

PROGRAMS TO VOLUNTEER AT MARANGU SCHOOL OF TOURISM AND VOCATIONAL TRAINING.

The school offers the following courses:

1. TOUR GUIDE.

Marangu School of Tourism and Vocational Training (MSTVT) was established in 2017 by a non-profit organization named Beatrice Foundation. The foundation established the Vocational School after seeing the dire situation of unemployment for the youth. Since the School is located in the northern part of Tanzania where there are many National Parks and mountain Kilimanjaro (The tallest mountain in Africa), so many tourists visit the area and so the need for Tour guides. Below the 2 pictures shows tour guide students climbing the mountain, and discussing about birds in Kilimanjaro forest.



2. CULINARY ARTS.

This is one of the departments at MSTVT where the students are taught on how to prepare and cook meals. After completion of the courses such students establish their own food stalls and become food caterers.



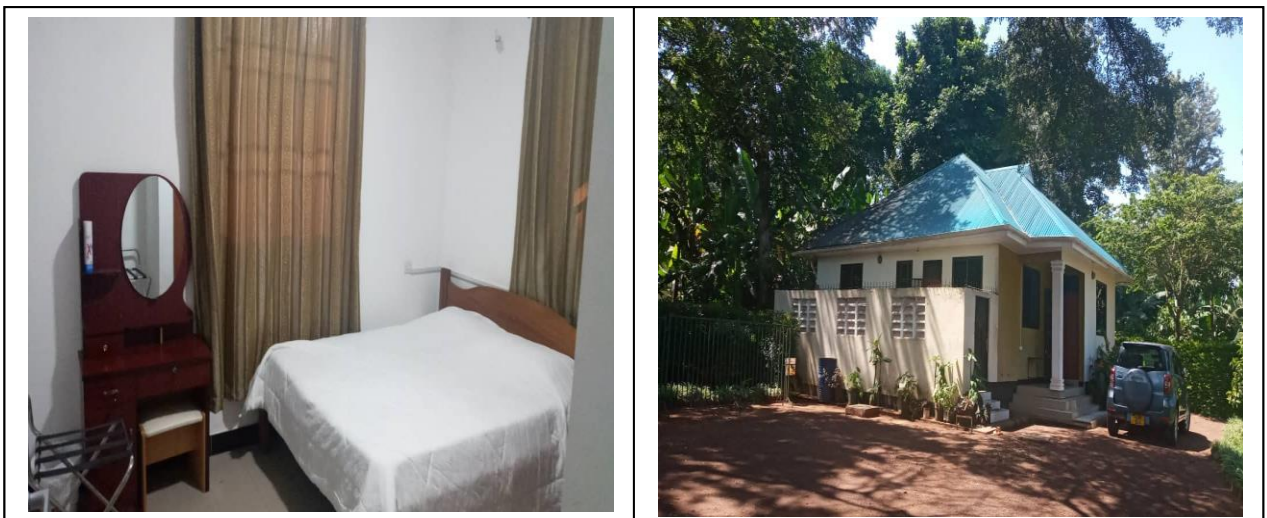
3. FOOD AND BEVERAGE SERVICES (FBS)

Another department at MSTVT. Teaches students on how to give services to customers at Restaurants, Celebrations, Hotels, Hospitals etc.



4. HOUSEKEEPING AND LAUNDRY.

These are services offered in Hotels, Hospitals etc. Students are taught on how to clean hotel rooms, washing clothes manually and by washing machines as well as ironing. Several graduates from MSTVT have been employed in Hotels in Kilimanjaro and Arusha regions working as Room Attendants and Housekeepers.



5. FRONT OFFICE OPERATIONS/RESERVATIONS

At MSTVT Students are taught on how to make reservations and bookings for Hotel rooms, Air tickets, Bus tickets, but also how to host guests. At MSTVT they learn on how to recruit students, invite and host parents.



6. TAILORING AND SEWING

Tailoring is a skill offered at MSTVT. Students who graduate from this course always have business or work to do. Repairing clients' clothes, stitching new clothes and also stitch uniforms for MSTVT students.



7. BEAUTY COSMETOLOGY AND HAIR THERAPY

This is the skill most preferred by girls anticipating that after graduation they can establish their own beauty studios.



8. ELECTRICAL INSTALLATION.



Most candidates express their desires to be good electrical technicians so that they can give service to the community.

9. COMPUTER APPLICATION

Though basic applications like Microsoft word, Excel, Power point etc. But is a skill most desired by young adults aspiring to become experts in digital processes.



10. MOTOR VEHICLE DRIVING.

MSTVT offers also motor vehicles driving lessons. Tour guide students prefer becoming tour guides who can drive. Below driving students listening to their instructor when he displayed an engine to them.



- Volunteers can also volunteer at Head quarter Dispensary, or Marangu Christian Hospital or Faraja Hospital in Himo.
- There is also an orphanage at Sembeti Church where they can meet orphans to teach or anything they feel helpful to the orphans.

- Volunteers can also work on the environment, teaching on climate change and the impact on the surroundings in Tanzania, Kilimanjaro and in the world. Can participate in planting trees.
- Volunteer can do cultural tourism by visiting the neighborhood and interact with community, see zero grazing of animals (cattles,pigs),can go and see places like Kotenu waterfalls, Kinuka Mori water falls, Ngaruma Chaga caves which were used during world war 2 by indigenous people in Marangu ward.

All the above can be done once per week or as she/he deems fit.