



HOW TO HELP


- ✓ Donate a backpack with supplies (\$ 25)
- ✓ Share our mission and projects with your friends
- ✓ Run a race (10-miler, half marathon, marathon, or other) and encourage your friends to donate to Umbrella in honor of your running
- ✓ Collect paper, which can be turned into notebooks
- ✓ Volunteer in the Bilingual Voices program.


Contact Us


Email: yenny.delgado@umbrellainitiatives.org
robert.rivers@umbrellainitiatives.org

Office
301-685-1318

Cell
502-330-0849

 /umbrellainitiatives

 /@umbrellainit

 /umbrellainit

 /ui

www.umbrellainitiatives.org

Education

Children

Community

Volunteering



UMBRELLA INITIATIVES
FOUNDATION

Umbrella Initiatives Foundation founded in 2010, is a nonprofit organization that works to empower communities and individuals through concrete projects and outreach programs. We work in conjunction with community groups, organizing projects that focus on improving educational opportunities for children from marginalized communities both in Peru and the United States. The projects are carried out by a group of active volunteers that care deeply about improving their communities. Our core values are:

Justice – Commitment – Equality

Umbrella Initiatives is a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization recognized by the Internal Revenue Service.

Mission

To promote the positive transformation of communities through concrete projects that focus on improving educational opportunities for the most vulnerable populations.



Project Backpack

- ✓ Provides a week-long creative and fun academic summer camp for children between the ages of 4-13 years old.
- ✓ Provides all the materials necessary for the children to fully participate.
- ✓ Healthy snacks are also provided.
- ✓ Provides the basic tools to start the new school year: a quality backpack, box of colored pencils, pens, notebooks, and pencil holder.
- ✓ Provides opportunities for young adults and university students to volunteer in their areas of expertise as teachers.
- ✓ Allows those volunteers to gain first-hand experience in logistics.
- ✓ From 2010 to 2014 over 1800 children have participated in the Backpack Project, and for 2015 the goal is to reach over 2000 students.

Project Notebook

- ✓ Teaches volunteers about recycling opportunities and protecting the environment through simple and practical steps.
- ✓ Through the project paper is recycled and then assembled into small notebooks that are then used by children during the Backpack Project.

Bilingual Voices Project

- ✓ Twice weekly after school classes for children ages 5 to 12 years that focus on learning how to read and write Spanish formally.
- ✓ Sharing information about Latino culture in the United States.
- ✓ Monthly meeting with parents to focus on information related to understanding the education system and how to improve communication with children