

# INCA LINK IN ECUADOR

## COST

-Group cost per person for 10 days: \$1040\* + airfare

\*Group cost includes ground transportation, room, board and ministry experience. If a trip extends longer than 10 days the cost is \$50/ person/ day

## TRAVEL

-Groups serving in Ecuador all fly in and out of Quito (UIO). If your team chooses to serve in Manta or Huaticocha, you will be taking a bus from Quito to your ministry site. Teams also have the option to fly to Manta or Coca (close to Huaticocha) from Quito, but that is not included in the price of the trip. If your team chooses to fly to your final destination, your trip will be discounted \$50/person since the cost of flights will be more expensive.

## MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

In Ecuador there are many ministry opportunities in three main locations: Quito, Manta and Huaticocha. These sites give three very different experiences: urban, rural or extreme.

### Quito (Urban)

In Quito, your team will get a wide variety of ministry opportunities and a city experience. Some of the opportunities include serving indigenous churches in and around Quito, working at a home for special needs kids, serving an after school program for at-risk street kids or a recycling outreach called El Hormiguero, working with pregnant teens ([Casa Elizabeth](#)) and a sports ministry ([Cumbre Alta](#)) to name a few. On your tourist day you may also get to travel to the center of the earth!

### Manta/ Portoviejo (Rural)

Manta is a beautiful city on the coast of Ecuador, with Portoviejo just down the road. In Manta, your primary ministry will be helping a ministry called [Bonsai](#), which is an after-school program for children of at-risk families. In Portoviejo, your primary ministry will be serving [Portoviejo 7.8](#), a garbage dump ministry named after the earthquake of 7.8 magnitude that rocked the Ecuadorian coast in 2016. In Portoviejo, your team will also likely have the chance to partner with a sports ministry that is active and thriving.

### Huaticocha (Extreme)

Huaticocha is our most "extreme" ministry site since it is in a remote location in the jungle. Teams going to Huaticocha will have the opportunity to see the recently built and opened missionary school called [Ninawachi](#). They will work in construction projects to improve and maintain the school. Constructing and planting a large garden of local crops for Ninawachi will also be a focus. There may also be potential evangelism opportunities to local indigenous people who have never heard the gospel since Ninawachi is a launching point for outreach to surrounding towns and villages.

## **SCHEDULING DETAILS**

Trips are available most anytime during non-summer months. During the summer we ask teams to fall into one of these blocks:

### **Summer 2021:**

June 11-20th

June 25- July 4th

July 9-18th

July 23- Aug. 1st

Aug. 6- Aug. 15th

## **NEXT STEPS**

-If you decide the Lord is leading your team to serve with Inca Link Ecuador, great! We're excited to have you! To reserve your team's spot, simply e-mail Stacey Pope ([spope@incalink.org](mailto:spope@incalink.org)) the following information:

- Team Leader Name
- Church Name
- Estimated Team Size
- Where you would like to serve (Quito, Manta or Huaticocha)
- Dates you would like to serve

After Stacey receives this information, she will reserve your spots and send you a more detailed list on everything you need to complete between now and the time of your trip. We look forward to your partnership in the gospel!