



## Volunteer Application Form

Thank you for your interest in volunteering with Trócaire. Our volunteers support our work in schools outreach, parish outreach, campaigning and fundraising in Ireland. They make a vital contribution towards Trócaire's goal of raising awareness in Ireland of issues of poverty and injustice around the world.

Please note that currently our volunteer programme can only accept applications from over 18s. All volunteer opportunities are based in Ireland.

All information contained in this form will be treated as strictly confidential and subject to Trócaire's Data Protection and Privacy policy – see [trocaire.org/privacy-security](http://trocaire.org/privacy-security). Please complete all sections of the form to the best of your ability. Please type or complete in block capitals. Most of our communication with volunteers is via email, so please ensure that your email address is clearly printed on this form.

"Trócaire is committed to Safeguarding people within our programmes and activities from Exploitation and Abuse and has specific policies on this commitment (including a Global Code of Conduct). As representatives of Trócaire, volunteers are requested to sign Trócaire's Safeguarding Policies and Global Code of Conduct and agree to conduct themselves in accordance with the provisions of these documents. Trócaire applies a broad definition of safeguarding which centres on a requirement that all Trócaire representatives do not engage in behaviours that abuses or exploits others in any setting."

### Contact Details

Name

Address

Phone

Email

### Volunteer Roles

Please indicate with a 'tick' (✓) your interest in the below volunteer roles with Trócaire. Further information on each role is available on [trocaire.org/volunteer](http://trocaire.org/volunteer)

Schools outreach (school talks, presentations and workshops)

Campaigns and Activism

Awareness raising in your parish/community

Fundraising

Other (please specify)

### Motivation:

Please tell us why you would like to volunteer with Trócaire?

**Experience**

Please tell us about your education/work/voluntary experience to date, and what skills you have that you feel you could bring to your volunteer role?

What would you like to gain from the experience of volunteering with Trócaire?

Are you available to volunteer during the following times (please tick)?

Monday-Friday day times	
Monday-Friday evenings	
Weekends	

How did you hear about volunteering with Trócaire?

Do you have any support needs that you would like to share with us?

**If you are selected to volunteer with Trócaire, can you provide us with details of a referee?**

Please note that, in keeping with good safeguarding practice, we will specifically ask referees about your suitability to work with people who may be vulnerable to abuse or exploitation.

<b>Are you active in your parish, church community or in a local community group? Y/N</b>	
<b>If yes to the above, what parish or community group are you involved with?</b>	
<b>Signed</b>	<b>Date:</b>
<p>Other than volunteering information, from time to time we'd love to let you know how your support is having a positive impact on people's lives. You will also hear about other ways you can help people live their lives free from fear.</p> <p>Yes, I want to hear from Trócaire by:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Email</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Phone</p> <p>To opt out of receiving post, check this box: <input type="checkbox"/> Opt-out of post</p>	

**Please return this form via email to [volunteering@trocaire.org](mailto:volunteering@trocaire.org)**

We do our best to meet potential volunteers face to face. This will take place in Dublin, Cork, Galway, Limerick and Belfast.

Please note that all new volunteers are required to attend a face to face induction session where they can learn more about our work. Volunteers also attend one or two additional training sessions per year, depending on the activities they are involved in. Volunteering with Trócaire is very flexible and the amount of time you give to volunteering is entirely up to you.

**If you would like any more information on volunteering please email [volunteering@trocaire.org](mailto:volunteering@trocaire.org) or call any of our Trócaire offices**

Dublin: 01-8743875  
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Thank you again for your interest in volunteering with Trócaire!