

- Do you like children? Do you enjoy teaching your language?
- Do you want to experience the Spanish culture at first hand and improve your **Spanish language skills?**
- · Would you like to make lifelong friends abroad?

You can make it happen by living as part of an Spanish family. You'll help care for your host family's children and teach them your language in exchange for the experience of living as a family member in a Spanish household. You will receive private room, full board 7 days a week and weekly pocket money.

Learning Spanish in its native country can significantly improve your skills set for your future career, as bilingual workers are in high demand in today's global economy. Add international experience to your resume.

CULTURE & FRIENDS is a cultural exchange organization based Madrid, which is an Accredited member of the IAPA (International Au Pair Association)



1. Screening: Our agency screens all host families.

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within a safe environment!

2. Local In-Country Support: Secondary placement if needed, giving advice, connecting with other Au Pairs and making the most of your time abroad.

3. Safety: You know the host family is real (avoid internet scams).

4. Protection: You do not put yourself in danger.

5. Experience: Our agency benefits from the 20 years of experience of IAPA within the Au Pair programs.

Go with the program that will be Safe, Fun and Rewarding. Go with an IAPA approved Au Pair agency.











Programs available:

- Au Pair standard: Between 25-30 hours weekly in exchange of 70-80€ weekly
- Language Tutor: 15 hours weekly for English conversation and teaching English to kids and family. No pocket money received.
- Au Pair & Study program: Au Pair / language tutor placement + Spanish lessons. For those requiring a student visa.
- Thinking about taking a GAP year? Ask for our Combined Programs: You can be an Au Pair in different cities in Spain (Madrid, Barcelona, Sevilla) ... or even in different cities in Europe (France, Germany, Italy...)

Requirements:

- Age between 18 and 30 years old. Male accepted.
- English as native spoken language or high level of English. Some families require French, German...
- Non EU citizens can stay for a maximum of 3 months.
 To stay longer than 3 months they must hold a student visa or residence permit. We assist with process.
- Be in good health and have no criminal record.
- Desire to care for children and teach them your language, must enjoy children and have childcare abilities.

A cost efficient way to travel and learn about Spain

Program characteristics:

- Private room and full board 7 days a week.
- Pocket Money between 70€ and 80€ weekly. Language Tutors do not receive pocket money.
- Working hours: Between 25-30 hours weekly and up to 2 nights of baby-sitting. 15 hours for Language Tutors.
- Weekends free and time available to attend Spanish lessons daily.
- Holidays: 1 week paid vacation for every 6 months period of service.
- Support services throughout the program in Spain by local agency: Welcome pack and guidelines, Au Pair meetings, outings and social agenda, replacement if needed.
- Administration fee of 80€ if you do not need an Au Pair visa. If you need to obtain an Au Pair visa, the fee will be 150€.
- Flight, Spanish lessons and Travel / Medical insurance to be paid by Au Pair.

How to apply:

STEP 1: Contact us by email **info@aupairinspain.com** or go to our website **www.aupairinspain.com** and fill out our online registration form so we can see your characteristics and requirements. If you are eligible for the program, you will receive by email password and instructions to access our platform to upload the required documents and create your online profile, so you can get started.

STEP 2: Book your Skype call with our AU PAIR IN SPAIN team so we can explain to you all process in detail, tell you about the families available and answer all your questions.

STEP 3: You need to upload in your private area at least these 3 main documents (Application form, Presentation letter and picture of you). Then you will be able to receive family proposals and start contacting families.

STEP 4: Once you have been accepted by a Host Family you like, and uploaded completed documentation required, you will sign the agreement between Host Family and Au Pair. This document must be signed by you before departing for Spain.

STEP 5: Once your placement has been confirmed, you must pay the agency administration fee (if applicable) prior to arrival to Spain. You will receive then our Welcome Package, Guidelines and Contact List of other Au Pairs in your area.

Au Pair role:

The Au Pair's responsibilities in Spain include mainly teaching their language (English, German, French,...) to the kids and housework related to the children: baby-sitting, helping the children get dressed, making breakfast, light meal preparation, keeping their rooms tidy, taking them to school and collecting them at the end of the day.

The opportunity of your life, an unforgettable experience

Testimonials:

"It was one of the most rewarding summers ever. There is something very special about living with a Spanish family... you really get a taste of another culture. The whole experience was so magical and I would gladly do it again".

– Amber, Au Pair from Canada

"I really enjoyed my time in Spain with the family and also with the new friends I have made out there, I will definitely be returning to Madrid to visit the family and my friends!"

– Abi, Au Pair from UK