

### **Basic Survival Skills**

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### >> About Nolbert

- Tribe (but Ugandan)
- Awamu (FPO)
- GHF (NGO)
- BEETA
- UNREEEA
- UNACC

- Rotary (since 2009)
- Charter member of RC Wandegeya

## >> No Man is an Island

Research about an island. Send me a detailed report in xx days!

- You know nothing about.
- Do you have to go there physically?
- How to get there?

## >> Survival skills

Techniques that a person may use in order to sustain life in any type of natural environment.

• These techniques are meant to provide basic necessities for human life which include water, food, and shelter.

## >> Survival skills

Survival Skills will be required in;

- To do Business
- At your Work
- Joining New Class/ school/ city
- Aviation industry
- Wilderness

### **Life-Management and Organization Skills**

- Create a budget
- Keep your finances records organized
- Organize all passwords, accounts and important documents in a safe place for reference
- Avoiding debt
- Time management
- Create & Maintain schedules (calendar)
- Address an envelope
- Change a bulb
- Manage/clean-up social media accounts

#### **Home and Personal Care Skills**

- Using basic kitchen appliances
- Wash clothes
- Make a bed
- Fold laundry
- Properly clean a toilet, shower, bathroom floor, etc.
- Set an alarm & wake yourself up on time

### **Student-Specific Skills**

- Shop smarter for books & SCHOOL items
- Keep track of your grades
- Keep track of assignments due
- Sign up/register for classes
- Maintain healthy study habits
- Contact professors for help
- Navigate to classes
- Discuss living guidelines with your roommate
- Essay writing
- Public speaking
- Seek out extracurricular activities you enjoy
- Maintain a healthy balance between your academic and social lives

#### **General Conscientiousness**

- Awareness of your surroundings
- Recognizing a potentially dangerous situation
- Keep up with appointments
- Emergency preparedness
- Avoid drugs and alcohol
- Be sexually responsible
- How to say "no," respectfully
- How to ask for help
- Be open-minded
- Accept constructive criticism

## Transportation Savvy

- Read a map
- Change a tire
- Basic car maintenance
- Utilize and navigate public transit

### **Professional Skills**

- Write a CV
- Draft a cover letter
- Professionally formatting your emails
- Write thank you notes
- Networking

# #1 Attitude.

More than any other skill, your attitude determines how successful you are in a survival situation

# Attitude Will:

- Push you to work harder
- Help you avoid risky behaviors
- Get you out of the house on a rainy morning

# Good Attitude Will:

- Lead to Success and Happiness.
- A positive attitude helps you cope more easily with life
- Bring optimism into your life
- Make it easier to avoid worries and negative thinking



# Questions?

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