

Are you working with children as part of your volunteer programme?

If so, would you like to deliver valuable health and safety training to children and gain a health and safety qualification for yourself?

Projects Abroad is partnering with the British Safety Council to teach basic health and safety awareness to children in developing countries.



## How it works

Volunteers will be invited to a training day at the British Safety Council (BSC) in London\* where they will be given a health and safety briefing and take the examination leading to the BSC Level 1 Certificate in Health and Safety at Work, a nationally-recognised qualification in health and safety.

Volunteers will be briefed on how to deliver basic health and safety awareness training to children in developing countries and will be provided with a teaching pack.

Volunteers will teach health and safety as part of their programme and, where possible, help the children achieve the BSC Entry Level Award in Workplace Hazard Awareness, a formal qualification which is already available in UK schools.

\*The BSC will pay volunteers' travel expenses and, where necessary, arrange overnight accommodation.

### Benefits to the Children

- Helps keep them healthy and safe at home, at school and in the workplace
- Increased self-esteem of gaining a qualification
- Increased use of language skills to complete the assessment

### Benefits to the Volunteer

- A nationally-recognised qualification in health and safety
- A formal element to the volunteer teaching programme
- Responsibility for communicating the health and safety message overseas

**To find out more and to reserve a place at a training day, please contact Catherine Cormack at the British Safety Council on 020 8600 1033; e-mail: [examinations@britsafe.org](mailto:examinations@britsafe.org)**