



## Vishvet Volunteer Guide (VVG) Program

**Vishvet Foundation (VF)** volunteer guides are student, professionals, house wives and artists who enjoy working with people are open-minded and believe deeply in the value of cross-cultural exchange. They are located throughout the Ahmedabad and act as a local guide for our foreign guests who want to participate in Indian festivals.

VVG are responsible for engaging foreign guests from around the world to have a historical and cultural visit to Ahmedabad City during festive season. As Gujarat celebrates almost all festivals of India with joy and harmony so foreigners will need you to understand the culture of India. You can place your availability and we will assign you a foreign guest to take him to see the local site of festive celebration.

### Who can become a Vishvet Volunteer Guide?

- **Age:** 18 years and above
- **Young graduates** have zeal to make difference by doing part time social work.
- **Students** of studying foreign language courses
- **Teachers** associated with a school
- **House wives** are having good knowledge of local city.
- **Retired persons** can spend time to use their experience.
- **Social workers** are who enjoys working at ground level.
- **Working professionals** are genuinely interested in building network of people.

### The Role of Vishvet Volunteer Guide

Vishvet Foundation (VF) shares a deep belief in the value of cross-cultural exchange. **Volunteer Guide** enjoys working with foreign participants and key to the success of the VF programs. Every one of the responsibilities listed below is an important function of the Volunteer Guide position:

- Serving as a spokesperson of Vishvet Foundation for intercultural exchange and actively participate in all festivals throughout the year.
- Establishing relationships with foreign guests and understanding their country's culture.
- Foreign guests can ask you to make a small tour to city for site seeing as well so prepare yourself with all knowledge of city.
- Participate in a program orientation prior your volunteer work to know the festival and city knowledge.
- Conduct orientations for foreign guests who want to travel with you.
- Provide support and supervision to foreign guests during their stay in Ahmedabad.

## Required Skills

- Efficient **People** Management
- Excellent **Communication** skills in English
- Knowledge of any **foreign language** will get advantage
- Good Knowledge of **history** of India, Gujarat and Ahmedabad
- Good knowledge of **city places** of food, shopping, historical monuments etc.
- Good knowledge of **festivals** and know how to celebrate particular festival
- Dynamic **Personality**

## You can make difference

- Spread Awareness about Vishvet programs and events
- Make relationship with foreign people associates with different professions
- Become a Host Family for Long term or Short term to host foreign participant
- Get sponsorship or get involved in a local event managed by Vishvet Foundation
- Spread our rich Indian culture to the world and contribute in world peace

## Financials

- We are not charging any fee or very minimum fee as per the assignment from foreign guests for providing this service
- It is a self interest volunteer service without any payment or low payment to Volunteers
- There will be a financial benefits involved if foreign guests get ready to make a donation for longer period of service from a volunteer
- Certificate/Acknowledgement of Volunteer work from Vishvet foundation
- You will be a part of Vishvet Scholarship in outbound program to other country.
- No permanent allowance

## Long term relation with Vishvet Foundation

- First orientation with program kit at Head office Ahmedabad.
- All inquiries will be transfer to you as per your availability for participation.
- Get marketing and promotion benefits of Vishvet programs in your community.
- Get update with all new program information in regular interval.
- You will be our spoke person to participants in other programs.
- You can be a part of interstate exchange programs.
- You will get a chance to be designated in future with Vishvet on fix payroll.

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