

Volunteering - What is it?

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Many people who support refugees do so **voluntarily**. Often alongside official work, family and other commitments. In other words, they get **no money** for their work. The help they offer is **voluntary**. Please take this into account if the volunteer does not have time. That is why it is important to behave respectfully.

On the other hand, you also have to say if something is too much for you or if you want to do something on your own to learn to stand on your own two feet in Germany. Each person should respect the other and speak up if something is causing problems.

If you want to help others, you can also volunteer.

Anyone who wants to can volunteer. Also, in **sports clubs, cultural associations and mosque communities** most people work voluntarily.

Check with your city to find out how and when you can help.

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