



Homework Helper

House of Hope
3301 South Grant
Englewood, CO 80113
(303) 762-9525

Key Responsibilities

- Assist staff by helping children with homework.
- Demonstrate positive social skills, provide attention to individual children and provide guidance on academic assignments.
- Meet with supervisor for supervision as needed; communicate needs and concerns as they arise.
- Adhere to shelter rules, policies and procedures.
- Be on time for scheduled shift or call supervisor.
- Provide one-on-one attention to individual children.
- Demonstrate positive social skills to residents.

Initial Impact

- House of Hope residents will receive premier service and be connected with the best Family Tree staff member to meet their needs.

Sustained Outcome

- Homework Helpers will demonstrate the value of effective volunteer engagement and attract additional volunteers that can help build Family Tree's capacity.
- This role will help staff to fulfill strategic priorities.

Training & Support

- We ask each volunteer to attend the following trainings led by Family Tree experts: Volunteer Orientation, Domestic Violence Symposium and Homelessness 101.
- Homework Helper will have additional training from the staff.

Commitment

Volunteers are expected to be available for six months. Must be available one week day or more per week during the school year from 5:15-6pm.

Qualifications

- Completion of volunteer orientation and approved background check.
- Desire and ability to work with children.
- Ability to work within chaotic environment - patience a must.
- Provide positive role modeling for children.
- Maintenance of confidentiality.

Benefits

- Becoming part of the Family Tree team, providing solutions for families in crisis to become safe, strong and self-reliant.
- Work experience to enhance the strength of your resume.
- On-going support, supervision and recognition.
- Opportunity to be considered for employment with Family Tree.

Getting Started

If you are interested in this position, please email Erika Nelson, Director of Volunteer Services at enelson@thefamilytree.org.