

## 招募海外臺僑志工參與臺南市第二官方語言政策 國中小學英語教學計畫專案報名簡章(草案)

### 背景

臺南市致力推動英語為第二官方語言政策，臺南市政府第二官方語言專案辦公室透過本專案與 ICYE 合作，招募英語為母語之海外台僑志工，參與臺南市公立國中小學英語或雙語教學計畫，增加學童聽說英語、使用英語之機會，並希望透過本專案之執行，建立臺南市政府與海外台僑合作模式，共同推動臺南市英語為第二官方語言政策。特別感謝財團法人台南市富樂夢教育基金會贊助本專案。

臺灣學生從小學習英文，卻鮮少用於日常生活，ICYE 提供交流平台，透過引進國際志工進行語言交換，期許臺灣學生能在與台僑青年互動中，多方了解異國文化，並培養勇於開口說英文的自信心。本計畫招募之海外台僑志工將進駐臺南市國中小學，於學期間配合學校進行英語交流活動，為學童在校園中創造使用英語的環境和機會，提升學童的英語聽說能力。

如果你想更認識家鄉的文化及語言，或是你現在正處於人生的十字路口，想為自己累積一些歷練與經驗，也許你可以考慮參加這項臺南市政府和 ICYE 共同規劃的專案。

本專案提供參加者獨特的機會，讓你到好像有點熟悉、又有點陌生的國度生活與服務，除了能真正體驗在地文化之外，還能開發你的潛能，給自己一個重新定義的機會！

**來臺服務時間**(參加者必須在規定接機日抵達臺灣，並參與志工訓練課程)：

- ◆ 107 年暑假半年梯次：107 年 8 月-108 年 2 月
- ◆ 107 年暑假一年梯次：107 年 8 月-108 年 8 月
- ◆ 108 年寒假半年梯次：108 年 2 月-108 年 8 月

**招募名額**：至多 20 名

### 申請資格

- ◆ 年滿 18 歲(申請簽證時需滿 18 歲)-28 歲，如年齡不符資格卻具高度熱誠者，歡迎來信洽詢。
- ◆ 具獨立性、對英語教學有熱忱與創意。
- ◆ 限台裔青年(祖父母、父母，其中一人為臺灣籍)參加，惟申請前須先自行確認所屬國家的簽證條件。
- ◆ 在臺灣全職服務 6 個月或 1 年。

**應繳資料**：英文申請表、大頭照和生活照各一張、Motivation letter

#### 申請截止日期：

- ◆ 107 年 8 月梯次：即日起至 107 年 7 月 15 日
- ◆ 108 年 2 月梯次：即日起至 107 年 12 月 31 日

#### 服務內容介紹：

- ◆ 擔任英語助教角色，協助老師進行英語會話教學
- ◆ 相關課輔
- ◆ 文化活動
- ◆ 與學生用英語交流

服務時數：每週不超過 35 小時。

#### 住宿

- ◆ 接待家庭：大部分的志工會被安排住在接待家庭，藉此深度認識在地文化，並創造學習本地語言的機會。
- ◆ 宿舍：少部分志工會住在學校提供的宿舍。

絕大部分的志工會有自己的房間，少部分人則需要與其他同性者同住一房。

#### 訓練營會

抵達臺灣後，ICYE 將舉辦相關訓練營會，並隨時掌握志工的服務狀況，持續陪伴直到志工回國後。

本方案所提供的培訓營會包括：

- ◆ 期初營：目的在讓參加者適應環境、認識同梯志工朋友並學習新事物。
- ◆ 期中營：是針對一年期參加者而設的活動，志工們可以互相分享生活及服務狀況，ICYE 也會參與討論並評估志工的適應情形。
- ◆ 期末營：所有志工皆須參加，彼此討論自己的服務經驗與見聞。

#### 例休

- ◆ 週休 2 日，但若學校週末有活動會另找時間休假。
- ◆ 依照國定假日休假。
- ◆ 排假之前，需先與學校討論。
- ◆ 服務時間之外可由志工自由安排、運用自己的時間。

參加者應自付費用：機票、簽證、居留證等相關費用、在台生活費。

#### 志工福利：

- ◆ 零用金：月領台幣 3,800 元。

- ◆ 休假：除例休外，一年期志工可享 4 週特休、半年期者可享 2 週特休，以上休假期間須配合寒、暑假。
- ◆ 食宿安排：由接待家庭或工作單位無償提供台僑志工在台服務期間的食宿。
- ◆ 在台旅行平安險：在台服務期間皆由 ICYE 提供醫療及意外險。
- ◆ 服務期滿半年者可享有臺灣健保。
- ◆ 服務期滿將由台南市政府頒發感謝狀。

**申請方式：**下載並填寫申請表，寄至 [icyetaiw@msl.hinet.net](mailto:icyetaiw@msl.hinet.net)，通過書面審核者再另安排線上面談。

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Recruiting overseas Taiwanese volunteers whose native language is English to teach English at primary schools and secondary schools as part of the English as the Second Official Language (EASOL) Policy of Tainan City Government

### **Background**

Tainan City Government has been actively promoting its EASOL policy through various measures. The Office of English as the Second Official Language of Tainan City Government (OEASOL) cooperated with International Cultural Youth Exchange Taiwan (ICYE Taiwan) to recruit Taiwanese living abroad whose native language is English to teach English at primary schools and secondary schools. This project is considered part of the city's bilingual education program, which aims to increase students' exposure to English and the overall proficiency level in English among children. Through this project, OEASOL hopes to establish a long-term collaborative relationship between Tainan City Government and Taiwanese who live abroad to further promote the EASOL policy. OEASOL would also like to express its gratitude towards Flomo Education Foundation for its sponsorship for this program.

