



Educational Tours



MEANINGFUL. SUSTAINABLE. UNFORGETTABLE.

Just a short distance northwest of the mighty Mount Kilimanjaro lies the Arusha region, where you will spend the majority of your service work while in Tanzania. There, you'll work with locals to build and restore the region's overcrowded and outdated schools, providing more children than ever with the chance to learn. You'll also get the opportunity to travel to Lake Manyara Park for the chance to see the "Big 5" game animals.

20

Estimated service hours

YOUR SERVICE PROJECT THEMES

We work with the award-winning charity Free The Children to better understand the needs of each community and then focus projects on those issues. Themes include:

- Education
- Health
- Clean Water and Sanitation
- Alternative Income and Livelihood
- Agriculture and Food Security

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT IN TANZANIA

11-14 days, estimated 20 service hours, 25 with extension

What to expect on this Service Learning Tour

MEANINGFUL SERVICE

Working side by side with locals, you'll gain insight into the challenges they face and build lasting solutions to help empower the community.

Projects include:

- Assisting with library construction and building and restoring projects in school communities so local students have a safe place to learn
- Digging latrines and building hand-washing stations

CULTURAL IMMERSION

Live near the communities you serve—celebrating customs and forming lasting connections with locals.

Activities include:

- Experiencing a village water walk and meeting with locals
- Participating in Swahili language lessons
- Playing local sports and games with the community
- Beading with village "Mamas"

LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT

Your Field Director takes your global service experience even further, developing and strengthening leadership skills through activities and workshops.

Exercises include:

- Investigating global issues, exploring social justice and building leadership skills
- Contextualizing the day's events through thoughtful discussion and group dialogue
- Reflective journaling to deepen the service experience



Students working to install water pipelines



African elephants taking in the sunset





Students erecting infrastructure for water

11-DAY ITINERARY

Day 1: Fly overnight to Kilimanjaro

Day 2: Arrive in Kilimanjaro

Meet your Field Director at the airport and transfer to your accommodations.

Day 3: Travel to the Free The Children Community

Transfer to the Arusha Region where your service project will take place.

- Participate in a community orientation and safety overview.

Days 4–7: Service project—Free The Children Community

As communities evolve so do their needs. That's why we work closely with Free The Children to better understand the local challenges. Since projects are determined closer to your actual tour date, here's a glimpse at what a day might look like.

- Each morning you'll practice Swahili.
- Work side by side with locals to build or restore schools.
- Participate in activities that acknowledge local culture like water walks and talks with locals.
- Evenings are a chance to reflect, discuss events as a group, and draw connections between the day's work and relevant global issues.

Day 8: Safari day

- Go on a safari for the chance to see the "Big 5" game animals, along with giraffes, zebras, warthogs, gazelles and hyenas.
- Travel back to the Free The Children Community.

Day 9: Service project—Free The Children Community

Continue working on your service project.

Day 10: Transfer to Kilimanjaro

- Enjoy a local meal before transferring to the airport.

Day 11: Arrive home

☛ Days 10-14: Free The Children Community

- Extend your service project in the Free The Children Community, and get ready to create your own change when you return home.



