



## **EDUCATION VOLUNTEER**

### **OPPORTUNITY SUMMARY**

Volunteers in the Education Department assist teachers by tutoring individual students or by working with small groups in the classroom. Our students' needs range from basic literacy and numeracy to high school equivalency test preparation (GED or TASC test). Math tutors at all levels are especially in demand.

Volunteers are rewarded with the opportunity to work with adults who are anxious to succeed, who are receptive and grateful for volunteers' help.

### **PREFERRED BACKGROUND**

- Teaching or experience in education is a plus, but not required
- Comfort with the material, reading/writing or math is critical
- Sensitivity toward the population served by The Fortune Society and the ability to assist them without bias is necessary.

**Reports to:** Brittany Smith, Director of Education

**Location:** The Fortune Society's Long Island City office, 29-76 Northern Blvd. Long Island City, NY 11101.

**When:**

- Semesters run for 11 weeks, then a 2-week break, 4 times a year
- Classes are held mornings (10 AM to noon), afternoons (12:45 to 2:45PM)
- Volunteers should commit to a minimum of 2 hours/week during the 11-week semester

### **INTERESTED?**

Please click [here](#) to submit your information to the Volunteer Committee. We will get back to you as soon as possible.