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Volunteer Tutor
East Colfax Youth Center
Youth Empowerment Team

ECDC's African Community Center's (ACC) East Colfax Youth Center (ECYC) is seeking **Volunteer Tutors** to make a difference in the lives of refugee and immigrant youth by providing weekly, one-on-one tutoring throughout the school year. As part of our *Youth Empowerment Team*, you'll support ACC as we strive to help refugees rebuild safe, sustainable lives in Denver, CO. You'll help this youth community shape a bright future for themselves and their families.



Tutoring services are offered at the **East Colfax Youth Center**, located within **Mango House** at **10180 E. Colfax Ave, Aurora, CO 80010**.

Commitment: January 13th - May 14th; one evening/week (Mon - Thurs): ECYC is open from 4-7:30 p.m. on these evenings. Tutors are welcome for the entire evening, but are only required to be present from 5:30-7:30 p.m.

What you'll do:

- **Tutor** humanities or STEM subjects to a diverse group of 14 – 24 year-old students with varying skill sets, language capabilities, and backgrounds at our [after-school youth program](#).
- **Be a part of building** a safe, welcoming, inclusive, multicultural environment that represents the youth of the East Colfax neighborhood as well as the families that ACC works alongside.
- **Support** and **mentor** youth in academic, enrichment, and social activities; assist with activity supervision when appropriate.

What we'll provide:

- Support from the After-School Program Lead and Youth Program Specialist
- Camaraderie as a member of the Youth Empowerment Team
- Supplies and resources



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What you'll need:

- Some college
- Cultural humility and willingness to learn
- Strong interpersonal and communication skills
- Adaptable and flexible attitude
- Consistent and dependable work standards

You might also have (a.k.a. nice-to-haves):

- Teaching/tutoring experience
- Academic expertise, either in STEM subjects or the humanities
- Fluency in English and in one or more verbal and written languages of the local refugee population is preferred. Current priority languages include, but are not limited to: Spanish, Arabic, Somali, Kiswahili, Tigrinya, Dari, Pashto, Nepali, Burmese and dialects spoken in Burma (Karen, Kachin, Rohingya and others).

Ready to make a difference in the lives of refugees and immigrants in Denver? Take the first step at <http://www.acc-den.org/volunteer/>

About ECYC:

Vision, Mission, & Values

Guide. Grow. Thrive.

The East Colfax Youth Center offers multicultural connection, academic assistance, and life skills support to youth as they navigate their transition to adulthood.

RESPECT

We know we're not all the same, and we're proud of that. We choose to listen to each other, ask questions to increase our understanding, and give each other time and space when it is needed.

GROWTH

Life never stops moving forward, and neither do we. We are committed to trying new things, being hopeful, and not being held back by the possibility of failure.

LEARNING

Life is boring only if you are not paying close enough attention. We love ideas, exploration, and understanding how we are connected to ourselves, our families, our communities, our countries, and our world.

KINDNESS

Being kind to ourselves helps us learn to be kind to others. We value taking care of ourselves, encouraging others, not holding grudges, and learning to work together to create places of safety and love.