

Length of placement **90-120 days**
Location **Mkushi**
Placement Gender **Male or Female**

Some Additional Facts:

- ~There are several young people working at Chengelo
- ~The school's motto is: "As a witness to the Light"
- ~To find out more about the school visit www.chengelo.sch.zm

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Chengelo School



Chengelo means 'light' in Bemba, the native tongue of the people in Mkushi where Chengelo School is located. It is home to a primary, secondary school and 6th form where 400 students from a variety of different backgrounds study.

The school's staff are all committed Christians who aim to provide a quality education based on Biblical truth which is openly taught to the students. A cross stands on the hill which overlooks the school as a reminder to everyone to put Christ daily at the centre of their lives and work.

Mkushi is well known in Zambia for its commercial farms. Located at 1,400m

above sea level, the climate is enjoyable throughout the year. Due to the elevation there is a low risk of malaria and in general safety is not an issue at Chengelo as it's located in a rather rural area.

While working at Chengelo your main responsibilities will include teaching assistance and helping in the hostel where a large percentage of the students live during term time.

Working alongside teachers, instructors and other professionals, the work will be demanding and challenging, but satisfying as you have the opportunity to impact students in a significant way.

Eat & Sleep

For most meals you will eat with the students in the dining hall. This is a great time to build genuine relationships as you are immersed in the 'culture' of the school.

For your accommodation you will share a house or a flat with other singles during your stay.



Work & Play

The classes offered are many and varied; you could be involved with sport, music, outdoor activities or even cookery courses!

In your free time take part in the expeditions or excursions organised by the outdoor adventure educational facility (another extensive part of the school) or hang out with the students and let them be your guide for entertainment!



Upon returning home from Chengelo it's safe to say that you will never be the same again!

Most visitors to the school comment on the unique atmosphere and the sense that something special is going on at Chengelo. You will be part of this as your life is a witness to the *light* of Christ and as you encourage the students to consider Christ's claim on their lives.