

# TEACH ENGLISH IN GERMANY



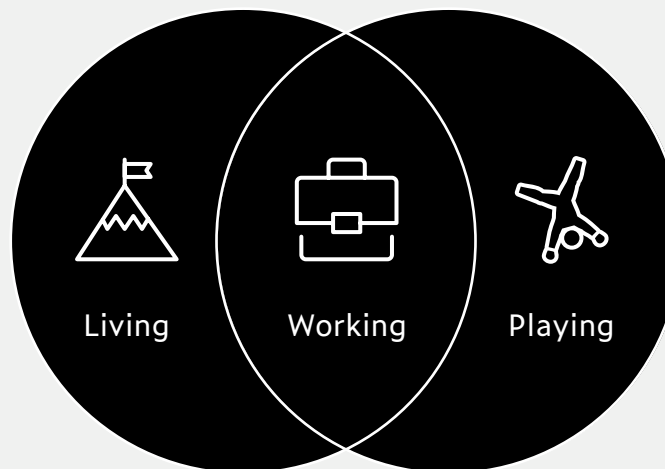
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# WELCOME TO GERMANY

Whether you're drawn to Germany to brush-up on your rusty high school German or support a culture that embraces adventure and celebrating the outdoors, signing up for a teaching program in Germany can be an immensely rewarding experience. Here, you can shape young minds through recreational and activity-based learning.

The best part? The English teaching market is booming in Germany. Your skills are populär (AKA in demand) — and we're here to connect you with your perfect ESL teaching gig here. It's high-time for scenic landscapes, sunshine, and subject-verb-sentence structures. Let's go!

**The best way to get to know these incredible locals?**



**There as an ESL teacher with The TEFL Insitute:** the Germany teach abroad experts

## PLACEMENTS & LOCATIONS

Summer in Germany is set to be special, mein freund — you've got a full orientation week to high the ground running. Our paid ESL internship in Germany will give you the framework for success, but it is up to you to craft an experience you love. That means proactively making friends, saving your geld for onward romps around Europe (Germany is highly connected, you know!).



### LOCATIONS:

You will be placed in one of four camps throughout Germany: Walsrode (Lüneburger Heide), Regen, Amrum, Hachen or Mölln that form the backdrop of your epic life abroad. Each location is surrounded by towns chockful of culture, architecture, craft beer, and bowls of currywurst.



### THE INTERNSHIP:

Your work week typically runs week-long, with 15 hours of classroom time. This allows up to 35 hours of extra curricular activities per week and some time for lesson planning too.



### SCHOOL PLACEMENTS:

All placements are in adventure summer camps. Interns can expect to teach children between the ages of six and 16 in conversational English. Camp activities include language workshops, games, and traditional sports.



### PERKS:

In addition to a perfect summer in Germany, you'll complete the 120 hour Advanced TEFL Certificate. This internationally recognized course has been created to provide you with real, comprehensive knowledge of everything you need to become a confident, influential TEFL teacher — in Germany and beyond!

Working abroad in Germany is a once-in-a-lifetime experience, but we have a hunch you'll come back again and again. Life here is just too good!



## ORIENTATION & TRAINING

Beyond delightful icebreakers, orientation is your chance to get the real inside scoop on camp living and teaching in Germany from local experts! Not only will we pig out at a welcome dinner (BBQ, BABY!), we'll have a full briefing on camp logistics, uncover the do's and don'ts of the German culture and nail down house rules.

Get to know your fellow teachers, daydream European trips to take together, and start your experience in Germany with a full heart, mind, and... of course, tummy.

### CAMP ACCOMMODATIONS

Real talk. Meals, laundry, internet, and transport to and from the excursions or other camp locations are all covered, leaving you free to spend your allowance as you please! This one-of-a-kind paid internship gives you much more than a chance to see Germany and become a competent TEFL teacher. You'll gain a real understanding of the German culture (and beyond... as you meet over 50 nationalities!), and way of life, and develop invaluable intercultural and communication skills you can take with you anywhere in life.



## VERIFIED TEFL INSTITUTE TESTIMONIALS



"The camp has completely changed my life. If you've never worked with an international team like me, you're going to experience culture shock after culture shock that will open your eyes to a whole new way of living. You'll meet so many new and interesting people, improve your language skills, get to be outside every day in the sun and face new and exciting challenges. Step outside of your comfort zone and experience something new!"

**Ciarán**

Germany Intern



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# WHO CAN APPLY?

While we'd love to show EVERYONE the joy and beauty of Germany's landscapes, there are certain minimum qualifications to becoming an ESL teacher here.

