

General Director



Opportunities

Are you interested in using your education administration background to impact the next generation of leaders? If so, consider serving as the general director of Asunción Christian Academy, a school in Paraguay whose purpose is to provide a quality Christian academic education.

Qualifications

It is preferred that applicants have a master's degree in education administration and some experience in international education and that they have served a minimum of two years in educational administration.

Language Requirements

The general director must speak English, and Spanish would be a great asset to their role.

Location

Asunción, Paraguay

Length of Service

- **Long-term: two or more years**

A general director is needed for a minimum of two years, but long-term help is preferred.

Ministry Description

Asunción Christian Academy, located in the capital city of Asunción, Paraguay, was started in 1958. The academy offers a Christian education to English-speaking missionary kids in pre-kindergarten through 12th grade.

Approximately 200 students are enrolled at the school each year. Students come from Paraguay and many different nations, including the U.S., Mexico, Colombia, Peru, Argentina, Brazil, Taiwan, Korea, Japan, China, Scotland, England, Holland, Germany, Belgium, and Canada.

Cause

- Education

Quick Facts

- Roman Catholicism is the official religion, followed by Mennonitism and Protestantism. Paraguay has one of the smallest percentages (3 to 4 percent) of evangelical Christians among South American countries.
- Guarani is an indigenous tongue unique to Paraguay. Spanish is spoken in business and in formal settings, but Guarani is spoken in the homes of nearly everyone. Guarani is also the name of the country's currency.
- As much a social tradition as a preferred drink, *tereré* (when the weather is hot) or *maté* (when temperatures are cool) are herb drinks sipped through a metal pipe with a filter on the end. The drink is passed from one person to the next with each person freely drinking from the same pipe.

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