

CAPE TOWN PROJECTS

JULY - SEPTEMBER 2019



African Impact

38 VOLUNTEERS
1300 HOURS
12 NATIONALITIES

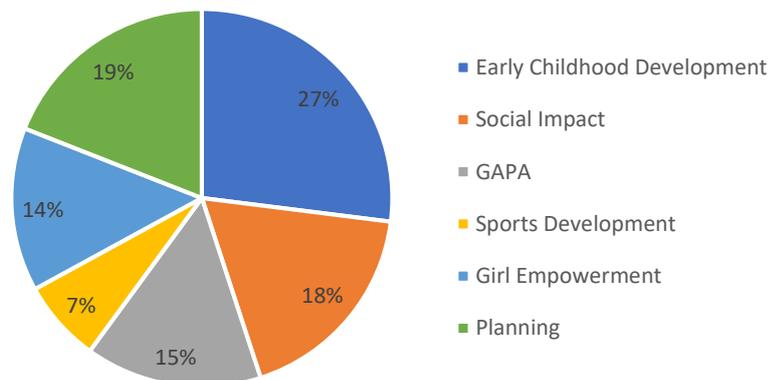


AVG TEMP:
15 °C



LANGUAGE LESSON:
"ncuma"
"SMILE" in Xhosa

HOURS SPENT VOLUNTEERING ON EACH ACTIVITY



What's New on the Ground?

- We repainted our lovely house, giving it a fresh and bright look to host our volunteers and interns!
- Glen, a past Sports volunteer, is now back all the way from Australia, as a Sports Coordinator!

GIRL IMPACT ACHIEVEMENTS

- We had the opportunity to welcome 2 interns at the same time who highly contributed to the development of the project by implementing a unique curriculum and giving us amazing feedback and input!
- We are so excited to initiate a new partnership with Ukhanyo Primary School in the community of Masiphumelele. About 20 Grade 7 boys and girls have the chance to participate in educational and fun gender-equality oriented activities implemented by our volunteers and interns!
- Our volunteers joined a unique photo exhibition showcasing our female empowerment project, as well as our partners', Girl Pride Africa and MOSAIC, gender-equality projects.

VIEW PROJECT



EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT HIGHLIGHTS

- During September, our Foundation hosted the second GAPA trip for 2019. This time, about 150 children and 50 grannies were exposed to contemporary art at the Norval Foundation, an art museum in Steenberg. The kids gained insight into various art exhibitions and were challenged in discussions about different elements of art and design using observation and their critical thinking and cognitive skills.
- We now have a new Social Work internship partner! MOSAIC works to prevent and reduce abuse and violence against women by providing services that seek to empower women to claim their rights, access healing services, and various opportunities to actively participate in society.
- Our volunteers successfully completed the assessments for our pre-school partner: 95% of the children identify at least 12 letters out of a sequence in English, 85% of the children could identify at least 3 basic shapes, and 90% of children could identify at least 5 basic colours!



SPORTS DEVELOPMENT ACIEVEMENTS

- Our partner, IKASI Soccer School, is now one of our Sports partners. We will continue empowering the young girls through sports, as women's soccer is a concrete sports element which volunteers embrace through the Sports and Coach Management project!
- We were happy to have a volleyball coach and a physical education teacher on board! They greatly assisted our sports partners by coaching the kids and introducing different techniques boosting their teamwork, leadership, and life skills!



"I spent two weeks with African impact in Cape Town coaching and can honestly say I had a great time. It was a fantastic experience and I certainly learned so much about South Africa during my time. The community partners, the African Impact team on the ground, and the other volunteers and interns all made it an incredible experience. I thoroughly enjoyed my time working in the schools and with the children - it has made me appreciate life in a different way".

Matt - Sports Coaching & Development Project

Until next time... THE CAPE TOWN TEAM

