fields of work that are available through our program have been provided. Volunteers are requested to go through them carefully and consider wherein most of their interest lies. A minimum of three fields of work as choices are requested from all the applicants in order of preference in their application form. Also required is a Motivation letter accurately describing themselves, their skills and interests, past work experience, strengths and weaknesses etc. This information assists us to match the project and the volunteer as accurately as possible.

## Placements:

After the application is accepted from the Sending organizations, the placement of project is organized on an individual basis, according to the preferences the volunteer has stated in his/her application form. It is therefore very important that volunteers are specific about their interests, experience and project choices in the application form. CSM Morocco will place volunteers on a “first come - first serve” basis and therefore some projects may get filled up sooner. If a volunteer’s first project choice is unavailable, we will offer his/her second or third choice, or ask them to apply at a later date when a place is available.

## Please note:

We at CSM Morocco try our best to place a volunteer in their first choice for field of preference; however, we cannot guarantee it every time owing to a lot of factors that we have to consider like: availability of spots, time duration, distance etc. Changes to project placements and hosting accommodation is only considered under special circumstances, but not before we are sure that the volunteers made sufficient effort to adapt and overcome initial challenges. Therefore, all the participants are requested to make significant efforts to stay in their assigned placement for a minimum of one month before changing to a new placement. In our opinion it takes a minimum of a month’s time to adapt to a long- term project and new surroundings.



*Orientation*

The schedule is flexible but the Orientation usually contains the following: The LMTV Program Introduction: Topics include - Aims of the program, Way of working, Finances, Reporting and Documentation, Rules and Expected behavior. Morocco: Topics include - Culture, Religion, Habits, Customs, History, Geography, Social issues etc.

## *Language Skills:*

Morocco has 2 official languages, Arabic and Tamazight and Moroccan Arabic known as Darija is the spoken native. We will start with teaching Darija classes. Do not forget that English and French is widely spoken throughout the country. However, we urge the volunteers to learn and speak the local language, as it will open more doors for them.

## *Safety:*

Topics include Health, Women safety, Travel guidelines, introduction.

## *Projects: Includes*

An overview of the projects of CSM Morocco and an explanation and presentation of the volunteer's particular placement. There will also be Project visits, where volunteer's will have the opportunity to conduct activities as a group and meet current volunteers in other projects who can share their experiences.

## Life in the Host Family:

We will provide an opportunity to all volunteers to meet some of our Host Families who will share their past experience of hosting volunteers and also to clarify any questions volunteers may have about living with a Moroccan Host Family.

## Local sightseeing:

Meeting people will make you feel right at home. Therefore, we will provide volunteers the opportunity to visit market places, Moroccan families and natural sites in groups or individually during their free time.

## Intercultural Session:

All volunteers are requested to bring items from their home such as photos, music, food, handicrafts, etc. that will help them present their country and culture to other volunteers as well as to the local youth and your Host Family.

## Information's:

Lots of new and interesting things will be introduced during sessions.

## How volunteer should and should not behave:

There are some simple rules, which can help volunteers have a smooth integration with each other and with the local people. This will also help overcome the culture shock!

## Group games and discussions:

This methodology adopted during the orientation week, aims at turning the theoretical sessions as dynamic and participatory as possible.

## Costs Involved:

CSM Morocco is a non-profit organization and does not depend on any public or external funding and all costs are sustained through the participation fees from volunteers. Therefore, volunteers are expected to pay the participation fee mentioned below besides all their personal costs needed to come to Morocco (travel / visa / vaccinations etc.). We work only with local organizations that need our support.

### The Participation cost is 350 euro

Remember that the participation fee is non-refundable. Volunteers are therefore requested to carefully consider the duration of their program while applying.

- ♣ If a volunteer has applied for more than three months, only the first three months' fee is collected in the beginning.
- ♣ If a volunteer has applied for less than three months, the entire participation fee is collected in the beginning.
- ♣ The participation fee will be collected only for a full month and it is not possible to apply for half a month.
- ♣ The Participation fee will be collected from the volunteers during the first three days of the orientation. The amount will be collected Moroccan dirhams or in euro.

