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Intercultural Education Program Introduction

The location that you are going to live and work in

China has a civilisation with a history of nearly 5,000 years, but only experienced reform and opening up more than forty years ago. Most Chinese people had access to the world outside China later than other countries, and English as an internationally spoken language was known and learnt then, which led to the low level of English among most citizens. Although currently in China students start learning English at an early age, it is only used as a subject for exams and not as a language for communication. Traditional English education methods are unable to improve the low level of English communication and comprehensible understanding skills of learners, and the fill-in-the-blank approach to learning English only leads to machine learning and a lack of flexibility and independent thinking. To change this, excellent ESL teachers and a well-developed ESL teaching system are required.

The founder of our program has travelled the world and met young people from many different countries, whose intelligence, love of life, and sense of social responsibility she can relate to. She has been able to interact with them and learnt that they are eager to work and learn to improve their abilities, expand their horizons and gain insights, which will be beneficial to the educational system in China. Thus, a program of intercultural education has been set up. The core of the program is to provide an excellent ESL learning atmosphere with excellent foreign English teachers in the form of English classes, art classes, music classes, drama classes, and physical education classes. IEC will cover your airfare, work visa, accommodation, insurance, transportation, monthly cultural exchange activities, and professional training during the program time.

IEC would love to welcome recent graduates and young professionals to China to spend 10 to 11 months experiencing the sights and food, the customs and traditions of China, learn about Chinese traditional and modern culture, and use your love and enthusiasm to help young learners broaden new horizons in language learning. At the same time, IEC hopes that this program will become a bridge between Chinese culture and the world's cultures.

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Guangdong Province in China

The location that you are going to live and work

Guangdong Province is located in southern China and has 21 cities (Guangzhou, Shenzhen, Foshan, Dongguan, Zhongshan, Zhuhai, Jiangmen, Zhaoqing, Huizhou; Eastern Guangdong: Shantou, Chaozhou, Jieyang, Shanwei; Western Guangdong: Zhanjiang, Maoming, Yangjiang, Yunfu; Northern Guangdong: Shaoguan, Qingyuan, Meizhou, Heyuan). The permanent resident population of the province is 113.46 million. The GDP of the province has been ranked as number 1 in the country for 33 years.

Nine cities in Guangdong Province (Guangzhou, Shenzhen, Foshan, Dongguan, Zhongshan, Zhuhai, Jiangmen, Zhaoqing, Huizhou) as well as Hong Kong and Macao will work together to build the Guangdong Hong Kong Macao Greater Bay Area, which will become one of the four Bay areas in the world alongside the New York Bay area, the San Francisco Bay area, and the Tokyo Bay area. In October 2019, it was selected into the national digital economy innovation and development pilot zone.

Guangdong Province belongs to the East Asian monsoon region, with a mid-subtropical, south-subtropical and tropical climate from north to south and is one of the regions with the most abundant light, heat and water resources in China. The annual average temperature is about 19℃ -24℃. The average number of sunshine hours in the province is 1745.8 hours and the annual average temperature is 22.3℃. The average temperature in January is about 16℃ - 19℃, and in July it is about 28℃ - 29℃.

Zhongshan City- Where IEC Locates

The location that you are going to live and work

Zhongshan City is part of Guangdong Province, with 24 towns and districts. It is located in the middle of Guangdong Province and is conveniently connected to Guangzhou, Shenzhen, Dongguan, Foshan, Zhuhai, Hong Kong and Macao within a radius of 90 kilometres. The city has a total area of 1,900 square kilometers, an annual average temperature of 20°C and a resident population of 5.4 million. Zhongshan is the hometown of the great man of the generation, Dr. Sun Yat-sen. Also, Zhongshan is a famous hometown of overseas Chinese, with more than 800,000 overseas Chinese, Hong Kong, Macao and Taiwan compatriots living in 87 countries and regions on five continents of the world. It is known as the hometown of overseas Chinese, it is one of the most open coastal cities in China.

