



Villa of Hope

Together We Build Our Future

Host family invitation

Open your home. Share your care. Make a difference.

Host a child during weekends or school holidays.

Do you have a warm, welcoming home and a desire to make a meaningful difference? Villa of Hope invites caring families to learn about our hosting programme and offer children the opportunity to enjoy time in a supportive family environment.

Every child deserves safety, kindness and a sense of belonging. For children living at Villa of Hope, a weekend or school holiday spent with a caring host family can bring fresh experiences, encouragement and the simple joy of sharing everyday family life.

What does hosting involve?

Hosting gives families the opportunity to welcome a child from Villa of Hope into their home for an agreed short stay during a weekend or school break. It provides a change of surroundings and time within a family household, while the child remains connected to Villa of Hope.

Shared meals, games, outings and quiet time together can all be meaningful. Care, attention and a welcoming atmosphere matter more than expensive activities. Discuss arrangements with our team so that visits suit the child's needs and your family's circumstances.

What you can expect

A meaningful contribution. Your time and care can help a child feel valued and supported, contributing to their well-being and development.

Shared experiences. Ordinary family moments can create happy memories and opportunities to learn, connect and enjoy time together.

Training and support. Our experienced team provides training and ongoing support to help host families feel prepared. Discuss any questions or concerns with us before and during your involvement.

Flexible participation. Talk to us about the weekends or school holidays that suit your household. Occasional or more regular hosting can be explored, with visits agreed around the child's needs and programme arrangements.

Rewarding relationships. Hosting can create meaningful connections built on patience, kindness and trust. Each child is different, and relationships develop at their own pace.

Take the first step

Contact Villa of Hope to discuss eligibility, the application process and preparation. Our team will help you understand what hosting means for your household. Confirm all hosting arrangements with the team before a visit.

**Together, we can make a difference.
One child at a time.**

Interested in becoming a host family?

Visit www.villaofhope.co.za and open the **Contact** page to enquire about the hosting programme.