## Transport:

- All our project is located in the capital of Morocco Rabat, so it is accessible via Taxi, Tram or Train.
- If you choose to arrive directly at Rabat Airport, we can arrange someone to pick you up for 150 dirhams, otherwise the meeting point will be Rabat Ville Train Station.
- To get to the Rabat Ville Train Station from the airport you can take the bus right outside the gate for 20 dirhams; it will leave you in front of the train station. With a taxi, it should cost you about 200 dirhams (price negotiable).
- If you arrive in any other airport of the country, you will be able to reach Rabat by train. Check the timetable and connections on [www.oncf.ma](http://www.oncf.ma)
- Once you have your flights details please pass them by e-mail to your interlocutor so you can arrange with him/her the meeting point.
- The info sheet will be sent to you by e-mail 3 weeks' prior departure.

## Please note:

The orientation its only for volunteers that apply from 3 Month to one year.



# Visa Requirements Registration:

## *Visa Requirements*

Please Note that according to the new Visa Regulations, volunteers coming from Europe to Morocco don't need a visa but they are allowed to stay only 90 days

- CSM will try to extend your visa one week before the ended of your 90 days.
- CSM will provide the document needed for it.



MLTV PROJECT  
INFORMATION

The following section provides an overview of the LMTV Projects available from December 2021 - December 2022. In this section you will find details about the type of projects that you can volunteer in. Please Read these carefully before applying.

CODE	NAME
<b>MLTV01 SPECIAL NEEDS PROJECT</b>	
MLTV01 A	AMSAT Association Marocaine de Soutien et d'aide aux personnes trisomiques
MLTV01 B	Children Welfare Center Lalla Meryem
MLTV01 C	AMSEI (Moroccan Association of Support for Non-adapted Children)
MLTV01 D	HADAF
MLTV01 E	Disability and Solidarity Centre Annour
<b>MLTV02 SCHOLAR SUPPORT</b>	
MLTV02 A	SCHOLAR SUPPORT RABAT CASABLANCA OR SALE
MLTV02 B	KENDERGARDEN
<b>MLTV03 Marocain Wumen Forum</b>	
MLTV03 A	Voluntary Work at AMEJ
MLTV03 B	JOSSOUR FFM (Moroccan Women Forum)
<b>MLTV04 Volunteer for immigrants' integration</b>	
MLTV04 A	Immigrants intégration
<b>MLTV05 Elder People</b>	
MLTV05 A	CSPA (Social Center for Elderly People)
<b>MLTV06 Médical and Heath</b>	
MLTV06 A	Hospital in the children's department (pediatric department).



Working with people/children who deal with different forms of various forms of physical or intellectual challenges can be quite a demanding task for anyone. However, despite the challenges they never lack in terms of spirit and enthusiasm and working along with them can bring you a lot of joy and give a lot of life learning experiences.



## VOLUNTEER TASKS

- We believe volunteers can be huge change-makers in such projects by participating and bringing joy in lives of these children, and help the NGO to bring some structure changes in their daily lives and prepare them for adulthood.
- Involve in maintenance and gardening work, prepare and serve meals, cleaning and providing company.
- A creative approach to work is useful and you will have the opportunity to initiate new mini projects or activities. A flexible approach to the work with to be prepared to undertake multiple tasks is very necessary to work in these projects.

## The association carries out its activity through:

- Welcoming, listening, informing and guiding children with Down Syndrome and their families.
- Promoting co-education approaches and orientation towards self determination.
- Helping families and young people to build an individual life plan.
- Offering individual projects.
- Working for social integration at all levels: family, school, work, sports and culture.
- Implementing all that may be necessary to the physical, intellectual and moral development of the persons with Down syndrome, in accordance with their aspirations.
- Defending and promoting the social integration of people with Down Syndrome



# MLTV01 B LALA MERYEM



The center Lalla Meryem is part of the Moroccan League for the protection of children. They host orphan children from their birth until the age of 6 years old. Some mothers bring them and leave them there because of their personal situations and the children stay there until the center finds the right host family for them. They also host some children that people found abandoned in the street and took them to the center. Those who are handicapped often stay there until they die and the center takes care of them until then.

