

# FRONTIER MISSIONS SCHOOL FAQS

## What are the dates?

Move in day is August 31st and Orientation Week begins September 2nd.

## What does housing look like for students?

Housing will look like staying in one of our student housing arrangements here in Richmond, Virginia during the first and the second semester. Students will live together, grow in their relationship with Jesus and each other as well as have fun together.

## How much does it cost?

The cost breakdown is as follows :

Training Phase: \$5,000 (\$2,000 Housing + \$3,000 Tuition) \$500 deposit is due after being accepted. Additional \$1,000 is due 30 days after being accepted Full amount is due upon arrival.

Placement Phase: \$8,500

(Price is dependent on each outreach location but is around \$8,500. This includes everything needed during your time on outreach and debrief: plane tickets, lodging, transportation, food, as well as other in-country expenses.)

During the First semester we will start our MPD/Financial Training with (MAPS Partnership Development) so that you will begin to learn how to effectively

and healthily raise money, not just for the school but for the future assignments as well.

## During the training phase is food covered?

There is a meal plan option for lunches throughout the first semester with more details and sign-up / payment information to come. The details will come as soon as one month before the start of the program.

#### What should I expect the training phase to look like?

Our school is a full-time residential training program, running from 8-5 Monday-Friday. Each week will consist of classroom instruction, worship and prayer, outreach, one on one student development with a leader from our school, and service hours. Throughout the day the student schedule is interwoven with our staff's rhythm of life here at HQ. It is our expectation that during your time in the school you will set aside other trips and other jobs to wholeheartedly seek to engage God and seek his heart and what He is doing in your life and how He is at work in the nations. Our staff and students will seek the Lord together, build the house of prayer together, serve one another in love, and have fun!

In addition to the weekly schedule, every First Friday of the month we have the privilege to host a regional prayer and worship service at MAPS Global. It is our joy as staff and students to serve others through this gathering together as well as serve our local church community on Sunday mornings.

## What should I expect the placement phase to look like?

You will be sent out on placement for ninety days, the second half of your training program. We cannot guarantee which nation you will be sent to, historically we have sent students to MAPS Global Mission Bases as well as other pioneering environments among unreached peoples in the 10/40 window. The primary goals of the ninety day placement are to build the house of prayer, reach the unreached, strengthen the local church, grow in love for the team, and enjoy a cross-cultural experience on the mission field!

#### I've completed school, what happens now?

After completion of our Frontier Missions School, students have the opportunity to *apply for MAPS Global Staff* to either join staff here at HQ or to be sent as a long term laborer to one of our missions bases overseas. If accepted, applicants will go through a week of onboarding training in MAPS staff *culture*, *vision* and *organizational structure*. You will also receive practical training and expectations related to becoming staff. You will leave onboarding training equipped to fundraise for a two year assignment stateside or overseas. Once you are funded for your assignment, you will return to the MAPS Global Missions Base for final preparations before you launch and start your two year assignment.