

Kanada

Length of placements: 4-12 months; - Schools - leaving September 06 for 10-11 months; - Caring - leaving September 06 or January 07 for 6-12 months; - Camp Placements – leaving between January and June 07 until the end of August or later; - Caring Camps- (same dates as Camps above); - Marine Biology – leaving September 06 for 4 months

Location: GAP has placements across Canada. Canada has very diverse climates and geography. The west coast is mountainous, mild and quite rainy. Central and eastern British Columbia is stunning, with snowy winters and sometimes very hot summers. Central Canada is very cold in the winter and hot and humid in the summer. It is generally flat, with beautiful lakes and forests. And eastern Canada along the Atlantic coast is snowy in the winter and mild in the summer.

Typical accommodation: Volunteers will receive free accommodation and food on school premises in caring institutions, camps and as part of the Marine Science centre.

Living allowance: Volunteers will receive a regular, small amount of pocket money, payments vary per placement.

Insurance: You must have valid travel insurance for the time you are in Canada. GAP has an insurance package that has been specially negotiated for GAPpers, however you are at liberty to take alternative insurance.

Visa & flight arrangements: GAP will provide information and assistance with your flight and visa application process once you are accepted into the programme.

English fluency: A good command of English must be proven during a telephone interview.

GAP contribution: The GAP contribution of € 1400,- includes: A managed selection process; The identification and vetting of suitable voluntary work placements in Canada; Matching you to a suitable placement; Assistance with visa, flight and insurance arrangements; One day briefing/information day in Germany (probably in Bonn, travel expenses not included); 2 day orientation for those going to schools placements in September; Support while in Canada, GAP has representatives in Canada through its partner organisation "You-Lead", and a 24 hour emergency telephone number.

Deadline: 31.12.2005 / 01.09.2006 / 31.12.2006



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Volunteer - Freiwilligenarbeit

Die **Nachwuchsförderung der Zentralstelle für Arbeitsvermittlung** vermittelt in Zusammenarbeit mit GAP Activity Projects Volunteer-Stellen in

Australien, Großbritannien, Indien, Kanada, Mexiko, Neuseeland, Thailand

Mögliche Einsatzgebiete sind:

- Betreuer an Internaten
- Sozialarbeit
- Betreuer in Camps
- Umweltschutz
- Deutsch als Fremdsprache Trainer



Thailand

Length of placements: The placements run from May or November for 4 – 5 months.

Location: GAP has placements in central and south Thailand.

Typical accommodation and Food: Volunteers will receive free accommodation on the schools premises where possible, and in teacher`s hostels. In some cases, they will share accommodation near to the school provided by teaching staff or friends of the school. As the schools are mostly day schools, lunches and possibly some other meals will be provided free, but as a general rule, volunteers should expect to provide, for themselves, breakfasts, evening meals and all meals at the weekends.

Living allowance: Volunteers will receive a regular, small amount of pocket money of probably 2000 Baht (ca. 40 EUR) per month. This may vary from school to school depending on the school situation. Volunteers have to accept this variation.

Insurance: You must have valid travel insurance for the time you are in Thailand. GAP strongly recommends an insurance package that has been specially negotiated for GAPpers, however you are at liberty to take alternative insurance.

Visa & flight arrangements: GAP will provide information and assistance with your flight and visa application process once you are accepted into the program.

English fluency:

A good command of English must be proven during a telephone interview.

GAP contribution: The GAP contribution of €1900 includes: A managed selection process; The identification and vetting of suitable voluntary work placements in Thailand; Matching you to a suitable placement; Assistance with visa, flight and insurance arrangements; One day briefing/information day in Germany (probably in Bonn in June 2006), travel expenses not included; Teaching skills course 5 days. This course will take place in Bonn; Orientation one weekend, food accommodation; Support while in Thailand. GAP has representatives around Thailand and a 24 hour emergency telephone number.

Deadline: 01.02.2006 / 01.08.2006

Großbritannien

Period: September 2006 until March or July 2007 (all school placement always from September 2006 until July 2007).

