Schools of the German Language Assistant Programme

**St. Paul’s School**

St. Paul’s School is one of the top private schools in the UK, founded in 1509 and located right next to the Thames, in lively South-West London. The school’s 950 boys are between the ages of 13 to 18. As the assistant, you are offered accommodation right on campus, three free meals a day, and a salary. Your job will be to hold conversation classes with either individual students or in small groups. You will have your own small office where the students can come and see you for the lesson.

**Malvern College**

Malvern College is located at the backdrop of the Malvern Hills and strives to be the leading independent co-educational boarding and day school in the UK. Most of the 670 pupils who are all between the ages of 13 and 18, are boarders and live in one of the eleven houses. Malvern offers various sports, music, arts, and clubs for every interest. The school also offers the opportunity to do the IB Diploma programme, which attracts many international students. As the assistant, you are provided accommodation, you will eat lunch with the students in house, and you will get payed a salary. Your main task will be to provide conversation classes and assist other teachers. However, you are also free to take on more responsibilities or offer your own co-curricular activity. You will have the opportunity to join school trips or outdoor activities, and use the school’s sport facilities.

**Rugby School**

Rugby School is one of the oldest and most prestigious boarding schools in the UK. It is located in Rugby, Warwickshire, in the middle of England and is home to around 950 students between the ages of 11 and 18. Its numerous school buildings and sixteen boarding houses are scattered over half the town, resulting in an ample campus. As German Language Assistant, you will help other German teachers in their classes and support students in one-on-one tutoring lessons. You will also have time to engage in extra-curricular activities (like sports), take part in excursions, and travel around England. You will be assigned to one of the houses, take on duties, eat, and go on trips together with the students and other teachers.
Eton College

Eton College is an all-boys boarding school located in Eton, near Windsor. The school educates about 1300 boys between the ages of 13 and 18. It is one of England's oldest and most prestigious schools, having been founded in the year 1440 by King Henry VI. The school offers various activities for students like sports, music, and drama as well as societies.

As the German Assistant, your main task will be to prepare students for their exams by having weekly conversation classes in German. Apart from that you will also have to cover lessons in the Languages Department and attend the daily staff meeting. You can always take on more responsibilities, which is not compulsory but is certainly an advantage for your personal career.

Bishop’s Stortford College

The Bishop's Stortford College in Bishop’s Stortford, Hertfordshire, is an independent, co-educational day and boarding school for students of various age groups. The school was founded in 1868 by a group of Nonconformists and developed from a Grammar School into the current home for more than 1100 students. Located on the edge of a beautiful village between London and Cambridge, the college is attended by day pupils, full boarders, weekly boarders and flexi-boarders; all coming from different regions and countries. During term-time, they live in one of the nine boarding houses. Academic, moral, athletic, and creative aims are highly supported and everyone is appreciated – as the school is like a big family. The students and their families as well as the staff contribute to the college's unique atmosphere and outstanding reputation.

Giggleswick School

Giggleswick School is located in a small village in North Yorkshire, an area with impressive hills and pastures. The school is mainly a castle and was founded in 1499 – making it one of England's oldest schools. Both Leeds and Manchester are only an hour away by car/train.

It is a co-educational day and boarding school with around 400 students. With a very broad extra-curricular programme, the school offers many activities in which the assistants can take part: you can coach sports teams or take part in afternoon clubs.

The school provides a lovely flat and all meals during term time as payment. In addition, you can earn a bit of extra money by taking on other jobs at school or in town. You can also make use of all the facilities in school which include a various sport courts, a gym, an internet café, and IT suites. You are also able to take part in any lessons during your stay. Since Giggleswick has its own Junior School, assistants have the opportunity to teach primary level.
Badminton School

Badminton School is an independent day and boarding school for girls aged 3 to 18 years. It is situated 20 minutes away from the city centre of Bristol and is surrounded by a picturesque green area called the Dudham Down. The school was founded in 1858 by Mrs Miriam Badock in order to educate girls and offer them the same educational opportunities as boys. Today there are around 450 pupils attending the school, approximately 150 of whom are boarders who live in one of the three boarding houses on campus. As a teaching assistant at Badminton School you will work in school and in one of the boarding houses, where you will also live. Even though this is an intense working experience, it is absolutely worth it.

Christ’s Hospital

“A school like no other”- this is Christ’s Hospital, a co-educational boarding school situated near the picturesque market town of Horsham, halfway between London and Brighton. The school was founded by King Edward VI in 1552 to help poor children in London and offer them a safe place to live and to be educated. The school has stayed true to its founding principle and offers a wide range of scholarship and bursary programmes. This fact contributes to the enormous variety of pupils’ backgrounds and ethnicities. Nowadays, more than 840 pupils aged between 11 and 18 from all over the world are living together on the grounds and make this school such a special place. As the Language Assistant, you will be living on site with the pupils and the majority of teachers. You will be responsible for individual conversation sessions with the older pupils and also be encouraged to do classroom teaching.

St. Edward’s

St Edward’s is an independent, co-educational day and boarding school that was founded in 1863 and is situated in the North of the historic city of Oxford. It hosts about 680 pupils aged thirteen to eighteen. Just over half of the pupils are boys, 85% of the pupils board and therefore live in school. However, day pupils as well as boarders have their own boarding house and a room at school. There are seven boys’ and five girls’ houses. As the Assistant you will mostly be teaching one-on-one lessons with the older pupils and little groups of pupils in lower grades. However, you are invited to take responsibility in various kinds of activities like German afternoons, little clubs, sports or participation in boarding houses. The school will provide accommodation and you will get paid. Try to make the most out of the time and the chances you are given and it will be a fantastic year.