They can host up to 200 children, although there are currently 123, among them 50 are handicapped. They suffer from IMC, trisomy 21 or down syndrome, motor handicaps - some of them are in wheelchairs - or mental disabilities that keeps them from having a normal life, like autism.

They all benefit from specialized social workers and doctors who work in the center to provide them the right assistance.

The orphans in the center benefit from a social, medical and educational follow-up in Rabat public and private schools (their education starts at the age of 3 years old, before that there are nurses in the school who feed them and take care of their general needs).

## VOLUNTEER TASKS

Help them with everyday life tasks: taking showers, taking them for a walk, preparing their meals, etc. Social workers are here to carry out these tasks. They are specialized in particular disabilities: how they affect them, how they are treated and what to do in any case.

With the orphans:

- Procedures of adoption
- Circumcision
- Feed the babies
- Organize outdoors activities



## Aims of the project:

The objective of this project is to give priority to the quality of life of disabled and innocent children and help them fulfill their destiny and achieve great things in the future.

diversified range of activities and take charge of their medical needs.

AMSEI also put in place “integrated classes” in partnership with public schools where they provide individual support to kids that are able to attend regular classes.

Concrete activities of the association:

- Organize educative, sportive, artistic, manual and cultural activities with the children.
- Life council and regular meetings with the families to orient the kids toward adapted activities.
- Medical support and follow-up of the children.

The children are divided into 4 age groups: 4 to 7, 8 to 11, 12 to 16, 17 to 20.

- With the younger groups, the main focus is personal development, socialization and scholar integration.
- With the oldest groups, the main focus is the development of lucrative activities and socio-professional integration.
- With the kids who suffer from heavy and cumulated disabilities, the main focus is the development of their sensorial skills and autonomy and socialization skills.



The AMSEI association opened a center called AL BASMA where they welcome children from 4 to 20 years old during the day, propose them a diversified range of activities and take charge of their medical needs.

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### *Aims of the project:*

The objective of this project is to provide children with heavy disabilities and important integration difficulties with personalized educative and medical follow up in order to help them build their own life project and have a life as ordinary and autonomous as possible.

## VOLUNTEER TASKS

- About 6 hours of work per day from Monday to Friday
- Take care of the children and accompany them in their daily tasks.
- Assist the realization of leisure activities (educative, sportive, artistic activities, etc.)
- Help in the kitchen
- Provide scholar support in a creative way (with games, songs, etc.)

If the volunteers have any knowledge and/or interest in the matter, they can assist the paramedical staff.

NOTE: Due the school and national holiday the project will be close

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Hadaf is an associative socio-professional center designed for young people presenting mild mental disorders whether they have been previously followed by a medico-pedagogic institute or not. Its main goal is to offer them a comfortable environment ideal for their personal development and professional insertion .

The center currently hosts about 80 young people and has a staff of about 20 members. The center works tightly with the families and presents itself as a place where the young, the families and the professionals can meet and discuss and share. The facilities are modern and environment friendly.

The Hadaf center offers an individual follow-up for each young disabled person and orients him or her to specific trainings/workshops that suits him/her best. They propose artistic workshops and professional training (for example in restoration). They often expose and sell products made by the young persons to foster their professional initiative and motivation and the profits can be used to improve the propositions of the center .

## VOLUNTEER TASKS

- From 4 to 8 hours of work per day from Monday to Friday
- Participate in the everyday running of the association
- The volunteers can ask to work on any of the different activities and sections of the association, and if they express any preferences they will be oriented to where there is need of extra hands.
- Assist the realization of leisure activities and workshops

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## Aims of the project:

The objective of this project is to provide people suffering mental disorders a comfortable environment and offer them perspective of personal development and professional insertion.



