

2019 DEAUVILLE TEACHING INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

The mayor of Deauville, France, encourages the teaching of English to school children and to others living in that city. For many years, the Alliance Francaise de Nashville and Deauville's sister city of Lexington, Kentucky, have helped the Mayor's Office to find persons to go to Deauville to teach English for one academic year. This year, the mayor's office has requested that the AFN solicit applications for one internship for the 2019-2020 academic year.

Features

The city of Deauville will provide each intern with a salary of approximately 1100 euros per month after tax. The city will also provide a house and a company car to be shared by the interns. As an employee of the city of Deauville, each intern will be covered by the French national health insurance. Interns will conduct classes, work with extra-curricular activities, and help promote the English language. Interns must arrive in Deauville around the end of August, and they will receive training during the two weeks prior to beginning their duties. Interns will be responsible for transportation to and from France as well as for any expenses incurred in securing passports and work visas. AFN does not provide any assistance. **Please note:** For further detailed information prepared by the Deauville Team, be sure to read the Fiches de Poste in French and in English.

Eligibility

Application for the AFN spot is open only to persons whose permanent residence is in Tennessee or to persons who are attending or have graduated from a university in Tennessee. Candidates must be American citizens and native speakers of English. They must also speak French well enough to communicate with the French speakers with whom they interact. In addition, they must show promise of the ability to teach young children and of the ability to adjust to living in a foreign environment. Past experience in working with children and with living abroad would also be helpful.

Selection

After application materials arrive in Deauville, each applicant will receive an e-mail from the director of the program setting up a time for an interview via Skype. After all the interviews are completed, the intern will be chosen by a selection committee of the Office of the Mayor of Deauville.

Application Procedure

The application will consist of the following:

- a completed application form
- a letter written in English giving reasons for the applicant's suitability for the internship
- a resume
- one letter of recommendation (to be e-mailed to bethcottrell@msn.com by the person making the recommendation)

Applications must be e-mailed to bethcottrell@msn.com by Friday, January 25, 2019.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Beth Cottrell at bethcottrell@msn.com.