

SUMMER TEACHING PROGRAMME 2019





Since being founded in 2005, Teach English In China has built strong relationships with established schools and organisations across the country and helped over 1,000 people find a teaching placement in China. Over the years, we have set up a number of different programmes in order to provide those looking to experience China a variety of placements to choose from.

Each member of our team has lived and worked in China, and we use our personal experience to deliver a high-quality service to candidates taking part in all of our programmes. Through our pre-departure training, Lesson Plan Library, and passionate and supportive alumni network, we aim to ensure our candidates feel confident and prepared and can make the most out of this life-changing experience.

SUMMER TEACHING PROGRAMME

Run in conjunction with a carefully selected handful of schools, our Summer Teaching Programme has been running for many years. We work closely alongside our partner schools to provide safe, comfortable and rewarding summer teaching placements in China. Our various partner organisation allow us to offer placements that vary in duration and location.

PROGRAMME OVERVIEW

Our Summer Teaching programme offers you the chance to gain important professional skills and experience, whilst getting a taste of one of the most exciting countries in the world. Whichever programme or location you choose, you'll work alongside a number of like-minded students and graduates, who will soon become good friends. As a Summer Teacher, you'll be responsible for planning and leading your own lessons with students aged 7-15. You'll have the help of a local teaching assistant and a curriculum, but how you teach is largely up to you!

Outside of teaching hours, you'll have the chance to participate in activities with your students or explore the local area with your colleagues. Our Summer Teaching placements are unpaid positions, though all participants receive a small monthly allowance of approx.140 RMB. Following the placement, you'll have the chance to travel to different cities to get the most out of your stay.

DATES

Our Summer Teaching Programme takes place during the Chinese school holidays. The exact dates change each year and differ depending on which location you choose, so we ask that all applicants are available throughout the whole of July.

2-WEEK PROGRAMME

1st – 3rd week of July

7 WEEK PROGRAMME

Late June – mid- August





LOCATIONS

Our Summer Teaching Programme runs in three different locations;

[Haining](#)

[Huzhou](#)

[Xuzhou](#)

Candidates applying for our 2-week programme will have the chance to express location preferences. We aim to place our candidates in their chosen city, though we can't guarantee this will always be possible.

If you're applying with a friend, let us know and we will endeavour to place you in the same city.

FOOD & ACCOMMODATION

Food and accommodation is provided throughout the duration of the teaching placement. This will be either a room within a shared apartment or a shared hotel room with another participant of the same sex. All accommodation is equipped with essential amenities (western toilet, washing machine, shower, air conditioning etc.) to make your stay as comfortable.

Three meals per day are provided throughout your stay. These will be served on the school campus and will be a mixture of Chinese and Western food. If you have any allergies, you'll be given a chance to express this to Teach English In China prior to departure. Should you want to, you will have the chance to eat in the local area, though you will be responsible for the cost of any meals outside of the school.



SUPPORT

Each member of our team has taught English in China, so we know just how scary making the move can be. From the moment you enrol to the moment you arrive back home, you'll have access to support from our team and community. We'll take you through the visa process step-by-step to ensure you obtain the correct visa in time for your placement to begin.

Upon your return home, you'll have the chance to take on part-time roles with Teach English In China to stay involved, boost your CV further, and share your knowledge of the placement. Roles include giving presentations, attending Orientation Days, writing articles and producing videos.

TRAINING

Our Summer Teaching Programme is designed to ensure our participants head out to China feeling confident and prepared. We understand that most people don't have previous formal teaching experience, so we work to ensure everyone has access to useful resources and guidance before the placement begins.

All participants will be invited to attend an Orientation Day in London prior to departure. This involves teacher training with previous participants, a logistics session to help you know what to expect and the chance to speak with people who have lived in China. Here you will meet the other participants in the programme, many of whom you'll be working with during the camp.



IN-COUNTRY SUPPORT

Having been in the business since 2005, we've developed a strong support network both in the UK and China. We aim to ensure participants in all our programmes feel supported both before and during their placement and can always call on us if any problems arise.

A Teach English In China representative will be on hand to help when any problems arise. You will be part of a large group of Summer Teaching participants whom you'll work alongside during the camp. Going to China without your friends or family can be an intimidating prospect, but our camp is designed to ensure you're surrounded by like-minded people and get the support you need to have an unforgettable experience.

TRAVELLING

While the teaching camp is an extremely rewarding experience that will create lifelong memories, it would be a shame to travel all the way to China and not see more than the city you're placed in. Luckily, the visa you're issued will last for longer than your teaching placement, meaning you'll have the chance to explore other cities and provinces with your new friends.

Year after year our Summer Teachers decide to do just this and have travelled to China's mega-cities Beijing and Shanghai as well as further afield to places like Zhangjiajie, Fenghuang, Guilin and Xi'an. This is a great way to reward yourself after your hard work and to get to see more of this vast and interesting country. You will need to cover the cost of any travel after your placement, though we are happy to share our tips and advice on travelling around China on a budget!



PRICES

The cost of participation in our Summer Teaching Programme varies depending on your chosen duration. Prices are as follows:

2-week placement: £349

7-week placement: £549

FEE PAYMENT

The first half of the placement fee must be paid upon enrolment. The second instalment must be paid by 01/04/2018. Only when the full fee has been paid will Teach English In China be able to introduce your profile to our partner schools.

THE PRICE INCLUDES

The programme fee includes a number of pre-departure services that are specially designed to ensure you head to China feeling confident and prepared. From help with visas and logistics to teaching tips and advice for living in China, we are here to help every step of the way.

The key services included in the fee are:

Food and accommodation

Pre-departure Orientation Day

Access to our Lesson Plan Library and Member's Area

Private Facebook group with all participants

Visa support and guidance

In-country support

Reference on request

FIND OUT MORE

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