



**ANNUAL
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our story.

For the Nations: Refugee Outreach is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit founded in 2011 that serves refugees in the greater Dallas area. We are a Christian ministry focused on helping refugees through education and family services. Education provides job opportunities and quality of life and allows refugees to sustain their families in the USA as they are recovering from very difficult circumstances. During the education process, we explicitly and clearly share the truth of Jesus Christ.

MISSION

To provide educational and family services that help meet the practical needs of refugees and to share with them the gospel of Jesus Christ.

VISION

Over the last several years, we have developed high quality, effective educational programs and have shared the good news of Christ with many DFW area refugees. Our vision is to bring these proven programs to more and more of the area's large refugee population.

GOALS

- To teach English and literacy to children and adults
- To teach life skills to children and adults
- To help refugee families adapt to life in the US
- To connect refugees with the community
- To share the gospel with refugees
- To teach the Bible and the Christian faith to refugees

our services.

GOSPEL

We believe that the most important element of our ministry is sharing the hope we have in Christ. For the Nations incorporates the gospel message into everything we do. Gospel presentations and Bible lessons are a part of almost every program, event, meeting, and class... not once, but everyday. And we trust in God's promise that He will call all of His people faithfully to Himself: from every tribe, tongue, and nation. His message is not just for a few, but for the nations.

EDUCATION

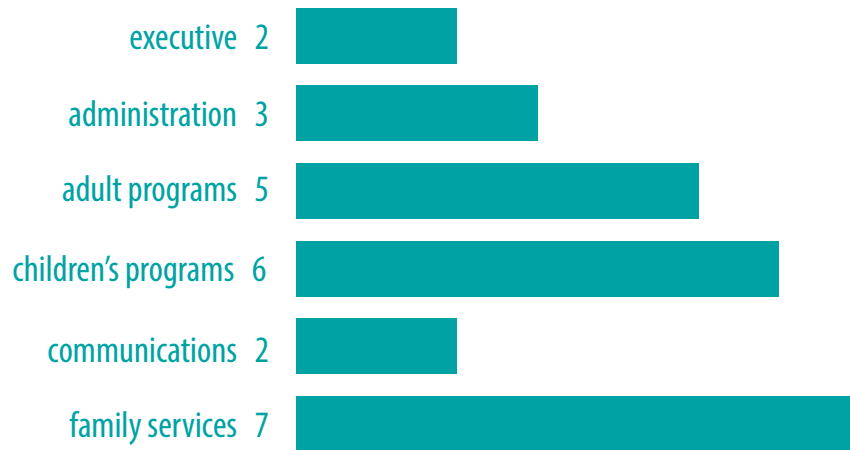
From ABC to GED, refugees have many language, literacy, and educational needs. We have English and other classes meeting every weekday in the morning and afternoon during the fall and spring semesters. These classes provide opportunities for adults and children alike to continue down the long path of adapting to life in the US. We believe quality education is a necessary foundation for their success in America. On the back of this brochure is a list of our services for adults, children, and the whole family.

FAMILY SERVICES

Since refugees are coming to the US from very diverse cultures—with little or no English education—they have many needs. We help them with these needs through our services and through general acculturation. Our biggest goal with family services is to help refugees learn how to live successfully in the United States, from learning about American grocery stores to helping them fill out job applications.

our team.

> 25 program staff



> 10 refugee/immigrant women hired as childcare and custodial staff

> 12 summer interns

6 of whom were refugee youth

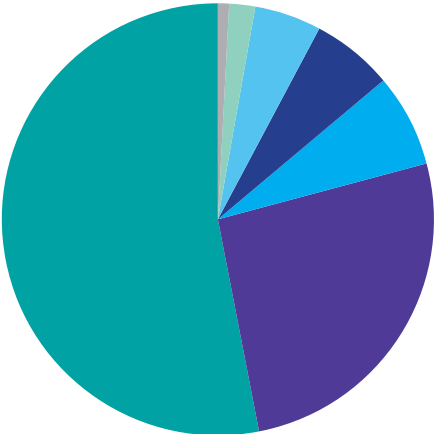
our support.

- > 450 volunteers
- 90 weekly volunteers
- 12 summer teams (from 9 states)