Zhongshan is a coastal area, a subtropical monsoon climate region, with a mild climate and abundant rainfall, with an average annual temperature of 21.8°C and an average annual rainfall of 1,747.4mm. The city has been awarded as "National Sanitary City", "National Garden City", "National Advanced City in Science and Technology", "National Environmental Protection City", "Civilised City of Guangdong Province", "National Advanced City in Building a Civilised City", as well as the honor of "Best Example of Human Living Environment Award" awarded by the United Nations. It is also named as the Eco-tourism Agricultural Base of Guangdong Province.

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Teaching Concept

English Teaching Concept for Children Aged 3-6

English Teaching Concept for children aged 3-6

IEC combines English teaching with the cultivation requirements of five fields (Language, Art, Math, Science, Physical Education) that must be covered in national preschool education. Through the CLIL (Content Language Integrated Learning) teaching Method, combine teaching content with language to complete the English teaching of 3-6-years-old children CLIL teaching Method emphasizes English as a language and tool. School can achieve the following goals through CLIL:

- **Cultivate students' learning and understanding of different culture and knowledge**
- **Cultivate students' communication skills among different cultures**
- **Improve students' language and oral speaking skills**
- **Cultivate students' interests and attitude towards multilingualism**
- **Provide more learning opportunities for students from different perspectives**
- **Provide more opportunities for students to be exposed to target language**
- **No need for school to arrange extra language teaching lessons**
- **Provide a variety of learning methods and forms of practice for students**

English Teaching Concept for Children Aged 7-12

English Teaching Concept for children aged 7-12

IEC incorporates with notional educational requirements of primary school and conducts bilingual instruction in Music, Art and English subjects at partner schools using English as the language of instruction.

In the process of bilingual education, two languages are used as teaching language in a planned and systematic ways. So that students can develop their overall knowledge, bilingual skills and cultural learning by speaking two languages. In bilingual course, English is a teaching tool rather then a subject.

The purpose of bilingual education

- **Help students to acquire subject knowledge**
- **Cultivate and develop students' abilities of foreign language**

Teaching Training and Teaching Support

The support that you are going to need to be a qualified foreign teacher in China

Once certified, in order to be a qualified teacher, candidates will receive a series of systematic training.

Orientation Before Coming to China

Basic teaching philosophy
Overview of Chinese education system
Related Chinese laws and regulations
Professional ethics requirements for Chinese teachers
Orientation of life in China (Culture differences)

After Arrival

Living support provided during Program Term (living guidance, how to use convienient applications on your devices, etc.)IEC provides teaching concepts, teaching methods, teaching procedures, teaching skills, teaching resources, teaching plans and PowerPoint making, teaching observation on how to be an ESL teacher in China.

Ongoing Teaching Support

Teachers will be provided continuous teaching support includes any of these: class observation group teaching preparation, regular teaching feedback and solution meeting in school, trainer online guidance, trainer training teaching plan and teaching PowerPoint checking and suggestion.

IEC Culture Immersion and Life Experience

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The culture immersion that you are going to be experiencing

Welcome Party → **Traditional Cultural Experience (Selective)** → **Food Culture (Selective)** →

Chinese Calligraphy
Chinese Tea Tasting
Chinese Paper Cut
Chinese Oil Painting
China Ceramics Making
Chinese Language Lesson

Cantonese Morning Tea
Dumpling Making
Spicy Hotpot
Street Food
Outdoor BBQ

Local Tour (Selective) → **Entertainment (Selective)** → **Social work Volunteer** → **Graduation Ceremony**

Sunwen Park
Zhan Park
Sun Yat-sen's Former President Residence Xingzhong
Plaza Pedestrian Street
Zhongshan Film Studio
High Speed Train Experiencing
Buddhist Temple

Hiking
Movie day
One Day Trip Out Of The City
Hot Spring
Two-day Travel Out Of The Province
Christmas Party
City Tour

Application Requirements

The requirements that you are required to meet

Basic Requirements

Holding a bachelor degree or above
Holding a TEFL certificate
No criminal records
Willing to learn
Passionate to teach
Being adaptable

Following Majors Will Be Primarily Considered

Degree in Art as a major
Degree in Drama as a major
Degree in Music as a major
Degree in Physical Education as a major

What Will You Get in IEC Program

- Work visa
- International flight ticket
- Monthly salary RMB7000 after tax (USD1100/month after tax)
- Accommodation
- Insurance
- Transportation
- Monthly cultural exchange activities
- Mandarin classes
- Systematic training
- 24-hour support
- Bonus

Program Aplication Process

The application process you shall be following

01 *Acknowledge the program*

02 *Send application email to talen.tan@interculturaledu.com to get the application guidance.*

03 *Submit document and Video*

04 *Interview*

05 *Receive interview feedback*

06 *Sign the program agreement*

07 *Prepare the documents*

08 *Apply for work visa*

09 *Teaching & Life Training*

10 *Purchase flight ticket*

11 *Depart*

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Questions and Answers

The questions you may want to ask

01

Why do I join this program? What is the meaning of doing so?

