

DIRECTIONS & DONATION INSTRUCTIONS
For THE NETZA PROJECT & The Escuela Netzahualcoyotl & Kokoyotzin Kindergarten
(The Netza School and Kindergarten, Zihuatanejo, Mexico)

Visitors & Donors: Items cannot be shipped to Mexico and must be hand carried in luggage. Please note new **Visitor & Volunteer Guidelines** below for The Netza School.

Cash donations should be made via check or PayPal/credit card to "The Netza Project" at our USA address. We can then safely transfer and apply your gift to the most urgent and appropriate area of need. PayPal instructions and a donation form are downloadable from our website.

If you plan to visit, please contact us with at least 48 hours notice, more when possible, and plan to register you and your donations in The Netza school office Visitor's Book. If desired, a receipt will be given to you since documented donations of goods and materials are tax-deductible.

Visiting hours are 10 to 11:00 am or after school 12:30 to 1:30 pm, and other times by appointment. If you are unable to come to The Netza School, drop off sites include Bernardo's Market stall # 123 in the Mercado des Artesanias (Indian Craft Market) Avenue Cinco de Mayo, Centro Zihua; and The Catalina Beach Resort, La Ropa Beach. Please be certain to secure & mark your bag or box plainly with "Donations for The Netza Project" and include your name, address, email, and estimated value of donations so we can send a 'Thank You' & tax receipt and assure the items get delivered to the school.

For tours and school visits: IN MEXICO CONTACT: Christine Berger, local English teacher cell 044-755-11-12629 email chill_berger@yahoo.com She is typically at the school Mon to Thursday.
- Marina Sanchez Hernandez, Netza School Director cell 044-755-11-10626 (Spanish/some English)
- USA/MEXICO Lisa Martin, Executive Director, The Netza Project: US cell 508-284-0078; when in Mexico cell: 044 755 10 01173 (or try USA cell) info@netzaproject.org

Please see www.netzaproject.org or email us at info@netzaproject.org

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO VOLUNTEER, please contact us by email to complete a Volunteer Profile that we can send you. We prefer at least two months advance notice for all volunteers.

DIRECTIONS TO THE NETZA SCHOOL:

If requesting a TAXI: "Escuela Netzahualcoyotl, alta parte Colonia Premier Paso Cardenista, circa La Noria, Centro Zihuatanejo, calle Azucenas, alta la nueva Pemex. (about 40 pesos/\$4 USD from La Ropa or anywhere near centro Zihua; about \$70-\$90 pesos/\$7-\$9 USD from Ixtapa). TIP: confirm the price and that the driver knows where it is, before you get in!

DRIVING:

From centro Zihua or Playas La Ropa or La Madera:

Follow Zihua's main street Avenida Benito Juarez - where all the banks, Farma Pronto and The Mercado Central (orange-colored main public market) are - inland, toward the mountains, to its end (one of the two Electra stores will appear diagonally on the right). At this T intersection and traffic light, turn left onto Avenida Morelos.

* Proceed about five blocks, passing the blue cement water treatment plant on your right, and reaching the new Pemex gas station. Turn right after the Pemex onto Paseo de al Cantera. At end of this road, at small traffic circle/5 way intersection with flower garden in center, take the 2nd right, and continue bearing right UP the steepest cement paved hill. Continue on the pavement bearing right again at crest of hill (this becomes Calle Azucenas) and the school will appear on your left above a big stone and cement wall. Turn left at the next paved corner and the school gate is on the left. Park along the street or if room near the basketball court inside the gate.

From Ixtapa: (or coming in from airport area)

Head out of Ixtapa as though you were going to go the airport. Re-enter the Zihua business district staying on the main highway/road. Go past Bodega superstore, and then bear right to "Zihua Centro & La Playas". Stay on this road through several lights, staying straight. It becomes Avenida Morelos. Follow directions, above,* once you pass Electra (on your right) and reach the intersection of Ave. Benito Juarez. (If you are coming in from the airport, you will bear *left* to "Zihua Centro & La Playas" once you go under a small walkway bridge, Hospital on your left, and continue on Avenida Morelos, etc).