**You must be/have...**



**Aged between  
19 and 29**



**Are a Native  
English speaker**



**Successful  
completion of  
High School  
(A-levels, Leaving  
Cert, Matric)**



**A valid First  
Aid certificate**  
(available at  
camp for €65)



**Passport holder  
from USA, Canada,  
UK, Ireland, South  
Africa, Australia or  
New Zealand**



**Adaptable and  
able to socialize  
and interact with  
people**

## WHAT TO EXPECT FROM THIS PROFESSIONAL TEACHING PLACEMENT



### **Allowance**

Weekly allowance  
of €75\*



### **Course Included**

120 hour accredited  
TEFL Course



**Airport pick-up**  
& Transfers to your  
accommodation



### **Orientation**

1 week arrival  
orientation



### **Flexible Placement**

5-10 week  
Internship



### **Cultural Events**

Experience German  
hospitality



### **In Country Support**

Ongoing support  
wherever you are



### **Free Meals**

3 meals per day



### **Accommodation**

Camp accommodation



### **Holidays**

All public holidays off



### **Excursions**

Cultural excursions



### **Medical Care**

24-hour medical care



### **Visa Advice**

Visa guidance provided



### **Camp Experience**

Teach & mentor





## 8 GERMANY FACTS

- 1 The world's narrowest street is in Reutlingen. It is called Spreuerhofstrasse and is 31 cm (one foot) wide at its narrowest point.
- 2 After the Irish, the Germans consume the most beer, making Germany the second largest consumer of beer in the world.
- 3 One-third of Germany is still covered in forests and woodlands.
- 4 Berlin is 9 times bigger than Paris and has more bridges than Venice.
- 5 There are thirty-five dialects of the German language.
- 6 There are over 1,500 different beers in Germany.
- 7 Berlin has the largest train station in Europe.
- 8 One-third of Germany is still covered in forests and woodlands.



## FAQ

### I've already completed a TEFL course, can I get a discount?

Yes! So long as you've completed comprehensive TEFL training, you'll be eligible for a further discount. [Contact us](#) to find out how much extra you'll save.

### How long before my start date should I arrive?

You should book flights to arrive into the Hamburg airport (HAM) on your specific internship arrival day, for airport pick up and orientation. Alternatively you can join a pre-organized shuttle from Walsrode train station.

### How do I get from orientation to my placement?

At the end of your orientation week, you'll travel by public transport (bus, train or air) to your camp location. Transport will be arranged and costs are covered.

### Will I be placed with other interns?

Yes, you will be part of a large team of fellow interns and camp leaders.

You'll get to know each other during orientation so it will be easy to plan meet-ups with new friends - you'll be joining a great community of camp teachers and leaders!

### How much will I get paid?

Your €75 (US\$80/£64) weekly allowance will be paid in cash. You will receive €290 at the end of week 5 (orientation week plus 4 weeks of camp). For every additional week you stay, you'll receive €75 allowance. You should budget to have enough spending money to cover your first month until you receive your allowance.

**TIP:** Our previous interns say your first month can often be when you spend more - excursions, socialising and getting settled in. We recommend you try to budget a little extra per month for trips and then an emergency fund / credit card for unexpected events.

### Who will I be teaching?

You'll be working in an adventure and English language summer camp.

### Can I be placed with a friend?

Yes, you can request to be placed with a friend or as a couple. You'll have a spot on your application form to mention who you're traveling with.

**Note:** placement together is dependent on availability and can't be guaranteed.



**Where will I be located?**

There are camp locations throughout Germany including: Walsrode (Lüneburger Heide), Regen, Hachen, Mölln. For those interns who stay longer, you'll enjoy experiencing more than one camp location.

**What will my housing be like?**

Accommodation is provided throughout your entire stay on the internship in shared tents (4 - 5 teachers together) or a shared room in a hostel. Budget €40 for a sleeping bag and €35 for a mat if you prefer not to bring one.

**I have dietary requirements, will I manage okay?**

Yes, previous interns with both gluten and dairy free requirements as well as vegetarians have managed well with advice from our in-country team.

**What extras do I need to pay for?**

- Doctor's letter (to say you're fit and well) - Criminal record check
- Comprehensive travel insurance
- Visa (if required)
- Flights
- Sleeping bag / mat
- First Aid course (if you don't hold a valid certificate).

The €65 will be deducted from your pocket money.

**Can I book a one-way flight?**

We advise booking a flexible ticket so you have the freedom to make travel plans while you're there. Many previous participants plan onward travel together around Europe after camp. It's recommended that you try not to plan too much of an itinerary prior to arrival.

**Is there a chance I won't be accepted?**

As with any internship your spot isn't guaranteed. Your application is subject to camp management approval.





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