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The orphans in the center benefit from a social, medical and educational follow-up in Rabat public and private schools (their education starts at the age of 3 years old, before that there are nurses in the school who feed them and take care of their general needs).



## Aims of the project:

The objective of this project is to provide people suffering mental disorders a comfortable environment and offer them perspective of personal development and professional insertion.

## VOLUNTEER TASKS

Mainly:

- Organize leisure activities for disabled children and young people
- Accompany them in their daily tasks.
- Motivate the children to participate in diversified activities.
- Take part in music and arts activities
- Provide basic language support. The center is open to suggestions from the volunteers: English, French, Spanish, etc. All will be very basic level.
- Take part in creative leisure activities like sports, sometimes outside the center.

It is also possible to develop additional offers.

They can of course participate in all the project activities described above.

The volunteers will be working with the people in charge of the center and with teachers and animators who take care of mentally handicapped people. They will be attended by the team and by a special tutor.

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The volunteers will teach the children come from families with low economic resources therefore the volunteers will be able to observe and appreciate their everyday life habits and culture through practical and social involvement and feel like they are actually making a change for these kids as they will pass on to them important skills for their future on a personal and academic perspective. Moreover, by working with national volunteers, they will have the chance to get involved in the Moroccan community not only at the youth centre but also outside of work.

## *Aims of the project:*

The aim of this project is to provide free scholar support in mathematique physique and linguistic reinforcement to children and young people currently attending school or university. In Morocco's public schools, the deliverance of language classes is compromised by many factors such as crowded classrooms and lack of trained teacher due to an overall low education level especially when it comes to English. Private summer lessons are of course available but too expansive for most families. This project offers the most disadvantaged students the opportunity to achieve a higher academic level.

## *VOLUNTEER TASKS*

- Prepare lessons
- Teach children and young adults
- Organize leisure activities

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## MLTV02 B KINDERGARTEN



Volunteers will work with children who come from families with low economic resources; therefore, the volunteers will be able to observe and appreciate their everyday life habits and culture through practical and social involvement and feel like they are actually making a change for these kids as they pass on important skills for each child's future both on a personal and academic level. Moreover, by working with national volunteers, they will have the chance to get involved in the Moroccan community not only at the kindergarten but also outside of work.

Activities:

- Scholar support
- Sport activities
- Cultural activities
- Work camps
- Seminars
- Excursions

### *Aims of the project:*

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### **VOLUNTEER TASKS**

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Activities:

- Scholar support
- Prepare lessons
- Teach children
- Sport activities

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## MLTVO3 A AMEJ



This association wants to offer annual formation and management trainings from which of youth get benefit. It organizes various weekly activities for women in different branches. Since 1961, the association has organized summer meeting for its friends – Grownups – AMEJ organizes nationwide and symposium, lectures and shows all throughout the year. It also organizes cultural, technical and formation and training, as well as daily and seasonal trips to some parts of Morocco the organization work with women and support them the volunteers will also attend some activities with women like cooking classes, informatique.

### *VOLUNTEER TASKS*

The main work for the volunteers will be in the association, schools to support women. This support includes planning and doing little games or songs with the children and teaching language for women, or for example helping with the common lunch. If asked, the volunteer can also help to organize the little actions outside.

### *Aims of the project:*

First of all, this work is for making the stay of the children as pleasant as possible. This includes little actions like doing handicrafts, singing songs together, playing games or sometimes even just listening and give them love and care. As well as organizing summer camps, and weekly activities with the aim of educating and forming youth. AMEJ covers all cites and regions in Morocco.



Jossour FFM is a Moroccan association that fights for women equality and women empowering. Their wish is to strengthen the concept of citizenship and women rights in developing societies especially North Africans. In 2014, the association was granted the status of ECOSOC consultant for its efforts and realizations in favor of women rights in Morocco. Since then, Jossour FFM can therefore participate in UN sessions and meetings and discuss its preoccupation with the international community.

