Boys and Girls Clubs of Chicago

The after-school hours are the most at-risk time for young people, especially in Chicago’s most economically challenged neighborhoods. Yet, even in these troubled communities, Boys & Girls Clubs of Chicago (BGCC) are standing proud with our doors and arms open wide to serve young people.

BGCC volunteers serve a critical role by motivating youth, ages 6-18, to reach their full potential as productive, responsible, and caring citizens. These caring adults spend quality time interacting with club members fostering a safe, fun environment centered on supportive relationships.

Daily programming varies by Club location but volunteers generally assist in the program areas of:

Character & Leadership
Education & Career
Health & Life Skills
The Arts
Fitness & Sports

Volunteers help with after school activities during the school year ranging from 2:30-7:30. Volunteers are asked to commit to two hours or more a week for a semester or academic year. Volunteer commitments that would include hosting a workshop or teaching a special skill to youth can be negotiated on a case-by-case basis.

Contact the Volunteer Coordinator to start the process of becoming a volunteer today.
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