



Eight Days of Construction

Schedule Notes This schedule has been developed to facilitate the selection of supervisors and volunteers needed for a particular task. Please schedule your volunteers accordingly. **25-30 volunteers per day should cover all tasks.** Our task-based system will increase productivity and assist volunteers at the build site.

Volunteer Coordinators should become familiar with this schedule so that you can assist your volunteers in selecting appropriate days for participation.

Questions? Call the Habitat Office at 254-4663 ext. 238.

Weekend One

70% of volunteers need muscle to lift heavy wall panels and/or ability to install roof sheathing. Some light work for about six people.

DAY ONE – Saturday

- Erect wall panels
- Prime fascia and exterior trim
- Square house
- Top plate house
- Install house wrap
- Build and install fly rafters
- Install roof trusses
- Install windows
- Install sub-fascia
- Start roof sheathing
- Clean up site

DAY TWO – Sunday

- Finish roof sheathing
- Install fascia
- Install exterior doors
- Install truss bracing
- Build and install bird boxes
- Clean up site

Some of these activities may move to Saturday if the build progresses quickly.

Weekend Two

50% of volunteers work at ground level, 30% on ladders with siding high on the house and 20% should be semi-skilled to do outside carpentry, fascia and bird boxes.

DAY THREE – Saturday

- Clean house
- Install siding – start at back of house
- Caulk top and bottom plates and panel joints (internal)
- Install insulation
- Install baffle boards and deadwood
- Install soffit (external)
- Install blocking for drywall, cabinets, shelving
- Install front porch posts and trim
- Clean up site

DAY FOUR – Sunday

- Finish siding
- Finish soffit
- Caulk and paint fascia
- Clean up site

Weekend Three

70% semi-skilled to install doors, trim and cabinets. 30% unskilled for clean up, painting, etc. This is a good weekend for 16- and 17-year-old volunteers to participate (with adequate supervision).

DAY FIVE – Saturday

- Install interior doors, trim and baseboards
- Set and fill nail holes
- Caulk trim
- Interior paint – one prime and one finish coat
- Install kitchen cabinets and countertops
- Finish siding and soffit, 1/4 round
- Finish front porch trim and detail
- Clean up site

DAY SIX – Sunday

- Finish interior paint
- Finish siding and soffit
- Paint exterior trim, caulk and silicone
- Distribute water heater, lights and plumbing fixtures
- Install bathroom vanities
- Clean up site

Weekend Four

Some heavy lifters to dig holes and do landscaping. The rest will install mirrors, towel bars, paper holders, do final clean up and punch out. This is a good weekend for 16- and 17-year-old volunteers to participate (with adequate supervision).

DAY SEVEN – Saturday

Homeowner walkthrough !!

- Start landscaping
- Install towel bars, mirrors, paper rollers, door knobs and door stops
- Install mailbox
- Install closet shelving
- Install door hardware
- Clean up site
- Wash and vacuum, clean fixtures and windows

DAY EIGHT – Sunday

- Install storm door
- Punch out interior
- Finish landscaping
- Clean up house
- Clean up site

Dedication is at 1:00 p.m.