The main objectives of this association are:

- Offering alphabetization and foreign language education
- Opening the debate on women's rights
- Giving media coverage to women
- Raising awareness among the community
- Training the new generation on advocacy strategies
- Producing researches and publications of women's questions on a national and international scale

### *Aims of the project:*

The objective of this project is to promote women's rights and women empowering through the education of the citizens and the valorization of women. The association provides training and legal advice for women and holds conferences and several manifestations to discuss and advocate women's rights.

Since the creation of their Centre of Citizenship in 1995, 2160 women benefitted from their training programs. In the center, the association proposes 2 different levels of alphabetization courses in partnership with Ministry of National Education and Professional Training, workshops about citizenship and equality (civic, social, politic, economic and professional) values and round tables about the Family Code, advocacy strategies, the Constitution, etc. The center also organizes visits of public institutions for the members, and the last Friday of every month, experts, lawyers, militants and coaches are invited to discuss citizenship .

The center is about to start a new project financed by the APEFE called "Minajliki" that will implement cycles of social entrepreneurship training for women.

## **VOLUNTEER TASKS**

- From 4 to 8 hours of work per day from Monday to Friday
- Participate in the everyday running of the association
- The volunteers will have to translate project organizing meeting of the association, and if they express any preferences they will be oriented to where there is need of extra hands.
- Assist the realization of leisure activities and workshops



Geographically and figuratively speaking, Morocco is the “Door of Europe”. Each year many immigrants and refugees from southern countries of Africa arrive illegally in the country and frequently get stuck for a while in bad living conditions. National programs exist to offer them educational, professional and cultural support reflecting the tradition of solidarity and hospitality that characterizes Morocco.

The international volunteers will work as a team with the national volunteers; therefore, they will be able to observe and discover not only the immigrants’ way of life but also Moroccans’ habits and culture through practical and social involvement. This kind of project is usually very rewarding on a personal level for the volunteers because if their implication is genuine, they will rapidly feel they are making a real change in the lives of the refugees whose only chance to get access to a better education is this type of program. By working closely with national volunteers, the international ones will have the opportunity to quickly develop ties with locals and get involved in the community not only at work but outside as well.

Foundation Orient-Occident (FOO) is a Moroccan non-profit organization recognized of public utility. Intellectually and practically conceived as a bridge between the two shores of the Mediterranean, its mission is to come towards the difficulties of migrants, refugees and the disadvantaged youth, and to promote employability by setting up socio-educational and professional training centers. Foundation Orient-Occident also works for the protection of diversity, and for the valorization of all cultures. Nowadays the Foundation is present in several Moroccan cities, namely Rabat, Oujda, Casablanca, Larache, Safi, Youssoufia and Khouribga and in Italy. In addition, the Foundation carries out advocacy work at the international level, particularly in the framework of its participation to global meetings such as the World Economic Forum.

## VOLUNTEER TASKS

- Non-formal teaching of French, English, basic math for the youngest, etc.
- Take part and/or organize sport activities and recreation programs.
- Promote the diversity of cultural expressions (try to organize once every 2 weeks a cultural activity)

The volunteers will be able to take part in all the other activities that CSM and the national volunteers are already carrying out with immigrants and refugees (especially children and teenagers) in a center in Rabat that we have rented for that purpose.

## *Aims of the project:*

Given the chance to immigrants and refugees currently in Morocco to master basic skills and improve their communication skills in order to encourage their integration and make it more likely for them to find a job.



This elder people home hosts about 40 elders (60 and +) and offers them accommodation, restoration, medical follow-up and protection.

Actions:

- Organize different activities in order to encourage social cohesion and integration.
- Provide them with legal assistance/council.
- Give orientation advice and help the development of lucrative activities.
- Rise awareness about elder's mendicancy

Ambitions:

- Extend the project to another poverty-stricken region
- Create a "Regional observatory of elder people precariousness" and develop a database and monograph of elder people assistance

By working in this center, the international volunteers will be in contact with many locals and will have the opportunity to get to know Moroccan's habits and ways of life and get involved in the community at work as well as on their spare-time.



