



Dominican Republic

Where we work:

Santiago and Bobita, Dominican Republic.

Who we work with:

Manna Global Missions, an organization that focuses on reaching kids for Christ and mobilizing the community to solve the problem of poverty.

What we will be doing: We'll spend time in Santiago engaging with the various ministries of Manna, as well as journeying up the mountain to Bobita to visit the children's home.

What the country is like: The Dominican Republic is a country in the Caribbean that shares an island with Haiti. It was one of the first countries to be colonized by the Europeans. There is a significant Spanish influence on the culture. Dominican people live in a fast-paced, machismo culture where men are dominant.



What travel is like: We'll connect first somewhere in the United States, usually Miami or New York, then take a short two to three hour flight into Santiago (STI).

Sample Itinerary

Saturday: Depart BNA early morning, arrive Dominican Republic in the afternoon, settle in

Sunday: Church service at local church, community tour

Monday: Visit with college students in Santiago, meet with leaders

Tuesday: Travel to Bobita, activities with children's home kids

Wednesday: Service project in Bobita

Thursday: Continue service project in Bobita

Friday: Beach day and debrief

Saturday: Arrive back to BNA in the afternoon

Trip Stats:



Fitness Level:
6/10 - Heat is intense, long days, lots of walking



Language:
Spanish



Price:
Approx. \$1900



Family-friendly:
Age minimum 14



Accommodations:
We'll stay in bunk rooms with no AC, no hot water and no WIFI.



Food:
Food will be prepared by a cook and will be served at the dormitories. Expect local Dominican food like meats, rice and fresh fruit.