



Work and Travel USA 12 month and Summer Programs

- ✓ **Work when you want!**
- ✓ **Where you want!**
- ✓ **Maximum flexibility**
- ✓ **Pre-arranged job is not required**
- ✓ **Choose the departure date that suits you!**

Duration 3 or 12 months

Destination USA



"I have been here in America for a couple of months now and I'm currently working as a chef at the Ritz Carlton Hotel Georgetown in Washington DC. Thanks for making this experience so enjoyable!"

Brad Stewart
Work & Travel USA participant

Work and Travel USA allows eligible Uni, TAFE AND POLYtechnic students, or recent graduates, to work in the USA for a maximum of 12 months and travel at the end of their working period for up to 30 days.

You can work in positions across a range of industries and earn a wage to help offset the cost of your trip. The type of job is up to you.

Work AND Travel USA 12 month program allows you to enjoy the flexibility to change the job and city you live in. You could spend the year getting work experience in your chosen field of study, or do something a bit different. Start by doing some work in the corporate world of New York, then head off to Los Angeles & work in retail, before finishing up working in a hotel in Hawaii. It's the opportunity of a lifetime!

When your work commitments are over, you can use your earnings to travel around the stunning and varied landscape of the USA. Snowboarding in Colorado, celebrity-spotting in Los Angeles, or taking the ultimate road trip across the US...the options are endless.

Eligibility

To be eligible to participate in the **Work and Travel USA 12 month** program you must be over 18 years of age and:

- ✓ Be a full-time student enrolled at a university, TAFE or Polytechnic college in Australia or New Zealand (min. Diploma level course of 2 years);
- ✓ Have completed your first full year of studies, or
- ✓ Have graduated from such an institution within the past 12 months
- ✓ Agree to abide by the program rules
- ✓ Have a minimum of \$975 (US) available in order to support yourself upon arrival in the US
- ✓ Be an Australian or New Zealand citizen
- ✓ GAP and international students are ineligible.

Summer Work AND Travel USA program allows eligible Uni, TAFE or Polytechnic students to work in the USA for a maximum of 3 months during their summer holidays. You also get to travel at the end of the working period for up to 30 days.

What better way to spend your summer break in the US? You'll come back with memories that will last a lifetime and work experience that will make your CV stand out from the pack.

Eligibility

Is the same as outlined in the 12 month program with the exception that you must be a current student to participate.

Final year students can apply but the program is limited to the length of your institution's summer vacation period.

You are also able to participate on this program in each of your summer holidays whilst you are studying.



Jobs in the USA

You can work in just about any job available in the US for up to 12 months - and you can move between jobs while you are there. Why not work at a ski resort for the winter, take a travel break, and then get a job near the beach for summer?

While you don't need to have a pre-arranged job before you leave on the Work and Travel USA program, we can help you out with some great placements.

Most of our jobs are in high-end tourist resorts where employers would love to have you on their team. This is the kind of work experience that potential employers look for on a CV.



We also have an extensive resource centre on our website with a range of websites which can help before you leave or after your arrival. These include general job search websites as well as sites for specific industries, and links to help you with accommodation.

Program Dates

One of the best features of the Work and Travel USA 12 month visa is that you can choose the departure dates that suit you!

Be sure to apply at least 4-6 weeks before you intend to travel to make sure you have your visa in time to fly out to the US.

Australian students can work in the USA on the Summer Work and Travel USA program between

November 15th - February 28th

You must be back in Australia or New Zealand before your classes are scheduled to re-commence.

How to Apply

Step 1 - Complete an application form. You can download an application form from the Downloads page on our website.

Step 2 - Send your completed application, together with a copy of your passport ID page and your \$250 deposit, to:

Student Placement Australia New Zealand.
PO Box 1420
Mona Vale NSW 1660
Australia

Suite 2590, PO Box 83000
Wellington 6440
New Zealand

Step 3 - Assuming you meet all eligibility criteria we will confirm your participation on the program and invoice you for the balance of the program fee which is payable on receipt.

Program Costs

For details on prices, please refer to our pricing flyer or visit our website.



Apply at least 5 months prior to your 12 month program departure and you will receive an Early Bird Discount of \$250

What's Included?

- ✓ The legal sponsorship necessary to obtain your J-1 visa
- ✓ Compulsory Comprehensive Medical and Baggage Insurance
- ✓ Assistance with obtaining your visa (you must pay the visa related costs)
- ✓ Assistance with obtaining a Social Security Card
- ✓ Work and Travel USA Handbook providing tips on working and travelling around the US
- ✓ Local support in the US

Not Included:

- ✗ International and domestic airfares and other transportation (e.g. bus) to the company site
- ✗ Daily living expenses including housing, entertainment and meals
- ✗ Passport fees
- ✗ Visa fees
- ✗ SEVIS Fee
- ✗ Insurance for trip cancellation or trip interruption

For more details on the visa or anything else please go to our website

www.workandtravelusa.com.au

OR

www.workandtravelusa.co.nz



Step 4 - Once your application has been approved by CIEE we will supply you with your DS-2019 form and other forms needed for your interview at the US Consulate.

Step 5 - Attend your interview at the US Consulate and obtain your J-1 visa in your passport.

Step 6 - Book your flight as soon as you have your J-1 visa.

Step 7 - Depart on an adventure of a lifetime!