Though the majority of Taiwanese students start learning English at a young age, they rarely use it on a daily basis. This issue has caught the attention of ICYE, who created a platform for international volunteers to engage with Taiwanese students in language learning. ICYE has hoped that the interactions between local students and those who live abroad could motivate both sides to develop a better understanding of foreign cultures and in turn prompt students to speak English. All volunteers in this project will be teaching at local primary schools and secondary schools in Tainan and conduct a series of interactive English-learning activities according to the needs of different schools. Volunteers are expected to ameliorate the English-learning environment within school campuses and bolster student's abilities to listen to and speak in English.

If you are interested in knowing more about the culture and language of where you or your family come from, or if you are currently at a crossroad in life and thirsting for a unique experience, then this project might be something that you would want to participate in. This project offers you opportunities to volunteer and live in a place that is culturally foreign yet, perhaps, peculiarly familiar to you. We hope to give you an authentic experience of the local culture and an opportunity to realize your potential!

### **Duration**

(Please note that participants are required to arrive at Taiwan on the scheduled pick-up day in order to participate in the mandatory training sessions on time)

- 2018 Summer Short-term Session: Aug. 2018- Feb. 2019
- 2018 Summer Long-term Session: Aug. 2018- Aug. 2019
- 2019 Winter Short-term Session: Feb. 2019- Aug. 2019

### **Number of Participants**

20 individuals max

### **Qualifications**

- Participants' native language has to be English
- Participants have to be aged between 18-28; you have to be 18 years old by the time you apply for visa. If you are interested in this program yet your age does not meet this requirement, please feel free to contact us
- Participants have to be independent and passionate and creative about English teaching
- One of the participant's parents and/or grandparents has to be a citizen of Taiwan (R.O.C). Participants will also be responsible for the application for visa in your own countries
- Participants are required to volunteer in Taiwan full-time for either 6 months or a year

### **Required Documents**

- An English application form
- A photo of you (preferably passport photos)
- A casual photo of you (e.g. school or family pictures)
- A motivation letter

### **Application Deadlines**

- 2018 Summer Session: 2018/7/15
- 2019 Winter Session: 2018/12/31

### **What you will do**

- Serve as a teacher assistant to help teachers with teaching English conversations
- Arrange after-school tutor sessions
- Organize cultural activities

- Interact with students in English

### **Service Hours**

35 hours max per week

### **Accommodation**

- Host families - most volunteers will be living with their assigned host families who will introduce them to local culture and give them opportunities to learn the local language
- Dorms - some volunteers will be living in the dorms provided by schools

(Note: most volunteers will have their own room; only a small number of them will be sharing a room with someone of the same sex)

### **Camps for Volunteers**

Upon participants' arrival at Taiwan, ICYE will hold a training camp for all volunteers. ICYE will also follow up on all volunteers' service at schools and be a constant presence in all volunteers' lives until they leave Taiwan. There are three scheduled camps in this project:

- Beginning-of-semester camp: participants will get to familiarize themselves with the environment and know each other
- Mid-term camp: this is only for those who will be volunteering for a year. Volunteers will be sharing their lives and experiences in Taiwan with each other; ICYE staff will also join the discussion and evaluate how well participants have adapted themselves to the local environment
- End-of-semester camp: all volunteers are required to participate and discuss their teaching experience and reflections

### **Holidays**

- Volunteers will take days off on weekends and national holidays
- Normally, volunteers could rest on weekends; should your school hold any events on weekends and need your help, you would reschedule your breaks with the school where you teach
- Any personal leave schedule should be arranged with individuals who are responsible in the school
- Volunteers are free to arrange their own activities outside of class

### **Participants' own expenses**

- Flight tickets
- Visa
- Alien resident certificate (and any other relevant fees)
- Living expenses

### **Volunteer's benefits**

- A petty cash of 3800 NT per month
- Holidays: in addition to the regular holidays mentioned above, one-year volunteers will have a 4-week break and those who volunteer for 6 months will have a 2-week break. All breaks will be scheduled in accordance with the dates of local summer and winter vacations.
- Accommodation: your host family or school will provide you with free meals and accommodation during your service in Taiwan
- Travel insurance: ICYE will provide you with health and casualty insurance during your service in Taiwan
- You will be guaranteed local health insurance after staying in Taiwan for more than 6 months
- You will receive a certificate of appreciation from Tainan City Government by the end of your service

### **How to Apply**

- 1) Download and fill out the application form, email to [icyetaiw@ms1.hinet.net](mailto:icyetaiw@ms1.hinet.net)
- 2) If your application is accepted, you will be notified to schedule an online interview

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