



## Our Involvement

In 2004, Whitefriars began working directly in Timor-Leste.

During this time we have helped establish a solar electric system in Zumalai; been involved with a clean water system; provided scholarships for boys, girls and adults over the years in the area of further education, as well as providing trade skills.

In more recent years, Whitefriars has purchased a truck that is used daily to transport crops and other essential materials.

Since Whitefriars immersion with Timor-Leste we have sent over twenty six staff members of the Whitefriars community, both staff and students donate their time and skills to educate and enrich the lives of the Timorese.

In addition to the human hours donated to the people of Timor-Leste, Whitefriars has also contributed over \$400,000.



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## What Is This?

Whitefriars is offering an immersion experience for two former Whitefriars College students to live and work with the Carmelites in Timor-Leste for three months.

## What Would I Do?

The people of Timor-Leste want to learn to speak English. What you do naturally is something you can exchange with the Timorese.

Computers are away of life for us and the Timorese are interested in developing their skills in this area.

Share better ways to understand health and environment practices, which are unknown to many of the Timorese and by doing so you can help the Timorese to improve their lives.

## What is expected of me?

To qualify for this program, you must be:

1. Between the ages of 18 and 21
2. Have successfully completed your education at Whitefriars College
3. Free and willing to make a three month commitment to work and live in Timor-Leste
4. Willing to work and live in a Carmelite community and respect their lifestyle
5. Willing to abide by the spirit of the immersion program
6. Demonstrate social and cross-cultural sensitivity
7. Willing to serve as an ambassador of Whitefriars College and Australia
8. Able to complete a screening process prior to selection
9. Eligible to get a visa to live in Timor-Leste
10. Able to provide a *Working with Children* card.

## What Will Whitefriars Provide?

- A round trip ticket from Melbourne to Dili
- Room and board in a Carmelite Community
- \$100 (US) per month to cover other expenses.

## What Am I Expected to Provide?

1. Travel and health insurance
2. Cover any expenses above the \$100 (US) per month
3. Secure necessary medications and inoculations needed.