Participants: Male and female Germans who have finished their schooling or are at university or in training; **Age-limits:** 18 to 25; **Command of English:** A good command of English has to be proven during a telephone interview.

Work types: **CARING** Assisting with disabled young people and adults in schools, colleges and homes; **SCHOOLS** Voluntary work in boarding schools, caring for children and offering some support in German classes. In boarding schools "assistant teachers" also help with-school activities, e.g. with sport, art, music or drama groups; Assisting and instructing in a centre for outdoor activities or environmental studies

Accommodation and food: Accommodation and food will be provided together with a subsistence allowance of a minimum of £ 45/week

Area of employment: Throughout UK and Ireland

Time schedule: Informal telephone discussion, Arrival in London in September 2006, Orientation course in Great Britain at the beginning of September 2006

GAP contribution: The GAP contribution of € 1400,- includes: A managed selection process; The identification and vetting of suitable voluntary work placements in UK; Matching the volunteer to a suitable placement; Assistance with travel and insurance arrangements in UK; A two day Orientation Course with full board and lodging on arrival in Reading; In country support that balances independence with a duty of care (GAP's Project Manager for your country and other members of GAP's volunteer staff are involved in providing pastoral care - this includes a visit to the volunteer at their placement within 12 weeks of their arrival.); Contact details of all relevant staff, including a 24 hour emergency telephone number to be called in the event of an emergency.

Deadline: 31.12.2005 / 31.12.2006



**Informationen zu Ihren Möglichkeiten,
Bewerberinformationen, Personalbögen, die aktuellen
Bewerbungstermine und Erfahrungsberichte von
früheren Teilnehmern gibt es beim Team Jobs und
Praktika der ZAV.**

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Neuseeland

Length of placements: Placements run from late August 2006 to late August 2007 (12 months). There are also a few places starting in January 07 to August 07.

Location: GAP has placements in both the North and South island, mainly in boarding schools, but there are a few in day schools where you live with a host family

Typical accommodation: Depending on where you are placed you may be accommodated in a shared apartment, a boarding house within the school, or with a host family. All meals are provided; if not, a food allowance will be given in addition to your living allowance.

Living allowance: The living allowance is in the region of NZ\$100 (approx € 50) per week. Your living allowance is enough to cover your day-to-day needs and should not be considered as a wage. A GAP placement is a volunteer placement. Please note, during the school holidays you may have to find your own food although your room will remain available.

Insurance: You must have valid travel insurance for the time you are in New Zealand. GAP has an insurance package that has been specially negotiated for GAPpers, however you are free to take alternative insurance.

Visa & flight arrangements: GAP will provide information and assistance with your flight and visa application process once you are accepted into the program.

English fluency: A good command of English must be proven during a telephone interview.

GAP fee: The GAP fee of €1400,- includes: A managed selection process; The identification and vetting of suitable voluntary work placements in New Zealand; Matching you to a suitable placement; Assistance with visa, flight and insurance arrangements; One day briefing in Germany (probably in Bonn in June 06); Orientation seminar with full board and lodging on arrival in Auckland; Support while in New Zealand. The GAP support network is quite extensive, including a permanent member of GAP staff near Auckland, GAP Agents on each Island and a 24 hour emergency telephone number.

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Indien

Length of placements: The placements run from January / February or September 2006 for 4 - 6 months.

Location: GAP has placements in the North East and North West of India.

Typical accommodation and Food: Free board and lodging are usually provided, though the poorer hosts may ask for a contribution. Host organisations provide board and lodgings either in a separate room on the premises or in a flat or guest house not far away. Living conditions vary, though are often very basic; a bucket shower and squat toilets are the norm and hot water is often unreliable. Food is usually a simple Indian diet, often vegetarian e.g. rice and dhal (lentils) and can be monotonous. Volunteers will need to monitor their own health and maybe supplement their diet with fresh fruit and even vitamin pills.

Living allowance: Unlikely to receive anything. Some placements may require the volunteers to pay an additional contribution towards food – this will be minimal.

