

## What we offer

TAPIF offers positions across all 30 regions of metropolitan France and in the overseas departments of French Guiana, Guadeloupe, Mayotte, Martinique, and la Réunion. All teaching contracts last seven months, from October 1 through April 30 and they can be renewed a maximum of three times.

Assistants receive a stipend, health insurance, and can be offered the possibility of boarding by their schools for little to no cost.

After completing the TAPIF program, teaching assistants pursue global careers in education, international business, public health, international policy and development, arts and culture administration, and more. All TAPIF alumni gain access to generous scholarships with our partner universities in the US and France for MA and PhD studies in French, Linguistics, Business, and more! There are over 30,000 TAPIF alumni around the world.

# TEACHING ASSISTANT PROGRAM

Learn more at [villa-albertine.org/frenchculture](http://villa-albertine.org/frenchculture)



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Founded on the principle that foreign language education should be a right, and not a privilege, French for All supports the expansion and enrichment of French language education and bilingualism in the United States from kindergarten through higher education.



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## Overview

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Teaching Assistant Program

## Eligible Applicants

- U.S. citizen or permanent resident aged 20 to 35 years old
- 3 years minimum of higher education credits
- Certified intermediate French proficiency (B1) minimum
- Applicants must be native English speakers or native-level proficiency in English

## Job Duties

To be eligible, applicants must meet all the following conditions:

- Assist English teachers for up to 12 hours per week in a maximum of three schools.
- Lead all or part of a class in English.
- Facilitate discussions in English.
- Organize small group tutoring sessions.
- Deliver presentations related to U.S. studies.
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- Criminal History Check
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