45 churches directly involved
by providing volunteers and/or financial support

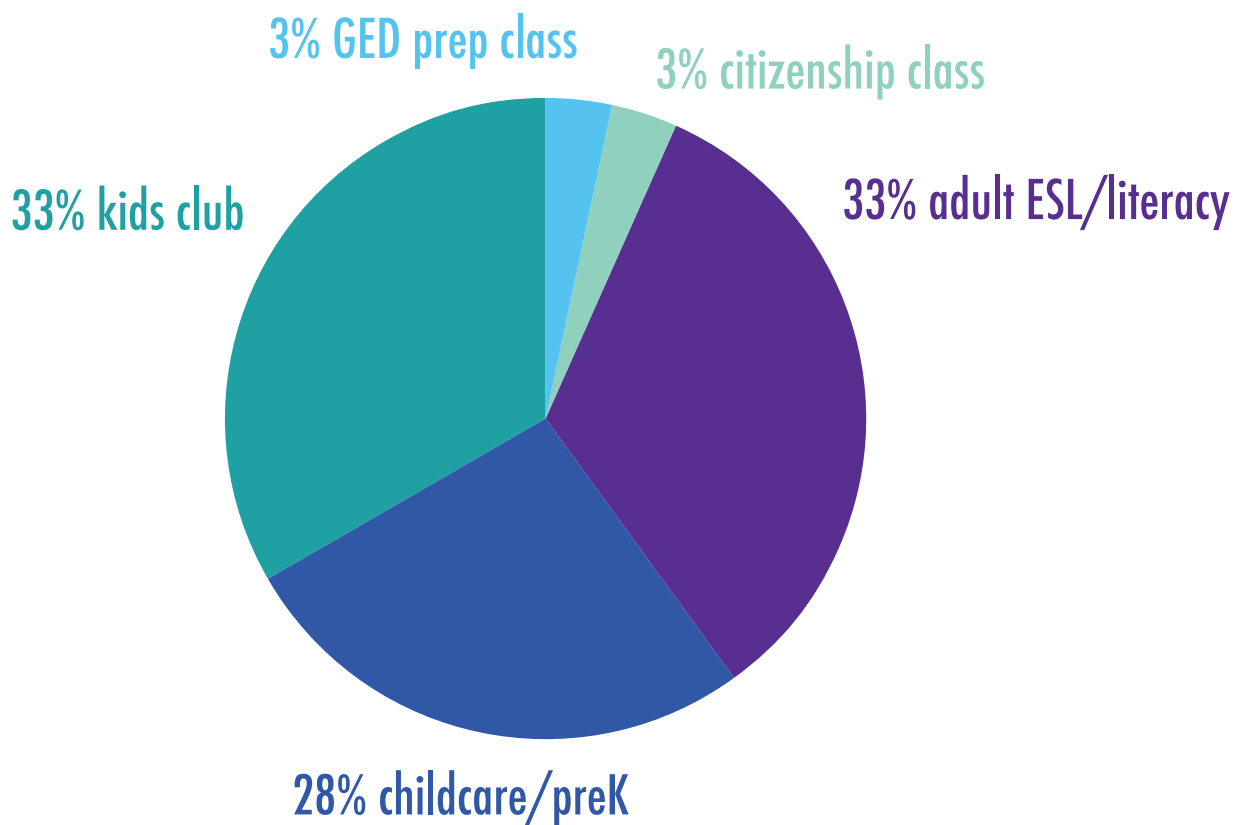
- > approx. 1,000 donors



income breakdown by source

our neighbors.

> 750 refugees served each week



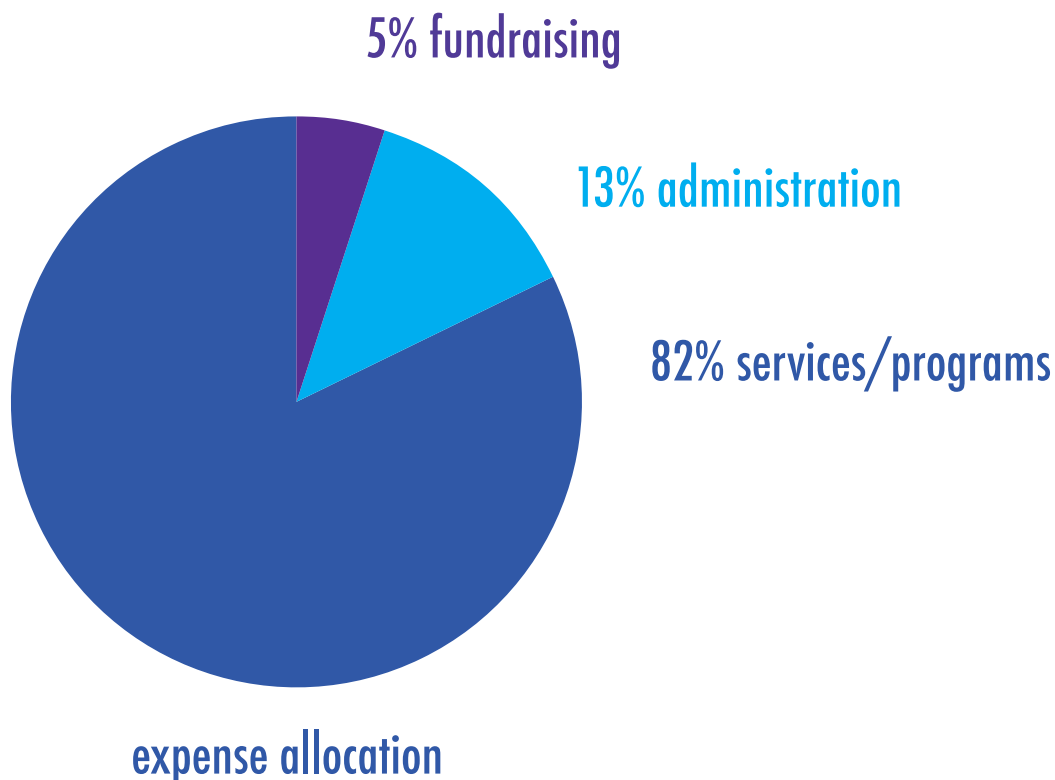
> 99% of our families live below the poverty line

> many of these same students and families are involved in weekly Bible studies and are served by our Family Services team in various ways

> approx. 700 children attended our 8-week summer program

our financials.

- > \$1.37 million organizational budget



- > \$3.6 million was raised to complete the first story of our capital project in 2018
- > this project is debt-free