



Arrupe Partnerships for Community-based Learning

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RIVER GLEN SCHOOL

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Organizational Profile

River Glen School is a public kindergarten through eighth grade school in the San Jose Unified School District. It is a magnet school with a Two-Way Immersion bilingual program in English and Spanish. This “additive bilingual” program means that all students learn a second language without compromising their first language. The school’s goal is to educate students who are bilingual and biliterate and enable them to meet the challenges of a global society. In the two-way immersion model, students get instruction predominantly in Spanish in the lower grades and increase the amount of time spent in English instruction as they move up the grades. The school serves 500+ students.

The All-Stars Program is an after-school homework, enrichment, and health and fitness program that serves both elementary and middle school children. This program serves approximately **120** students.

SCU Student’s Role

SCU students who choose this placement will participate in the after-school All-Star program. SCU students will be helping primarily elementary school (and, in some case, middle school) students with their homework during the first hour. During the second hour, the SCU student can choose to continue to help with homework or choose to participate in one of the co-curricular activities, i.e. basketball or board games, individually or in groups.

To Do Before Orientation

- Visit the website listed above to learn more about your placement or the umbrella organization with which it is affiliated.
- Read your course syllabus and be prepared to discuss your learning goals with your placement supervisor at orientation.
- Provide the Arrupe Partnerships with proof of a negative intradermal TB test within the last **four** years. If your TB test is not current, please go to the Cowell Health Center immediately to get a TB test at no cost.

To Do After Orientation

- Check the school calendar for holidays/school closures that may fall on your placement day. Arrupe students are expected to make up these days and arrange this with the supervisor or classroom teacher.