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“He who opens a school door, closes a prison.”
~Victor Hugo

Information Brochure for Teachers



If you wish to join African Legend, please send us an email or call us and we will send you a registration form. Once received, email/fax back to us together with your timetable and we will arrange a meeting with you.

We can't wait to welcome you at African Legend!

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Today's help is tomorrow's future

Voluntary Teachers

Dear Legend,

Thank you for your interest in our organization. We hope to welcome you soon as a voluntary teacher at African Legend.

African Legend is a registered non-profit organization designed to perpetuate knowledge, skills, and life experience from educated legends to future generations. We wish to play a key role in inspiring and educating underprivileged youth, facilitating the link between legends and learners.

The linkage between our team members as legends and youth is of indispensable value and results from the African proverb, "When an old man dies, a library burns." Just as libraries connect the past and the present to the future, oral histories of a community's elders extend the legacies of these individuals to generations yet unborn. They are a source of wisdom and experience that need not be lost when they are no longer with us. To channel their wealth of wisdom and experience to younger generations is African Legend's aim. However, we also believe that regardless of age and gender, every individual has a story to tell and a lesson to teach, if we provide avenues through which their wisdom and experiences can be shared.

Your knowledge and skills sets are of uncountable value to those less fortunate, who need your helping hand to reach their dreams of a sustainable life.

The primary focus of our education program is to significantly improve the quality of education available to deprived students in Cape Town, through extra classes, experiments and practical application.

Extra Class programs cover a range of subjects and are designed in line with learners' needs. In the past 3 years, our team has provided extra classes in the Du Noon community and Vista High school in Bo Kaap, focusing on Maths, Physical Science, Biology, Business Studies, Accounting and English. We pride ourselves on the positive impact noticed in these communities.

We always strive to improve our Extra Class program and now offer practical, hands on Physics and Maths' Experiments at the Central Library in Cape Town.



We understand and appreciate that everyone's time is precious and want to ensure that your contribution is most effective and efficient. Hence, we typically work in line with the Western Cape school curriculum for each subject and have evaluation systems in place to ensure successful outcomes for both tutors and students.

You decide what subject(s) you want to teach. What was your favorite subject at school? In what areas lie your talent and passion? Let us know what subject (s) you want to teach and your available time during the week or weekend, and we will incorporate you into our program accordingly. We currently offer extra classes primarily on Saturday between 9h00 and 12h00 but would like to offer classes during the week as well.

Make a difference in our children's lives – JOIN US NOW!!

Next Steps

Once you've decided to volunteer in our extra class program you will need to choose one or more subjects that you would like to tutor and design your own year's subject plan based on the curriculum and student's needs. The plan should entail the topics that you will be covering in each class throughout the year. We will of course assist you and provide the curriculum and share our experience.



2013 School Terms & Public Holidays

Below find an overview of the school terms & public holidays to provide you with a guideline for your extra class schedule. Please enter the days that you would be available for 2013 on the back of this brochure so that we can implement it in our extra class schedule.

School terms – Western Cape

First Term: 11 Jan – 23 Mar	Second Term: 10 Apr – 22 June	Third Term: 16 Jul – 28 Sep	Fourth Term: 9 Oct – 10 Dec
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Public Holidays

Human Rights Day	21 March	Thu
Good Friday	29 March	Fri
Family day	1 April	Mon
Freedom Day	27 April	Sat
Worker's Day	1 May	Wed
Youth Day	16 June	Sun
National Women's Day	9 August	Fri
Heritage Day	24 September	Tue
Day of Reconciliation	16 December	Mon