



**AU-PAIR PROGRAM**  
**2023-2024**

**Welcome to Etoile Institut!**

In the heart of the Saint-Germain-des-Prés neighborhood

**Metro stations:** Sèvres-Babylone – lines 10 & 12 / Saint-Germain-des-Prés & Saint-Sulpice – line 4



◆ OUR CURRICULA ◆

	DIPLOMA PROGRAM	CERTIFICATION PROGRAM	ACADEMIC PROGRAM
<b>Program Details</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ 4 hours of face-to-face group classes</li> <li>▪ + 2 hours of Culture Online on our digital platform</li> <li>▪ + 4 hours of homework corrected by your professor for a total of 10 hours of learning per week.</li> <li>▪ Written exams to validate prior learning are scheduled every 4 to 6 weeks</li> </ul>		
<b>Specific DELF B1, DELF B2 or DALF C1 preparation session</b>	✓	Optional	Optional
<b>TCF certification (compulsory tests), an official certificate from the Ministry of Education</b>	Optional	✓	Optional
<b>End of Study Certificate</b>	✓	✓	✓
<b>Access to Culture Online</b>	✓	✓	✓
<b>Access to our digital platform</b>	✓	✓	✓
<b>Orientation Program</b>	Optional	Optional	Optional



## ◆ CALENDAR ◆

	<b>1st Trimester</b>	<b>2nd Trimester</b>	<b>3rd Trimester</b>
<b>Dates</b>	from 18/09/23 to 08/12/23	from 08/01/24 to 15/03/24	from 18/03/24 to 24/05/24
<b>Days and times of face-to-face group classes (depending on the student's level)</b>	Monday and Thursday <b>OR</b> Tuesday and Friday 9h00 – 11h00 <b>OR</b> 11h10 – 13h10		
<b>School holidays (no classes)</b>	from 21/10/23 to 05/11/23 and from 09/12/23 to 07/01/24	from 10/02/24 to 25/02/24	from 06/04/24 to 21/04/24
<b>National holidays (no classes)</b>	01/04/24 – 09/05/24 - 20/05/24		

### Advantages of the Diploma Program

In addition to the academic curriculum, this course includes a session specifically dedicated to the preparation of the DELF B1, DELF B2 or DALF C1 exam (depending on the student's level). This session takes place for 4 hours per day, for 2 Friday afternoons. The school can register the student for the exam, but the cost of the exam is in addition to the cost of the course (allowing students to take the exam in a city other than Paris if they wish).

Preparation session dates for the 2023-2024 school year: March 1<sup>st</sup> and March 15, 2024.

### Advantages of the Certification Program

This program includes a registration for the TCF (Test de connaissance du français) exam at the end of the program in our exam center. Students receive an official certification with their results from FEI (France Education International), part of the Ministry of National Education.

The date of the TCF session is communicated to students during their last trimester.

#### Included Materials

Prices include all pedagogical materials. There are no books to buy.

#### Administrative Fees

Administrative fees for the academic year are 60€.



◆ PRICES ◆

	1st trimester	2nd trimester	3rd trimester
<b>Academic Program</b>	490 €	390 €	390 €
	<b>1st+2nd trimesters</b>	<b>1st+2nd+3rd trimesters</b>	<b>2nd+3rd trimester</b>
<b>Academic Program</b>	828 €	1040 €	732 €
<b>Certification Program</b>	891 €	1118 €	800 €
<b>Diploma Program</b>		1274 €	944 €
<b>Orientation Program</b>	70 €		

Payment is made for a whole trimester and in one time.

To benefit from the preferential rates for 2 or 3 trimesters, payment must be made in full at registration.

### Au-Pair Orientation Program

Already in Paris in September? Take advantage of 2 weeks of cultural outings to discover Paris, meet other au-pair students and speak French in a friendly and fun atmosphere!

Students are divided into general level groups (elementary, intermediate and advanced) so that there is pedagogical coherence but also a mix among students (allowing students to meet others who may later be placed in different classes).



Starting at 10:00 for 2 or 3 hours depending on the activity

- ⇒ **Dates:** Tuesday 5, Thursday 7, Tuesday 12 and Thursday 14 September 2023
- ⇒ **Activities:** 4 outings, 4 themes: a market, a museum, a park, a Parisian neighborhood
- ⇒ **Price:** 65 € for the 2 weeks (students must enroll in at least one trimester of our au-pair classes)

 **Places are limited!**



## PEDAGOGY

Our teaching method is communicative and based on active participation by students. Professors use varied authentic documents and also create custom course materials. After each class, students have homework to do which is then corrected by their professor. Students therefore have an even written and oral level, allowing them to take official exams like the TEF, TCF, DELF or DALF.

For all of our programs:

- ⇒ Learning objectives are validated throughout the program via homework and regular exams
- ⇒ Cultural outings are included in the program
- ⇒ All pedagogical material is provided by the institute (there are no books to buy)

## REGISTRATION PROCEDURE

Registration is not considered to be complete unless:

- ⇒ A minimum of one trimester of classes + administrative fees have been paid in full
- ⇒ The student has completed the placement test (an online test sent by email to the student once payment has been made)
- ⇒ Enroll early; registrations are accepted depending on availability.

## EXAM CENTER

Etoile Institut is a recognized TCF exam center. This official exam offers students an evaluation of their level that is recognized by various entities like French universities, immigration offices (la Préfecture), etc. A special rate is offered to our students. More information on dates and prices is available at the office. Please note that this exam is included in the Certification Program.

### Information and Registration

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