



## Art program volunteer

### Description

Volunteers will work with the artist, fellow volunteers, children, adolescents, and families. Groups will engage in various art forms in a community-based, multilingual, and transnational context, and providing students an unparalleled experience and valuable mentorship in community wellness and public health.

### Art and Culture at Puentes de Salud

Art contributes to the holistic mission of Puentes de Salud by promoting healing through expression and storytelling. [Puentes de Salud](#) serves the robust and rapidly growing Latino, specifically Mexican, immigrant community of South Philadelphia and enhances community health and wellness through an integrated approach to health, education, and empowerment. The [Art and Culture program](#) aims to empower and revitalize the Mexican community through the artistic exploration of immigration and social justice in the United States and Mexico. Participants learn to use different materials and techniques, including fabric, paper, drawing, painting, pasting, printing, beadwork, stitching, weaving, poetry, and song writing.

### Requirements

There are 4 volunteer positions available to undergraduate or graduate students. Experience with art is not required. Intermediate level of Spanish is preferred but not required.

**Hours:** 3-4 hours, Wednesday evenings 5pm-8pm with more hours possible if required by sending department or desired by student.

### Application

Applicants must submit a copy of a CV or resume along with a brief statement of interest that explains why they would like to work with the Art and Culture program in a leadership capacity. Students receiving credit, hours, or fulfilling any requirements must submit appropriate documentation. Please submit your application materials via email to Nora Litz: [art@puentesdesalud.org](mailto:art@puentesdesalud.org)

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