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**VOLUNTEERS FOR BETTER EDUCATION**

Volunteering for education is the best way to learn about fascinating places, cultures and traditions while you opt to teach as a volunteer in a beautiful place like Kashmir, this is your chance to engage in a unique cultural exchange and make an impact, your invaluable contribution will certainly make a big difference in the life of students aspiring for quality education.

The Collectorate office in District Kupwara (Kashmir) under the guidance of District Magistrate, **Rajeev Ranjan, IAS**, is enduring to improve the Quality of Education in the Govt. schools, the Administration has planned to adopt a peer learning approach, wherein the volunteers (teachers, college students, working professionals, members associated with NGOs/ civil society etc) can opt to spend their summer vacations in Kashmir and can come up with their own modules to teach the students in the primary and upper primary schools.

The trained professionals working in Education sector may be asked to train the teachers in the District as well, we do not expect the volunteers to stick to the syllabus but a general curriculum shall be followed.

We look forward to volunteers who can spend atleast ten days in the district and can teach the subjects like English, Maths and Science. The volunteers programme shall be open for all from 01-06-2015.

The Prime Minister's Rural Development Fellow (PMRDF) in the District shall be facilitator for this programme and all the volunteers shall be getting a certificate and a letter of appreciation depending upon their performance.

The District Administration will provide all the necessary support within the District.

To become a volunteer send us a short note about yourself, your interests and how you can help us. (Please mention the dates when you want to join the programme)

Write to: [shahiedchouhan@gmail.com](mailto:shahiedchouhan@gmail.com)

*Beside there are popular tourist destinations which the volunteers can explore in the District, like Lolab Valley (the most beautiful valley in the entire Kashmir) Bungus valley (For trekkers, the most beautiful meadow, It blossoms with wild flowers and the highest golf course in the world is planned here), Khirbhawani Temple (mela is held at the temple every year and there is a sacred spring near the temple).*

Sincerely,

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PMRDF  
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