You can legally work and safely travel to another country with the assistance of a professional organization.
You can broaden your horizon to an internationalised level and gain precious overseas work experience.
You can help Chinese learners to open a new door of English learning and embrace different cultures.

02

What are the requirements to apply for the program?

You shall hold a bachelor degree or above
You shall hold a TEFL certificate
You must have no criminal records
You shall be willing to learn
You shall be passionate to teach
You shall be adaptable

03

Following majors will be primarily considered

Degree in Art as a major
Degree in Music as a major
Degree in Drama as a major
Degree in Physical Education as a major

04

How can I apply for this program?

Submit your CV and self introduction video to IEC's contact Email address, we will arrange an interview.

05

When can I have an interview after I submit application?

Responses will be given within 3 working days.

06

Will school interview me?

It depends, some school would request an interview with teachers (our candidates), others will authorise IEC to do the interview.

07

After this program, what options are available to me?

You can stay with IEC with the same school or another schools.
You can find other schools in the whole China by yourself.
You can go back to your own country or other countries.

08

Will IEC provide training?

Yes, considering most of our candidates do not have Chinese education background and teaching experience, we will provide systematic training including pre-departure online training, pre-job training after arrival in China and on-going training and support during the program term.

09

How many hours do I need to work on weekdays?

No more than 8 hours per day.

10

Do we only teach English in classes?

You will teach young learners all subjects in English

11

Who will pay for the flight ticket?

IEC provides one-way flight ticket from your country of residence to China, a return ticket can be purchased by yourself with the completion bonus of RMB 4,000.

12

How much do we need to prepare for living expenses in China each month?

Basically no need, IEC provides work visa, accommodation, meals, insurance, first daily necessaries upon arrival, teaching support, monthly activities, and salary.

Q13 How will meals and accommodations be arranged?

A School will provide work meals on working day. IEC will provide clean, equipped, safe accommodation for all the teachers. You will share the apartment (living room, bathroom, kitchen and balcony) with 1-2 teachers, and you will have your own bedroom.

Q14 What kind of monthly activities we will have?

A Activities that immerse Chinese traditional and modern culture, different kind of local food discovery and local life experience.

Q15 How to deal with culture shock?

A You should talk to your mentor and express your feelings. Meanwhile try to learn the history and culture of this country. You may try to make some Chinese friends as well.

Q16 Is China a safe place to live?

A Yes, China now is one of the safest place to live in, the crime rate is very low in societies.

Q17 When will I go to China?

A As soon as you get Z-visa from China Embassy/Consulate in your country, you would be expected to travel within a week or two.

Q18 Can I go back to my home country during the program?

A Yes, once your application to leave during the Program Term gets approval by School and IEC, you will be free to leave, but there will be a cost which will be on your own expenses.

Q19 When should I prepare for the work visa?

A Once you sign the Program Agreement with IEC.

Q20 How long does it take to apply for the work visa?

A 2-3 months for documents collection, 7 working days to apply for work visa in Chinese embassy/consulate in the country of your residence.

Q21 Does IEC provide a certificate for program completion?

A Yes, IEC will provide all teachers a certificate to reward your excellent performance and a recommendation letter for your next career to demonstrate your performance during the Program Term.

Q22 Do we need to interview with the school?

A Yes, you will process first round interview with IEC recruiter first, after you sign the program agreement, your second round interview will be arranged if the school require to interview with you.

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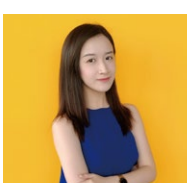

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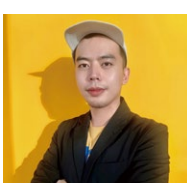

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