

#### **VOLUNTEER POLICY**

## 1. Purpose

This policy provides a clear framework for recruiting, engaging, and supporting volunteers who contribute to the mission and values of CCSDO. It ensures that all volunteers feel respected, safe, and motivated.

### 2. Scope

Applies to all individuals working on a voluntary basis—full-time, part-time, short-term, remote, or field-based—under CCSDO programs or initiatives.

## 3. Principles of Volunteering

- Volunteering is always a choice, not forced or paid employment
- Volunteers work without monetary compensation
- Mutual respect, dignity, and equal opportunity are fundamental
- Volunteers are ambassadors of CCSDO's values and ethics

## 4. Recruitment & Onboarding

- Volunteers may be recruited through online campaigns, workshops, schools, colleges, and community outreach
- All volunteers must:
  - Submit a Volunteer Application Form
  - Provide valid ID proof
  - Attend an orientation session
  - Sign a Volunteer Agreement

# 5. Roles & Responsibilities

Volunteers may be involved in:

- POSH awareness programs
- CSR outreach and fundraising
- Mobile School Cart / Library
- Social media campaigns
- Data collection, surveys, and events
- Community engagement or fieldwork

Roles will be assigned based on interest, skills, and project needs.

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#### 6. Code of Conduct

#### Volunteers must:

- Treat everyone with respect, especially children and vulnerable individuals
- Maintain confidentiality and dignity
- Avoid political or religious promotion while volunteering
- Follow instructions from coordinators and report any concerns
- Wear CCSDO identity badge (if provided) during fieldwork

## 7. Training & Support

- Volunteers will receive initial and project-specific training
- Regular meetings and updates will be held
- Coordinators will provide guidance and resolve queries

## 8. Recognition & Certification

- Volunteers contributing meaningfully will receive:
  - Certificate of Appreciation
  - Access to workshops and leadership opportunities
  - Recognition on CCSDO social media and events
  - Option to become long-term ambassadors or mentors

## 9. Safety & Insurance

- CCSDO will take reasonable steps to ensure volunteer safety
- Volunteers must follow field safety protocols
- Insurance coverage, if applicable, will be informed during orientation

#### 10. Exit or Termination

- Volunteers may discontinue service at any time by informing the coordinator
- CCSDO reserves the right to discontinue the engagement if code of conduct is violated

## 11. Review of Policy

This policy will be reviewed annually based on feedback and organizational needs



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