

# AMITY INSTITUTE INTERN PROGRAM

## 2021-2022 School Year Applicant Information



## OVERVIEW

As an Amity Intern, you will live in the United States, gain teaching experience and serve as an informal ambassador for your home country in a U.S. school. Interns assist in the classroom for a minimum of 32 hours per week. Most interns live with a U.S. host family who provides room and board, and an authentic glimpse into American life. The Amity Team assists you on every step of your journey, from the application process to your return home from the USA.

## HISTORY

Amity Institute is a non-profit organization and designated J1 exchange visitor program sponsor with almost 60 years of experience in educational exchange. Our mission is to build international friendship and cultural understanding through teaching exchange.



**Pictured here: One of Amity's earliest participants leads a lesson in 1968.**



## REQUIREMENTS



- Enrolled full-time in a post-secondary, degree – or certificate issuing academic institution (college/university) outside the USA OR have graduated no more than 12 months before the start date of the program
- Have an interest in a career in education
- Have sufficient proficiency in the English language to participate in the program
- Be enthusiastic about sharing culture and native language with U.S. students



## WHY INTERN?

Below are a few of the many benefits of participating in our Intern Program.

- Experience in a U.S. classroom will transform you into a versatile and adaptable educator.
- You will greatly improve your English language skills.
- You'll develop cross-cultural awareness.
- Experience abroad is a unique resume booster.
- Your professional network will grow tremendously.
- You'll increase your chances of being hired in your home country.

## CONNECT

- To learn more about Amity, visit our website at [www.amity.org](http://www.amity.org).
- Request to learn more from a participant in our [Alumni Ambassador Network](#).
- Check out [Testimonials](#) and our [Blog](#).
- Join our virtual community on [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#), or [LinkedIn](#).



Interested in applying? Email [mail@amity.org](mailto:mail@amity.org) for more information, or [click here](#) for our Pre-Application!



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Thinking about  
advancing your  
career as a teacher?

Intern in a U.S.  
classroom during the  
2021-2022 school  
year with  
Amity Institute!



### WHY SHOULD YOU INTERN?

- Gain invaluable classroom experience
- Increase employability and boost your resume
- Improve your English language skills
- Immerse yourself in U.S. culture
- Explore the United States in your free time
- Develop friendships that will last a lifetime



**Visit [www.amity.org](http://www.amity.org) for more information!**

# Intern in a U.S. Classroom with Amity Institute!

## About Amity Institute

Amity Institute is a U.S.-based non-profit organization and designated J1 exchange visitor program sponsor with almost 60 years of experience in educational exchange. Our mission is to build international friendship and cultural understanding through teaching exchange. During the 2019-2020 school year, Amity sponsored approximately 650 participants from 26 countries all around the world!

## Our Intern Program

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## The Benefits of an Amity Internship

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In 2019, 80 Amity Alumni from Centro Universitario Villanueva (Spain) were asked to evaluate their Amity internships. Below are some of the results.

**100%**

**WOULD RECOMMEND THE EXPERIENCE TO OTHER STUDENTS**

**100%**

**IMPROVED THEIR ENGLISH LANGUAGE SKILLS**

**97%**

**ARE CURRENTLY WORKING IN EDUCATION**

**90.6%**

**ARE TEACHING AT LEAST ONE SUBJECT IN ENGLISH**

**94%**

**BELIEVE IT HELPED THEM DEVELOP PERSONAL AND PROFESSIONAL SKILLS**

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