

# Tur Cos Ta Posibel



European Solidarity Corps  
Volunteering project

## Social Work Project

### The project

Tur Cos Ta Posibel collaborates with different social welfare organisations on Aruba: KIA (the national prison), EPB College, Funari and Sonrisa, organisations who work with physical and mentally disabled people of different ages and Sticing Hunto, a reality that supports people undergoing drug/ alcohol rehabilitation.

Social work volunteers will support the 'added value work in these institutions', working alongside core staff and volunteers to support clients, often by using sport, art, dance and yoga. Volunteers will plan and deliver the here mentioned activities in accordance with their skills, knowledge and interest.

In addition to this work Tur Cos Ta Posibel supports other local community groups, that are not strictly social welfare organisations ; there is an element of social welfare to our work supporting children, young people and their families experiencing social issues.

### Accommodation and meals

Volunteers will live in a shared house with other international participants. Rooms will be shared for volunteer groups and long-term ESC volunteers will either have an individual room or a room shared with one other participant.

Volunteers will receive a weekly food allowance as well as a general kitty to be able to buy

food and household necessities either individually or as a group.

The accommodation is well located, 5 minutes walk from a local beach and with all the appliances and equipment needed for self catering and learning to cook the local food.

There is a shared car and 4 bikes which can be used by volunteers.



### For the project. volunteers need to be ...

- We are looking for volunteers with an interest in supporting individuals from disadvantage backgrounds and communities and those who are struggling to manage their own life.
- Initiative, Empathy, some Spanish language skills

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## The project place

Pos Chiquito where trainees live is a local community towards the south of the island, serviced with a supermarket, laundrette, snack-van and DIY stores for household necessities. There is a lovely beach just over 5 minutes' walk, a local beach bar (frequented by locals not tourists) and three restaurants in walking distance.

The main tourist attractions are in the North of the island around Palm Beach and Noord where there is also a large supermarket (Superfoods) worth the drive for a large weekly shop. The capital Oranjestad is a 15 minute drive or 20 minutes on the bus. The airport is situated 10 minutes from the accommodation.

## Location



## The country



Capital: Oranjestad

Official language: Papiamentu Papiamentu, Dutch, Spanish, English

Climate: Hot and windy 28 degrees most days can experience heavy rain but temperature rairly drops

Currency: Aruban Florins or US Dollars



## Learn some Papiamentu:

<b>Bon Dia</b>	Hello
<b>Ayo</b>	Goodbye
<b>Masha Danki</b>	Thank You very much ...
<b>Hopi Bon</b>	Very good / Well done...
<b>Dushi</b>	Sweet / Delicious
<b>Con ta bai?</b>	How are you?
<b>Bon, danki</b>	Fine, thank you
<b>Te majan</b>	See you tomorrow
<b>Awa por fabor</b>	Water please...
<b>Na bo ordo</b>	You're welcome
<b>Dushi</b>	Sweet / Delicious

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