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### **VOLUNTEER TASKS**

- About 4 to 8 hours of work per day from Monday to Friday
- Take care of the elder people and accompany them in their daily tasks.
- Assist the realization of leisure activities and workshops

If the volunteers have any knowledge and/or interest in the matter, they can assist the paramedical staff.

## MLTV06 A HOSPITAL CHILDREN



This association wants to offer partly seriously ill children a psychological help besides their medical treatment. With their work, existing out of love and care, they want to help the children to achieve their convalescence faster. Because only in an environment where the children feel well, they can get well. The hospital cannot do this alone, so this association can offer the children and their families special psychological support.

First of all, this work is for making the stay of the children as pleasant as possible. This includes little actions like doing handicrafts, singing songs together, playing games or sometimes even just listening and give them love and care. Every Friday the children, their families and the workers enjoy couscous together. Sometimes this association organizes even different actions, for example a big breakfast and donate clothes in a woman's prison. They also make an effort in medical care for refugees.

### VOLUNTEER TASKS

The main work for the volunteers will be in the hospital to support the therapists. This support includes planning and doing little games or songs with the children, or for example helping with the common lunch. If asked, the volunteer can also help to organize the little actions outside the hospital.

### Aims of the project:

Your instructors are not only knowledgeable, they're part of the communities you explore. Their local connections make it easy to help you learn through authentic hands-on moment, in whatever field you choose.



*Accommodation for  
volunteers*

Volunteers will be placed in host families. Further information will be given in due time.

## Host family

- Living with host family could be an experience of a life time.
  - It's an experience for anyone who want to learn and experience a different culture.
  - Develop an understanding of why the culture is the way it is.
  - Host family help you interact with the local community which increases your chances of making friends and contacts.
- You should be willing to become a part of your host family with the same right that is:
- You should be prepared to help with the daily household clean your room-help prepare meals or clean the dishes.
  - You are required to participate in family activities show interest in the family function and celebrations help in the kitchen and play with children.
  - You should also respect the timings refrain from smoking and consuming alcohol in the house

## CSM support

- Orientation on arrival
- Coordinator/mentor help you in any case
- A contact person to assist you in your project
- Transportation reimbursement from accommodation to your project
- Basic accommodation and food in host family
- Evaluation meeting
- An experience certificate at the end of the program
- An opportunity to engage within a program term to formally attest your participation

## Know more about CSM



### *what is it CSM?*

CHANTIERS SOCIAUX MAROCAINS - CSM is a non-profit NGO. It was created in 10 October 1963 CSM is a network of 45 local groups in Morocco.

**OUR VISION:** Towards an inclusive society rich of volunteering culture and citizenship spirit

**OUR MISSIONS:** CHANTIERS SOCIAUX MAROCAINS – CSM works for: Awareness of the importance of volunteering and the need to its recognize and reinforce the values of citizenship and strengthen the capacity of the population to contribute to sustainable development.

### *What is CSM work camp conception?*

A work camp is a sort voluntary service. The participants in this activity try to work together for a common aim.

This means that all the participants must be actively involved in this service and be well motivated to do it.

A work camp is also an opportunity for young people to exchange experiences and to achieve an intercultural learning process so as to build a word of peace and mutual understanding.

The work greatly varies from one project to the other. It normally involves Construction work in remote educative, social and cultural establishments, nature conservation work, and restoration of historical monuments, bricks molding, health and Aids awareness campaigns, sanitation projects such as digging water wells and erecting Blair toilets. The communities may ask us to perform other specific tasks outside the scope of our agreement. This is seen as a way of promoting intercultural understanding.

CSM organize s some special projects such: Cultural program- Language Teaching- Easter Camp- Summer camps- Medium/Long term Program

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### *network and collaboration*

