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The America-Taiwan International Correspondence Program
美國-台灣國際交流計劃

Volunteer Application Form: https://forms.gle/RcrfPsNXhcAgFPPt7

Summary:
We need 5 volunteering high school students for a light and easy online program lasting a bit under 2 months (although it should take around 8 hours of work) to help public elementary students in Taiwan read English children's books and provide support for the children's English skills. Each volunteer will be provided one unique book designated to themselves, and will need to manage and provide feedback to the students assigned with that book. The elementary school will provide 10 volunteer hours for each volunteer.

Volunteer Requirements:
(1) A high school student living in the U.S.
(2) Skills in reading, communicating, and writing with children

Volunteer Details:
- Volunteers will be teaching a total of 22 fifth grade students through online chats and meetings
- Volunteers will each be provided one unique book that they will need to have read by the time the program starts, and will need to provide feedback to the students that have been assigned to that book (4-5 students per volunteer)
- Volunteers will be communicating with the students primarily through SeeSaw, a learning platform app, and will be assigned a student teacher role over the students in that class. Volunteers will be invited to join the class as a student teacher before the program starts (recommended that volunteers take some time getting used to SeeSaw).
- Volunteers will also be using Google Meet in the beginnings of the program to meet and interact with the students

Volunteer Schedule:

Orientation (Google Meet)	30 mins	April 23 2024 5:00-5:30pm PST	Volunteers introduce themselves to teachers and discuss the program.
Google Meet #1	40 mins	April 30 2024 5:00-5:40pm PST	Students will introduce themselves. Volunteers will need to give oral feedback and introduce themselves in English. Also will introduce the SDGs books. https://drive.google.com/file/d/1FVeC_6FOLho0CN1iyOgkliMEqbnc25Gv/view?usp=drivesdk
Providing Feedback #1 （SeeSaw)	40 mins	Before May 5 2024 11:59pm PST	Students will post their homework online to SeeSaw. Volunteers will need to reply to 5-6 students' posts.
Providing Feedback #2 (SeeSaw)	40 mins	Before May 19 2024 11:59pm PST	Students will post their homework online to SeeSaw. Volunteers will need to reply to 5-6 students' posts.
Providing Feedback #3 (SeeSaw)	40 mins	Before May 26 2024 11:59pm PST	Students will post their homework online to SeeSaw. Volunteers will need to reply to 5-6 students' posts.
Providing Feedback #4 (SeeSaw)	40 mins	Before Jun 2 2024 11:59pm PST	Students will post their homework online to SeeSaw. Volunteers will need to reply to 5-6 students' posts.
Providing Feedback #5 (SeeSaw)	40 mins	Before Jun 9 2024 11:59pm PST	Students will post their homework online to SeeSaw. Volunteers will need to reply to 5-6 students' posts.
Google Meet #2	40 mins	Jun 11 2024 5:00-5:40pm PST	Students will present their thoughts on the book they're reading. Volunteers will need to provide oral feedback in English. Volunteers will need to have read their assigned book in advance. https://drive.google.com/file/d/1kBHzYF3HKgiSMCG_JGF9_KlG9jFQRXQ0/view?usp=drivesdk

Providing Feedback #6 (SeeSaw)	40 mins	Before Jun 16 2024 11:59pm PST	Students will post their final opinions of the book online to SeeSaw. Volunteers will need to reply to assigned students' posts.

Additional Info:
- Books will be related to the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (more about SDGs here).
- They will also need to be in English around a 3rd grade level. (SDGs books list is here)
- Name list is here