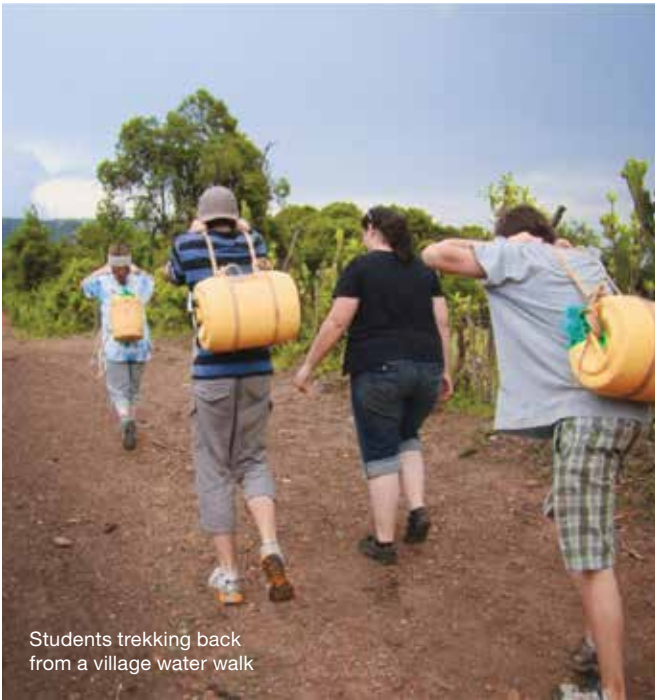
LOCAL INSIGHT AND SUPPORT

Your Field Director deepens your connection to the land, people and culture. With local perspective on community challenges and skilled training in service leadership, they'll provide insight and global context, as they:

- Lead skill-building workshops and meaningful group reflections
- Facilitate group orientation and safety training
- Handle all on-tour details, from meals to transportation



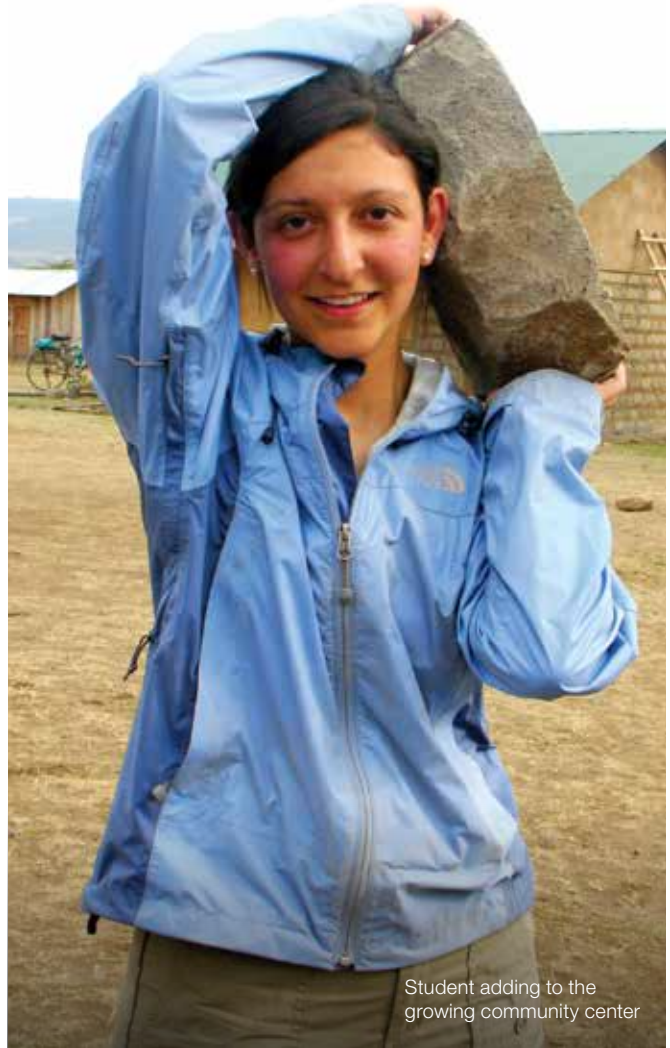
Everything you get: 8 overnight stays or 11 with extension; Round-trip flights on major carriers; Daily breakfast, lunch and dinner; Local ground transportation; Full-time Field Director; Sustainable service project with Free The Children; Service hours; Sightseeing tours led by expert guides



Students trekking back from a village water walk



Experience a safari at Lake Manyara National Park, a lush paradise teeming with wildlife



Student adding to the growing community center

Your partners in global education

EF EDUCATIONAL TOURS

For over 50 years, EF has worked with educators across the world to help millions of students become citizens of the world through one global mission: Opening the World Through Education. With more than 500 schools and offices in over 50 countries, our staff can respond in person wherever you are, 24 hours a day. We're also an accredited educational institution, offering students the option to earn high school and college credit.

ME TO WE

ME to WE is an innovative social enterprise that provides people with better choices for a better world. It measures the bottom line—not by annual dollars earned, but by the number of lives changed and the positive social and environmental impact made. Half of ME to WE's annual net profit is donated to the Free The Children charity, and the remainder is reinvested to further the social mission of their enterprise.

START PLANNING

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