

Our project is called EduEng where we teach children English in the Ahmed Zewail which requires us to lead activities and group sessions and also working with the children to teach them English. We teach them English through various techniques and methods such as games, activities discussions and many more. We are informally teaching them as the students already go to school and take English as a second language where they learn how to read, write, listen and speak yet our main focus is to help them develop their English speaking skills that will hopefully allow them to use these skills in their future lives or later on in life. Furthermore, under this project we began by speaking to the school and finding out as much information as possible about how many students we will teach and their levels as well as ages. Additionally, we have managed to plan all our lessons before hand, we dedicated three weeks of just planning prior to actually starting the eca which was a very good idea as this allowed us to be more prepared and give them a better learning experience. In addition, right before starting our eca we divided the classrooms into year groups and decided on which students will teach who, this allowed us to know exactly who we are teaching and make last minute preparations and amendments to our lessons.

When we think about the service we are giving to some of the people in my community it really pleases us, as when the children we teach will grow older they will be able to communicate with a much wider audience, their voices will be heard and they it will be easier for them to express their feelings. Additionally, it will be easier for them to get jobs which will positively impact their lifestyles and make the quality of their livelihoods better. If they wish to work abroad they will be able to communicate and their day-to-day work will be easier, as English is spoken world wide.

Additionally, with time passing, we have built up beautiful relations with many of the children we teach; they look forward to the lessons and we look forward to teaching them every week, as all the lessons so far have been wonderful experiences for all of us. The main reason why we have a great time is because we take in the suggestions of our students in planning the lessons, as we believe it motivates them even more when they feel that their voices are heard. We ask the children what they would like to learn about and we prepare the following lesson accordingly, they do have a right to learn things they want. However, we make sure to plan the lesson in a way which would benefit them, for example many of the students wanted to learn about 'music' so we planned a lesson to teach them about music, but with challenging and fun activities which made them practice their English speaking skills, as our main goal is to make them more confident in English speaking.

A surprising experience was when the younger children got extremely upset and even cried when they heard that our project was coming to an end. This was heart warming

for all of us and so we decided to continue this project for future terms but as an Extracurricular Activity (run by us), where pupils from our school can go and teach the children of Ahmed Zewail English. This project will become an ongoing service, we are extremely proud that our idea of this project will remain as an after school club for future students, even after we graduate from school... this shows that we have made a significant change in our community, as many children will continue to benefit from this admirable project.

Furthermore, we are overwhelmed to have helped the United Nations achieve the Sustainable Development Goals, such as "quality education". By helping people in our small communities we can make greater changes on a global scale - if all of us work together to help those in need.

Now that we have completed this project we would just like to reflect on some of the things that have went well and not so well, regardless of how successful the outcome is, all of us as a group have learnt so much about this experience and this has truly developed us as individuals yet also made us more aware of global issues that impact all of us in different ways. Looking back on some of the challenges we have faced I can say that we have overcome them and learned from them.

Without a doubt this project has inspired us even more to teach English people and especially whom who do not always have the opportunities. Not just that but this experience showed us the beauty there is in helping people, to give back to the community... I have seen first-hand the great pleasure there is in helping people: when a little child says "thank you we had fun, I love you" and when their parents say "thank you for teaching our children we are very grateful"... there really is nothing more rewarding.