It’s the experience of a lifetime!

How do I apply?
For more details and application information, visit www.teachers.ab.ca and search year-long exchanges.

Application deadline?
The application deadline for all year-long exchanges is the first week of December. More information is available online at www.teachers.ab.ca.

What if a year feels too long?
Short-term exchanges with Australia, Germany and Spain are offered during holidays. You do not need to speak German or Spanish to participate. Short-term exchanges can also be arranged within Canada and Alberta. Please visit www.teachers.ab.ca for new pilot programs.

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Educator Exchange Programs is a partnership between the Government of Alberta and the Alberta Teachers’ Association.
Year-long exchanges are available to full-time teachers.

- You teach in your exchange partner’s school and live in his or her home. In turn, your exchange partner teaches in your school and lives in your home.
- You learn about a new culture and a new educational system, and experience both professional and personal growth.

How does it work?

What do I need to apply?

- You require an Alberta Permanent Professional Teaching Certificate and a permanent teaching position.
- You require a minimum of five years of experience and the approval of your school administrator and district office.
- Applicants should demonstrate flexibility, adaptability, intercultural skills and a strong capacity to act as an ambassador for their school authority and the exchange program.

What costs do I cover?

You cover airfare and associated travel costs. We secure the exchange and provide program support throughout the exchange process.

What should I apply?

- Develop new pedagogy and gain exposure to different education systems and assessment methods.
- Build a global network and bring international perspectives into your classroom.

Why should I apply?

Where can I go?

Opportunities exist in
- Australia
- Canada (other provinces)
- Germany
- United Kingdom

When can I go?

Exchanges to Australia typically run from January to January or, occasionally, July to July.

Year-long exchanges to all other destinations start in August.