Insurance: You must have valid travel insurance for the time you are in India. GAP strongly recommends an insurance package that has been specially negotiated for GAPpers, however you are at liberty to take alternative insurance.

Visa & flight arrangements: GAP will provide information and assistance with your flight and visa application process once you are accepted into the program.

English fluency: A good command of English must be proven during a telephone interview.

GAP contribution: The GAP contribution of €1400 includes: A managed selection process; The identification and vetting of suitable voluntary work placements in India; Matching you to a suitable placement; Assistance with visa, flight and insurance arrangements; One day briefing/information day in Germany (probably in Bonn in December 2005 / August 2006), travel expenses not included; A two day orientation seminar with full board and lodging on arrival in Delhi. This includes a tour of the city and a short Hindi course; Support while in India. GAP has representatives around India and a 24 hour emergency telephone number.

Deadline: 01.06.2006 / 01.10.2006



Mexiko

Length of placements: 5 months starting in February or September 2006.

Location: Placements are available in or near Cuernavaca, Guadalajara, Puebla and Tehuacan.

Typical accommodation and Food: All host organisations provide free board and lodging either on the premises or in the homes of families living nearby. Host families can have very different social and economic circumstances. Some volunteers will be assigned to wealthier families and others to poorer families; families are not paid for their hospitality so please accept the accommodation you are given with good grace and gratitude.

Living allowance: No pocket money is paid to volunteers in Mexico. Some host families have limited means so in these and in some placements where the volunteers live at the institution you may need to supplement your diet, as the staple diet for most people is rice, beans and maize tortillas.

Insurance: You must have valid travel insurance for the time you are in Mexico. GAP strongly recommends an insurance package that has been specially negotiated for GAPpers, however you are at liberty to take alternative insurance.

Visa & flight arrangements: GAP will provide information and assistance with your flight and visa application process once you are accepted into the program.

English fluency/Spanish fluency: A good command of English must be proven during a telephone interview.

You will find yourself working in a totally Spanish speaking environment and should have a good command of spoken Spanish.

GAP contribution: The GAP contribution of €1400 includes: A managed selection process; The identification and vetting of suitable voluntary work placements in Mexico; Matching you to a suitable placement; Assistance with visa, flight and insurance arrangements; One day briefing/information day in Germany (probably in Bonn in June 2006), travel expenses not included; Orientation one weekend, food accommodation; Support while in Mexico. GAP has representatives around Mexico and a 24 hour emergency telephone number.

Deadline

01.06.2006 / 01.10.2006

Australien

Length of placements: The placements run from late July 2006 to late December 2006 or from late January 2007 to mid July 2007

Location: GAP has placements throughout all the Australian States and Territories, some in cities, some in country towns, some in remote campuses.

Typical accommodation: Depending on where you are placed you may be accommodated in a shared apartment, a boarding house within the school, or with a host family. All meals are provided; if not, a food allowance will be given in addition to your living allowance.

Living allowance: Living allowance ranges from A\$70 and A\$170 (approx. €40 - €100) with the average about A\$100 per week. Your living allowance is enough to cover your day-to-day needs and should not be considered as a wage. A GAP placement is a volunteer placement.

Insurance: You must have valid travel insurance for the time you are in Australia. GAP strongly recommends an insurance package that has been specially negotiated for GAPpers, however you are at liberty to take alternative insurance

Visa & flight arrangements: GAP will provide information and assistance with your flight and visa application process once you are accepted into the program.

English fluency: A good command of English must be proven during a telephone interview.

GAP contribution: The GAP contribution of € 1400,- includes: A managed selection process; The identification and vetting of suitable voluntary work placements in Australia; Matching you to a suitable placement; Assistance with visa, flight and insurance arrangements;

One day briefing in Germany (probably in Bonn in June 2006); Orientation seminar with full board and lodging on arrival in Melbourne; Support while in Australia. The GAP support network is quite extensive, including a full-time office in Melbourne, volunteer representatives in all States and Territories throughout Australia, and a 24 hour emergency telephone number.

Deadline

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