

Bring an international perspective to your school

EXCHANGE VISITOR TEACHER PROGRAM



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*“I do not know of a time
in our country’s history where these types of
cultural exchanges, to develop a better understanding
between people, are more important
than right now”*

*Dave Causer
President*

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GEC is a proud member of Southwestern Family of Companies, established in Nashville, Tennessee in 1855.

We are a diversified, growing, international, and employee-owned company built on a foundation of principles and purpose.

A designated sponsor of the U.S. Department of State's Bridge USA programs, GEC connects highly-qualified international teachers with U.S. K-12 host schools to promote cultural exchange and public diplomacy.

Program Overview

Exchange Visitor Teacher Program
leads to great mutual benefits.

The Exchange Visitor Teacher Program has provided U.S. classrooms with thousands of highly qualified international teachers.

E.V. Teacher Program is a BridgeUSA cultural exchange program category that brings international teachers and U.S. schools together. While teachers find a chance to teach and immerse themselves in the American lifestyle for up to 5 years, U.S. schools enjoy the great benefits of diversified education with qualified international teachers in the classrooms.

The program promotes the interchange of U.S. and foreign teachers and enhance mutual understanding between the people of the United States and other countries. The teachers return home after the exchange to share their experiences and increased knowledge of the United States and the U.S. educational system.

Great benefits for schools

Host highly
qualified teachers
at primary and
secondary schools
for up to 5 years

Reliable
source for your
high demand
teaching positions

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A Reliable Resource For High Demand Positions



Teachers for all subjects and grade levels.



We have a database with thousands of teachers for grades K-12 and all subjects you may need.

- ✓ Math
- ✓ Science
- ✓ Elementary Ed.
- ✓ Pre-K
- ✓ ELA
- ✓ EFL
- ✓ Special Education
- ✓ Spanish
- ✓ French
- ✓ German
- ✓ Mandarin
- ✓ Art
- ✓ Music
- ✓ Health education
- ✓ Business education

Who are GEC teachers?

Requirements for exchange visitor teachers



All GEC teachers must satisfy these eligibility criteria to participate in the Teach in the USA program.

- ▶ A degree in education equivalent to a U.S. bachelor's degree.
- ▶ Minimum two years full-time teaching experience after date of Bachelor's Degree.
- ▶ The degree must be from an accredited university.
- ▶ Advanced proficiency in oral and written English.
- ▶ Credential evaluation from an approved USA agency.

Who can host GEC teachers?

Requirements for host schools.



All accredited public and private U.S. primary and secondary schools (K-12) are eligible to host exchange visitor teachers.

- ▶ Teaching positions must be full time (min. 32 hours per week) of teaching or teaching-related administrative activities
- ▶ Teaching positions, including duties, responsibilities, hours of employment, and compensation are commensurate with those of similarly-situated U.S. teachers
- ▶ Teachers should start at the beginning of the academic year

Our Impact

We recruit teachers from all over the world.

GEC has a global network and a dedicated team
to find the best teachers
for your classrooms.



We are globally working with universities, ministries of education, and teacher communities
throughout the year to present qualified teachers at all times.

Teacher Screening

We screen and select the best educators
from around the globe.

Each GEC teacher is accepted to the program after a meticulous screening and interview process.





How it works



Hiring international teachers made easy!

Meet your GEC consultant

We will analyze your needs and decide the best strategy to bring world-class teachers to your classrooms.

Access teacher database

Sign up for GEC's teacher recruiting platform to create your job postings for your vacant positions.

Select your teachers

Review pre-screened international teachers and add them to your favorites.



How it works?

Welcome your teachers

GEC monitors the participants during their stay and provides them with 24/7 emergency support.

Hire your teachers

Upload your job offer to MyGEC to finalize the hiring process. Next, we will initiate the steps for your visa application.

Interview your teachers

You can easily schedule interviews with GEC teachers in our recruiting platform, MyGEC.

Support

We strive to provide the most rewarding cultural exchange opportunities for both host schools and exchange teachers.



GEC will be the program sponsor of your exchange visitor teachers.

Your teachers will be our exchange visitor program participants. We will be monitoring them before and after they arrive in the U.S.

GEC PROVIDES

- ✓ Exchange visitor program administration
- ✓ Document verification
- ✓ Pre-arrival orientation training about living and working in the USA.
- ✓ Assistance for housing arrangements
- ✓ Assistance to obtain a Social Security Number
- ✓ Health insurance and 24/7 emergency support
- ✓ Ongoing support for cultural exchange and professional development



Peace of mind with GEC



Seamless international teacher placement.

With GEC, you eliminate the hassle of coordinating with multiple agencies. Enjoy our streamlined placement and visa process, saving you time and effort.

Large database of teachers

We recruit teachers from more than 60 countries, and we add thousands of new ones to our database each year.

Meticulous pre-screening

All GEC teachers undergo rigorous checks, ensuring you receive top-notch educators eligible for the program and licensing.

Streamlined Process

Working with GEC saves you time, reduces administrative burdens, and ensures a smoother overall experience.

Affordability

Our competitive fees and flexible payment terms make us a valuable partner.

Visa Slots Secured

We guarantee visa slots for your teachers, eliminating uncertainties.

Trusted Experience

As a leading visa sponsor with a rich history, you can rely on our expertise and reliability.

A photograph of a classroom or library setting. In the foreground, a male teacher with glasses and a light blue shirt is leaning over a black table, pointing at an open textbook. A young woman with long, wavy brown hair is sitting at the table, looking at the book. To her right, a young man with dark skin and curly hair is also sitting at the table, looking down at his work. In the background, other students are visible, and there are bookshelves filled with books. A semi-transparent blue box with white text is overlaid on the upper right portion of the image.

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value of cultural exchange
and diversity.

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We are GEC.
We design experiences for life
and positively impact the world.

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