Swinburne University

VOLUNTEER PLACEMENT
INDIA 2014

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WHO ARE ANTIPS?

• Australian owned – started 20 years ago
• Sydney based head office
• Educational Travel
• 30 developing countries – in depth experience in each
• Over 2,000 teams & over 20,000 students
• Highest quality safety & support
• Provide pre-departure training & support
WHAT WE DO!

• Meaningful education travel

School Expeditions

GapBreak

UniBreak

Our aim: to develop Australian students
OVERVIEW:

**What:** A volunteer placement in Delhi, India working alongside and with local NGO’s who specialise in Women’s Empowerment and working with street children.

**Why:** Provide Swinburne University students with a unique cultural immersion and volunteer experience in a challenging setting. Allowing students to give back in their summer holidays as well as add value to their CV.

**Dates:** 30 Nov – 20 Dec 2014

**Cost:** $3,990

equity scholarships of $3,750 available
INCLUSIONS:

• International flights and taxes ex Melbourne
• Airport transfers
• Transport on the ground
• Orientation
• Accommodation
• Most meals
• Pre-organised placement
• Sightseeing – Taj Mahal, Jaipur
• Pre-departure preparation
• 24 hour support – India and Australia
INDIA:

• Population over 1 Billion in India
• Worlds largest democracy
• Over population crux of many problems
• Delhi (the capital) has 17 Million – 2nd most populated city in the world
• India is a rich cultural setting full of diverse characters, colours and sounds
• It’s an assault on the senses!
STUDENT INVOLVEMENT:

The placement may include work on the following projects:

- Teaching English, sports and arts and crafts at a shelter for street children
- Working alongside local carers at a women’s empowerment centre – running adult literacy classes, computer training and income generating activities
- Cultural immersion & interaction with community
MEALS & ACCOMMODATION:

• Students will stay in a local guesthouse
• Twin/triple share
• Western style bathrooms
• 3 meals a day provided
• Lots of rice, curries, vegetables, some chicken, chapattis, eggs, and plenty of Dhal Baht
• Can cater to dietary requirements
WHY DO IT?

• Give back to community in India
• Add value to CV
• Immerse yourself in beautiful culture
• Travel as Swinburne team
BOOK NOW!

• Expressions of interest due by Monday 1st September to Hayley Urane @ Swinburne:

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• Booking forms & deposit due to Antipodeans Abroad late September
QUESTIONS?

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