

THE AU PAIR PROGRAMME



PROGRAMME DETAILS

An **au pair** is a childcare provider who lives with a host family and cares for the children for a set number of hours per week, in exchange of a room, meals and a weekly pocket money.

The duties depend on the children's ages and the family's needs. General au pair duties include taking the children to and from school and playing with them, light housework, preparing meals, tutoring the children.

Au pairs should have **childcare experience** and a genuine love for children.

The **programme starts** all round the year but the best periods to leave are September and January.

The **programme length** is:

• Long-Term Au Pair: 6 to 12 months

• Summer Au Pair: 2 to 3 months

WHY TO BECOME AN AU PAIR

Being an au pair is the best way to live abroad and improve a foreign language. You will be a member of the family and you will live as they do. You will learn all about their culture and their ways to live.

During your staying you can also attend a school to improve your language.

Finally, **you don't need a lot of money** to leave. After paying the agency fees, you won't spend any money because you will have a weekly wage.



Termoli Au Pair

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WHY DON'T TRUST OF WEBSITES

There are a lot of websites where you can apply as an au pair. Since **there is no a supervisor** for these websites, you could find a lot of frauds.

Not signing a contract with the family means:

- nobody screens and selects the family;
- nobody guarantees the family will respect timetable and will give you the right wage;
- nobody guarantees assistance during your stay.

WHAT WE GUARANTEE

We have been an Au Pair agency for 6 years, so we can guarantee:



- Good service, since you have signed the enrolment form;
- Placement with a carefully screened host family;
- A private room and full board;
- A minimum salary;
- Two days off per week (usually weekends);
- Two weeks paid holiday (depending on the family);
- Picking up at the airport;
- Pre-departure pack with all information you need;
- An agency on site;
- Our agency "insurance" for all your stay.

REQUIREMENTS

To be an au pair you must:

- Be a European citizen (other citizens must have a VISA) aged between 18-30.
- Have at least an intermediate level of English.
- Have a high school diploma.
- Have previous childcare/babysitting experiences and a genuine love for children.
- Possess the physical and mental capacity and dedication to carry out the responsibilities of the program without interruption.
- Provide a clear criminal background check.
- Provide a medical report.
- Be no smoker and with driving licence (this is not necessary).

We will reserve the right to refuse an applicant if we believe he/she is unsuitable for our programme.



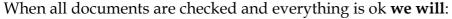
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HOW TO APPLY

If you want to become an au pair **you must**:

- Contact our agency sending an email a termoliaupair@hotmail.com;
- Have a Skype interview (in English) with us;
- If you are suitable, pay the enrolment fee of 85€;
- Fill the enrolment form with all information required;
- Send us the medical certificate and police report.



- Contact our agencies in the country of your preferred destination and send them your full profile;
- Show you suitable families;
- Organise a Skype interview with the family you like.

If the family choose you, they will send a Letter of Invitation for you. Then, you can decide to accept or not them. If so, you will be their au pair.

Finally, you will **sign the contract** with the family (where duties and rights of the au pair are explained) and you must **settle the agency fee**. This is **245€.**

Then, you are ready to leave in carefree.

If you need any further information, visit our website **www.termoliaupair.it** or contact us at **termoliaupair@hotmail.com**

We look forward to hearing from you!!



