



Creativity,Activity,Service (CAS) Proposal

Chiguru Farm

An Organic Farm & Agri-Tourism Venture

Therubeedi Village, Maralawadi Hobli,

Harohalli Taluk, Ramanagara District

Karnataka, INDIA

About Chiguru Farm



- 15-acres active Self-Sustaining Cow-based Natural Farm. Permaculture & Agro-Forestry. Close to Bangalore, India.
- Horticulture, Agriculture, Bee keeping, Rain Water Harvesting, Percolation Pits, Grey Water Recycling, Composting, Value-added farm products
- Farm-to-table concept. 75% of the food ingredients grown in-house.
- Karnataka's first ever Agri-Tourism center operational since 2016
- Pioneer of educational farm visits for school children – more than 25000 children benefitted till now.
- Focus on educating school children about Farming and Nature through Day Trips and Nature Camps
- 100% local employment
- Actively involved in local community support including schools, health, hygiene, waste management, water conservation and training the farmers
- Eco-friendly farm house. Ideal location for camps like astronomy, yoga, nature cure, work-from-farm etc



CAS Proposal – Sample Itinerary



➤ Day1 - Arrival & Welcome

- Arrival in Bangalore. Transport to Chiguru Farm in a Private Coach
- Traditional Welcome, Farm-fresh Lunch and/or Dinner served on Banana Leaf
- Relax in the rooms



CAS Proposal – Sample Itinerary



➤ Day2 - Activity

- Guided farm tour with fruit picking, tree climbing, animal feeding, etc
- Learn about Organic/Natural Farming and understand its importance
- Play rural games of this part of the world
- Camp fire with BBQ followed by dinner

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➤ Day3 - Activity

- Full day of Hands-on farm work – tree planting, making vegetable beds and sowing seeds, harvesting, preparing organic concoctions etc (depending on the season)



CAS Proposal – Sample Itinerary ... contd



➤ Day4 – Community Service

- Village Tour, interaction with the villagers, understand the village economy
- Visit the local school and interact with the children. Some teaching sessions for the school children
- Rangoli Workshop in the village
- Discussion with the village elders regarding waste management and/or water conservation
- Lunch in the house of one of the villagers



CAS Proposal – Sample Itinerary ... contd



➤ Day5 – Local Immersion

- Visit the weekly farmers market (on Fridays)
- Visit to a minor irrigation dam and understand the rural sustainability
- Learn local indoor games around the camp fire in the evening



CAS Proposal – Sample Itinerary ... contd



➤ Day 6 – Community Service

- Visit the Reserved Forest around. Visit to the waterfall. Opportunity to take bath in the waterfall.
- Plogging/Cleaning activity. Educate the tourists about the importance of cleanliness.



CAS Proposal – Sample Itinerary ... contd



➤ Day7 – Weekly OFF

- Foraging and Cooking
- Relax & Unwind



CAS Proposal – Sample Itinerary ... contd



➤ Day 8 – Creativity & Activity

- Farm Challenge – hands-on activity on solving a problem in the farm
- Pottery Workshop



CAS Proposal – Sample Itinerary ... contd



➤ Day9 – Sight Seeing

- Travel to Bangalore by Private Coach
- Bangalore Sight Seeing by Private Coach – with Guide
- Meals in a heritage restaurant
- Overnight Stay in a local Hotel



CAS Proposal – Sample Itinerary ... contd



➤ Day10 – Community & Creativity

- Visit a weave house near Bangalore where hand and powerlooms churn out beautiful fabric from yarn.
- Lunch with the weavers
- Weaving activity continues
- Overnight Stay in a Hotel



CAS Proposal – Sample Itinerary ... contd



➤ Day11 – Community & Creativity

- Full Day learning – Block Printing
- Hands on activity with block printing
- Overnight Stay in a Hotel



CAS Proposal – Sample Itinerary ... contd



➤ Day12 – Activity

- Changemakers : Learn about the UN Sustainable Development Goals and the tools and frameworks to plan, organize and engage in a long-term collaborative team CAS Project.
- Visit a local house for traditional lunch and interactions with the locals for cross-cultural reflections



CAS Proposal – Sample Itinerary ... contd



➤ Day13 – Activity

- Reflections on the activities during the entire stay
- Watch a (local language) Kannada movie in a multiplex
- Overnight stay in a Hotel



CAS Proposal – Sample Itinerary ... contd



➤ Day14 – Departure

➤ Transfer to Bangalore Airport by Private Coach

More information on Chiguru Farm



- www.chigurufarm.com
- Instagram: Chiguru Farm
- Facebook: Chiguru Organic Farm
- Google : Chiguru Farm
- YouTube Channel : Chiguru Farm
- Blog: <http://chigurufarms.blogspot.com/>

"Nothing great in the world has been accomplished without passion" — Georg Wilhelm Friedrich Hegel, German Philosopher

