



**SERVICE  
LEARNING**

# GUATEMALA





## SERVICE LEARNING IN GUATEMALA

This faculty-led program offers students the chance to make a positive impact through service learning, cultural exchange, and community work. In Vuelta Grande, students teach English to children (ages 3–13) at FUNCOLI's Learning Center and help build dry latrines and ecological stoves to support health and the environment.

### What's Included

- Antigua to Vuelta Grande (9 days/8 nights)
- Cultural excursions and field trips with local, bilingual guides
- Service learning experience
- Accommodation in a 3-star hotel in Antigua (twin or triple rooms) and the Antigua Mountain Lodges in Vuelta Grande (multi-bedded dorms for students, faculty in single rooms)
- Daily breakfast, welcome and farewell dinner in Antigua
- Full board in Vuelta Grande
- Local transportation by private bus
- Local on-site coordinator during all planned activities
- Gratuities for guides, drivers, and waiters
- Offsetting the emissions created on-site during the program

### Destination Overview

Guatemala is a vibrant Central American country known for its rich Maya heritage, colorful traditions, and stunning landscapes of volcanoes and highlands. The program is based between Antigua, a UNESCO-listed colonial city, and the rural community of Vuelta Grande, offering students a meaningful contrast between urban culture and indigenous village life.

### About FUNCOLI

Fundación Corazones Libres (FUNCOLI) is a Guatemala-based non-profit focused on improving education, health, infrastructure, living conditions, and community development in indigenous Maya communities. Since 2013, CEPA Foundation has partnered with FUNCOLI to fund and support a learning center.



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