

FAITH IN ACTION FAOS

Here are some of our frequently asked questions by kids about The Salvation Army and faith in action.





What kinds of people do you help?

We help **everyone** – young, old, people who are poor or rich. Race, religion, gender and sexual orientation does not matter; what is important is that **someone needs help**.

Why do so many people need help?

People need help for lots of reasons such as during **disasters** or **emergencies** like earthquakes or when they are stranded.

A **community** might be struggling with poverty or poor health.

An **individual** might need help with food, employment, a place to stay or friendship.

We can help with many problems, and even prevent some of them, with education, support and campaigning for change.

But we all need some help and kindness, every day.

Do you help people who are sick?

Yes, we have **drop-in clinics** so people can get medical help and we give **counselling support**.

Across the world we run **hospitals**, **clinics** and **mobile clinics**. We train **nurses and midwives**.

We also educate communities on **healthcare** and **disease prevention**.

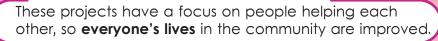
How do you help people who are poor?

We have **food banks** and give **advice** about money matters and employment. We give **education** and **training**.

Here are some of the different ways we help.

Our **charity shops** sell clothes and furniture cheaply. We have emergency **shelters**, **safe homes** and **low-rent homes**.

> Internationally we run projects to improve farming techniques so people can eat more healthily and earn more money. We also give education and help people develop small businesses.



What is it like to help someone or save someone's life?

It's very rare to know for sure that you have saved someone's life, but we believe that we can **make someone's life bette**r.

Jesus made friends and helped people, especially people in trouble. We follow his example because we

believe God loves and values everyone.



We receive money from several different sources like:

- donations and fundraising from the public and our members
- income from our churches
- government contracts
- income from our **shops** and our **ethical bank**

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