



## **TESOL Externship Opportunity**

LaAmistad is a non-profit organization that serves the Latino community by providing educational programs such as After-school programs, Summer Academic Camps, and ESL classes for adults.

We are a well-established educational program that has been offering ESL classes to the community for over 15 years. We currently serve over 265 students. We would like to offer TESOL students and graduates seeking to acquire field experience, the opportunity to complete a 40 hour 10 week or 45 hour 15 week TESOL Externship program with LaAmistad ESL.

Selected applicants will have the opportunity to gain hands on experience by working as a volunteer teacher with adult learners in the community. Externship candidates will learn how to work with a predetermined curriculum, create an interactive engaging classroom, assess students, and monitor language learners' progress in a professional environment.

Interested candidates can be referred by their school if the externship is part of a core class or practicum. All other candidates will send in their resume. The interview process also includes a presentation of a 20 minute sample class with our students. Successful candidates will attend the teacher training and teach at one of our locations for 3- 4 hours weekly for 10 or 15 weeks.

The classes are mainly offered on two weeknights from 6:30pm-8:30pm, on Saturdays from 8:45am-12:30 pm and consist of 3 to 16 students per class. Upon completing the program and having a satisfactory outcome on the Teacher and Student Evaluation Performance forms, TESOL volunteers will receive a letter of recommendation from LaAmistad ESL. Candidates will have the opportunity to renew their commitment to serve for an additional 10 or 15 weeks if the program has available openings.

If you have completed your TESOL certification and would like to sharpen your skills before entering the teaching field, we would love to extend an invitation to you to apply for the TESOL Externship position.

To apply, please send your resume with a cover letter to [esl@laamistadinc.org](mailto:esl@laamistadinc.org)