



BELIZE SITE VISIT + PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

January 3-7, 2024 | July 21-25, 2024

Join teachers from across the country as our Program Director and In-Country Team engage you in rewarding community service projects, cultural learning activities, and educational workshops in Belize. The program includes all airfare, food, lodging, transport and advertised activities.

Take advantage of the opportunity for professional development while experiencing the rewards of our international volunteer programs and return home with a sense of confidence and purpose to promote a future Squads Abroad program!

SAMPLE PROGRAM ITINERARY

DAY 1: BELIZE CITY ARRIVAL, ORIENTATION & EXPLORATION

- Faculty travel to Belize City where they are greeted by our staff at the airport and transported 2 hours to a hotel in the Stann Creek or Cayo District.
- Welcome dinner and orientation with Country Director and In-Country Team.

DAY 2&3: VISIT PARTNER COMMUNITIES, MEET LOCAL MEDICAL PROFESSIONALS + EXPERIENCE BELIZE

- Breakfast & Professional Development Workshops at the hotel. Meet local medical professionals to learn about our work and how you can get involved.
- Enjoy a delicious lunch!
- Visit partner communities in rural districts of Belize where access to healthcare is limited. Get introduced to local culture and understand the health and social environment of the country.
- Dinner and Evening Presentations and Reflections





DAY 4: VISIT LOCAL TOURIST SITES INCLUDING MAYAN RUINS AND BEACH TRIP

- Explore local historical sites such as Mayan Ruins as well as nearby tourists sites including a visit to the beach

DAY 5: PROGRAM CLOSURE AND BELIZE DEPARTURE

- Final closing meeting and reflection
- Transport provided from hotel to the airport
- Faculty are welcome to stay in Belize and travel at their own expense if they choose



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FAQS

Who is invited on a Site Visit?

Any High School faculty, administrators, and/or adult club leaders from across the country who are interested in and serious about offering a Squads Abroad volunteer travel program at their school in the future!

Where do we stay during a Site Visit?

Faculty stay in our nice partner 'homebase' hotel facilities throughout the program. Double rooms with private bath are provided by default and options to upgrade to individual rooms are provided upon availability at our facilities.

Is there a cost to participate in an international Site Visit?

The Professional Development Fee of \$1350 includes airfare (up to \$1000) and all in-country expenses including food, lodging, transport, and advertised activities. Professional Development Fees are made in the form of a 'donation' to our 501c3 non-profit on behalf of the registered participant.

Contact us to request further supporting documentation to cover the Professional Development Fee through school and departmental budgets.

NEXT STEPS TO JOIN:

- 1. Register:** Please fill out the [Site Visit Registration Form](#) to confirm your attendance.
- 2. Submit Professional Development Fee:** Following registration, you will receive an email with a link to submit the \$1350 per faculty member
- 3. Book Your Flight:** After receiving your Registration & Fee, we connect you with our travel team to book your flight and provide pre-Site Visit materials and pre-program training



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