



The Springboard Project Application

Name: _____ Date: _____

College: _____ Class: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Email Address: _____ Phone: _____

Name of Project: _____

Location of Project: _____

Briefly, Project Goal:

Your application must include the following:

I. The Springboard Project Application

II. Project Proposal

Describe your project as you envision it at this time. You should include a description of the need for your project, the reasons why you chose that country/region/town for your project, your thoughts on how you see the project being implemented, any ideas for fundraising you may have, and any other information you deem fit. There is no limit to the imagination.

III. Proof of Community Involvement

Submit some evidence of communication and approval between yourself and the community you plan to work in. This could be a letter or email correspondence from community members, officials, or other organizations in the area. If you are unsure as to the acceptability of your proof, please email.

IV. Essay

Write an essay of no more than three pages that describe the past experiences and skills that make you an ideal candidate for developing a nonprofit literacy project.

V. Resume

VI. Two Letters of Recommendation

These should speak to your employment and volunteer history, not your academic proficiency. We are particularly interested in hearing about your reliability, experience, passion, and dedication. Recommendations can be submitted openly with the rest of your application, but please have them signed.

Please mail your complete application to:

The Springboard Project

c/o Reader To Reader

Cadigan Center

38 Woodside Avenue

Amherst, MA 01002

Questions?

Email Kat at klibby@readertoreader.org