

Requester Information: (*) is a mandatory field

Requestor's Name(*): **Andrew Roberts**

Requestor's Email Address(*): **americorps-houston@sewausa.org**

Your Organization(*): **Sewa International USA - Houston**

Organization Website / Facebook: www.sewausa.org

www.sewaaspire.com

Your Labdoo account user name (<https://www.labdoo.org/user/register>):
sewahouston

Project Site:

1. Project title or name of your school, project, or NGO - A short title or description for your project(*): **ASPIRE Tutorials**

2. Project Description - Please explain about your project and how you will use the laptops (*):

Sewa's mission is to empower communities by sharing with them the resources and skills needed to enhance their own lives. For underserved youth in Houston, that empowerment is taking place through the ASPIRE Program.

The focus is on the overall development of the children, nurturing in them the knowledge and qualities required for social and academic success, such as emotional intelligence, competence in core subjects, critical thinking, and creativity.

Since 2013, we have been providing free out-of-school tutoring, mentoring and enriching activities to children of low-income families in Southwest Houston. ASPIRE addresses education gaps that many children face due to cultural and language barriers. Sewa runs three after-school programs, all at no cost to the students and their families. Each center is housed in an apartment that's been converted into a learning space, directly in the apartment complex where the students live.

3. Number of students(*): 130

4. Number of teachers(*): 6

5. Claimed IT equipments (*) **N/A**

5.1 Number of Laptops needed(*): **4**

5.2 Number of eBook Reader needed: **0**

5.3 Others needed (Tablet-PCs etc): **0**

5.4 Additional comments: **I don't know what claimed IT equipments refers to**

6. On Site Contact Information / project manager. Please provide at least one way to contact (*):

6.1 Full Name(*): **Kavita Tewary**

6.2 Phone(*): **(713) 303-4253**

6.3 Email(*): **educationhouston@sewausa.org**

6.4 Physical address of Organization (street, city, zip code, country...)(*):
1000 West Oaks Mall Unit 100

6.5 GPS coordinates (click the link to find the coordinates: <https://www.gps-coordinates.net> or <https://support.google.com/maps/answer/18539>) (*):

[29.732856, -95.647513](#)

7. Language **English**

7.1 Local / Preferred language(s)(*): **English**

7.2 Additional information about language(s):

8. Project Location - street, city, state/province, country, zip code(*):

11315 Fondren Rd, Houston, TX 77035

9. Access to Internet(*)?

9.1 Access to internet (yes/no) **Yes**

9.2 Wired/cable (yes/no) **Yes**

9.3 Wireless (yes/no) **Yes**

10. Conditions about the room where the laptops will be installed:

10.1 Is the room secure? [yes / no + brief explanation] **Yes, the computer room is inside an apartment that Sewa manages.**

10.2 Can the room be locked in a way that the supervisors (e.g. teachers) can control access? [yes / no + brief explanation] **Yes, teachers can lock the door.**

10.3. Is the room weather-proof? (e.g. does the room protect the laptops from rain, sand, etc?) [yes / no + brief explanation] **Yes, it's inside an apartment.**

11. How did you hear about Labdoo?:

--Search Engine (e.g. Google)

--At local Conference,

--At online Conference,

--From other organizations/companies,

--Facebook

--Instagram

--Other (please describe)

From our Sewa Bay Area Chapter

12. Picture(s) of the school, students, teacher, etc with this Request Form.
Please send as file(s) (*):

The picture will be uploaded to your project site

***The solicitation of a Labdoo laptop request implies that, upon receiving the laptops, the recipient agrees with the "Labdoo Laptop Recipient Agreement".

Labdoo Laptop Recipient Agreement:

Dear Laptop receiver:

We are very pleased to have the opportunity to contribute to your project by providing technology to help bridge the digital divide.

With every right comes responsibilities. Technology, when adequately used, can provide very powerful means to aid those that are most in need. But if used improperly, it can also damage our environment. By receiving the above items, you are automatically accepting to abide by the following Labdoo global responsibilities:

(1) The items received will be used only for the purpose described by your organization at the time you solicited this donation.

(1.1) If you intend to use it for a different purpose, you will contact first the Labdoo team at contact@labdoo.org.

(1.2) Only schools and projects may claim for Labdoo computer donations and not by individuals.

(1.3) Donated items may only be removed from school ground with admittance of Labdoo (example, teachers cannot take laptops outside school). If Labdoo reviser visit your project and discovered donated items are missing, your school / project will be excluded from Labdoo support and CANNOT receive any further donation.

(2) In the case that an incidence occurs to any of the received items, you will contact the Labdoo team at contact@labdoo.org, including in your email the tagging number of the item(s) related to the incidence and a brief explanation. The following incidences must always be reported:

(2.1) At the end of life of any of the received items, so that the item can be properly recycled.

(2.2) When an item breaks, malfunctions or any change in its status.

(3) Every six months, please send an email to contact@labdoo.org with the list of laptops that you have and their status (working or not working).

(4) Labdoo laptops are offered for free to you for education purposes. In return, you agree to not use the laptops for commercial reasons and you agree not to charge any fee for the usage of the laptops.

(4.1) The donated items cannot be resold to make money or exchange with other valuable items.

(4.2) If discovered donated items are missing, your school / project will be excluded from Labdoo support and CANNOT receive any further donation.

(5) By returning this form filled in, the solicitor confirms owning all rights on sent materials (current or in the future) submitted to Labdoo.org and allowing such content to be publicly available from Labdoo.org. In addition, the solicitor confirms having approval for taking pictures of the children and/or any person benefiting from Labdoo laptops, tablets or any Labdoo donations, from their parents and/or legal guardians. Labdoo.org explicitly points to the fact that sent materials and pictures/photos may be used online and/or offline, and hence that they can be accessed by third parties, and that such pictures are used to help preserve the transparency and accountability of the projects.

We thank you for your commitment to make our world a better place and we wish you best of luck in your humanitarian mission.

The Labdoo Team.