

Youth Development Program Volunteer

Hernández After School Program,
61 School Street
Roxbury, MA 02119

Hours/Volunteer Capacity: Part Time: 3:15pm-6:15pm M-F (hours/days are flexible)

Description: The After School Program at the Rafael Hernández Two-Way Bilingual School provides enrichment and academic opportunities for children in K1 - 8th grade throughout the school year. It provides a safe, nurturing, and productive place for children to learn and grow. The program partners with parents, school day staff, outside organizations and community members to inspire and support our students.

Do you want to learn more about working with youth and building positive relationships with our future leaders? As a volunteer in the After School program, you would have the opportunity to work with young people alongside our staff assisting daily programming like homework help, yoga, drumming, robotics, and running club.

Responsibilities:

- Assist with After School Programming at least one hour/week
- Ensure the safety and engagement of young people between ages 5 and 14 who attend program activities
- Assist with field trips
- Provide homework support and encourage academic progress
- Maintain professional attitude and appearance
- Treat children with dignity and respect at all times
- Attend to additional responsibilities/tasks given by the Coordinator/Director

Qualifications:

- Desire to work hard and show initiative
- Ability to act as a role model to youth
- Prefer some previous experience working with young people
- Prefer fluency in English and Spanish, but not required

To Apply: If you would like to apply, please send an email to katie@friendsofthehernandez or call Katie LaScaleia, Hernández After School Program Fellow, at 617-635-8187 ext. 121. You will fill out an application form, as well as complete a CORI background check, have a copy of your ID taken, and attend an in-person training at the school.