

EXPERIENCE REPORT

Name: Tessa H.

Age: 20

Country: Germany

How long was you stay? 6 weeks

How did you become aware of this orphanage?

Over my organization called Karmalaya.

How was you stay in the orphanage?

It was a great time. I started my work in the orphanage during the time of the relocation in the new house. I tried to help wherever help was needed. The children and the family are all really nice. It was a lot of fun to play with the smaller children and help the big children in the house. I felt like in a big family.

What would you like to tell next volunteers?

In the first few day you see a lot of work and things you would like to change but i think its better to make a small list with only few points otherwise it can be demotivated if you don't create all the points. And it would be very helpful to be in contact with Christoph or Luisa, because they know the orphanage really good.

Was there anything you where not happy with ?

Sometimes the people in the orphanage didn't know when new volunteers arrived so it was not possible for them to make a little welcome. It would be easier if the organization informed the orphanage before they send new volunteers.