Personal E-mail

Volunteering NSS Elective: Social Issues

Writing Sample

	To: Steven [stevenwawa@kmail.com]
	From: Thomas [thomashaha@kmail.com]
	Subject: Advice on Volunteering
C '	D. C.
Greeting	Dear Steven,
Opening	How've you been lately? I hope you're doing well. You know what!
paragraph	Two of my classmates and I participated in voluntary work last
	month. I know you've been keen on volunteering, so let me tell you
	what happened.
	11
Body	We took part in a campaign called, 'Projects Abroad', where we all
	became teachers to teach children English. To tell you the truth, I
	was a bit scared to go to India in the beginning. However, the
	moment when we arrived at the school, a warm welcome awaited us
	amongst the students there. We were responsible for teaching
	English grammar. For the correct intonation and pronunciation, it
	was the job for our leader, David, who is a native English speaker.
	There were only a blackboard and a piece of chalk in the classroom.
	The main resource I had was myself. The students always wanted to
	find out more about me. Therefore, I mostly taught them English
	grammar and vocabulary through explaining about where I live or
	my interests and hobbies at home.
	Interested? Trust me. It's great fun! You don't have to be a teacher
Closing	to volunteer on the project. There is no need to have relevant
paragraph	qualifications nor do you speak the local language of the destination
	you are going. The programme is open to all volunteers who are on
	a gap year or summer holiday. I'm definitely going again next
	summer, so do come and join me.
	Best,
Closing	Thomas