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Volunteer Abroad Nepal



- + Programs with complete culture immersion, Himalaya treks
- + Experienced staff and host families, and a variety of service projects
- + Nearly 500 happy volunteers in the last 5 years
- + Best Pricing and value: programs start at \$899

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Volunteer in Nepal: Conservation Project

Project: Conservation

Start dates: 1st and 3rd Monday of each month

Departure and End Point: Tribhubhan Airport, Kathmandu

Language Requirement: None

Accommodation and meals: Host family and local food for three meals a day

Activities: Mostly Nursery work and care of seedlings

Working hours: 25-35 hours per week

About Nepal

The tiny Himalayan kingdom of Nepal is a panorama of unparalleled beauty and geographical diversity. Only in Nepal can adventure-seeking travelers raft through white waters of the valley's swift rivers, trek along snowy, mountainous trails, or ride through lush foliage on the backs of immense jungle elephants. Our Nepal Program offers volunteers a wide range of adventure while opening their hearts to the country's hospitable people.

In Nepal, we offer comprehensive volunteer programs which are comprised of three phases:



Phase I Language and Cultural Immersion Program (Two weeks - Optional)

Phase II Volunteer Project (1-12 weeks)

Phase III- Himalayan Treks (8-15 days)

Phase I: Language and Cultural Immersion Program (2 weeks) (optional)

Global Crossroad's Nepal volunteer experience starts with two weeks of language and cultural program in the vibrant city of Kathmandu. You may choose to take the Language and Cultural Immersion Program or go directly into a volunteer project. In the program, you will taste ethnic Nepali life, allowing you to adapt to the culture in a informed and relaxed way. Activities feature language and culture classes, informative lectures, inspiring visits to cultural and religious sites in Kathmandu, and exhilarating village hiking. The second week takes volunteers to a rural village for an authentic home stay experience - not found in the usual tourist guides. Finally, volunteers travel to Royal Chitwan National Park to take part in a memorable jungle safari, learn traditional dances, and further explore the mystery of Nepal—all at a remarkably low price.

Learn more about the program at: <http://globalcrossroad.com/nepal/culturelanguage.php>

Phase II: Volunteer Work in the Conservation Project (1-12 weeks)

Nepal's natural resources—particularly its forests—deteriorate more each day due to the nation's high dependency on the income from these resources. Global Crossroad's Conservation Project aims to support the conservation efforts of Nepalese by offering free tree seedlings and volunteers for planting, preserving, and nurturing the surrounding environment.

Role of the Volunteer

Our conservation nursery project is located in the rural village of Chitwan. As a volunteer in Nepal, you will prepare nursery beds, sow seeds, weed, trim, prune, and thin various indigenous tree species. The planted seedlings grown and nurtured by our volunteers are later distributed at no charge to villages in other parts of Nepal. Depending on the season, additional tasks may include planting, collecting seeds, replanting, eliminating diseased trees, and taking inventory of fauna and flora.

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Volunteers can get involved in any of following activities:

- Collecting the seeds, and placing them in the right order
- Planting
- Creating fences around the conservation areas and nurseries
- Watering the plants
- Weeding, mulching and sowing
- Landscaping, transplanting
- Searching for seedlings, seedling bed building
- Running conservation and environment awareness classes for the local community people in co-ordination with local staff

Phase III: Himalayan Treks and Adventure travels (Optional)

At the end or middle of the volunteer project, Global Crossroad organizes Himalayan trek programs. We have partnered with reputed travel agencies in Nepal to offer discounted tour packages for our volunteers only. Now, volunteers wanting to make a difference in Nepal can also take part in a variety of treks exploring these Himalayan regions of legend. This DISCOUNTED SPECIAL PRICE is only available for volunteers joining Global Crossroad Nepal volunteer program.

Everest Base Camp Trek (15 days)

Annapurna Base Camp Trek (14 days)

Cross Nepal: Kathmandu – Chitwan – Pokhara – Chitwan – Pokhara (8 days)

Poon Hill Trek (9 days)

Check out the details of the treks at:

http://www.globalcrossroad.com/trek/everest_trek_nepal.php



Program Fee per Week

- 1 week : \$899
- 2 Week: \$999
- 3 week : \$1099
- 4 Week: \$1132
- 5 week : \$1165
- 6 Week: \$1198
- 7 week : \$1231
- 8 Week: \$1264
- 9 week : \$1297
- 10 Week: \$1330
- 11 week : \$1363
- 12 Week: \$1394

- Language and Culture program: Only \$399
- Everest Base Camp Trek (15 days) – only \$499
- Annapurna Base Camp Trek (14 days) – only \$399
- Cross Nepal: Kathmandu – Chitwan – Pokhara – Chitwan – Pokhara (8 days) – only \$399
- Poon Hill Trek (9 days) – Only \$349

You can find out more about this fee by visiting this website: <http://www.globalcrossroad.com/nepalprogramfee.php>

Fee Covers

- Airport reception
- One way transfer to office/hostel
- One way transfer to the project
- Accommodation (host family/hostel)
- Food (local food 3 times a day)
- Travel Insurance
- Services of local field staff

Fee Does Not Cover

- Airport drop-off
- Daily transportation (from accommodation to project)
- Bottled water, soft drinks
- Visa and visa extension fee
- Entry fee (of any kind of travel)
- Other personal expenses

** This information is generic - it may change according to the situation in the field. Please visit our web site for updated information and prices: <http://www.globalcrossroad.com/nepal>*