

Demi-Pair and study at UWA



Working as a Demi Pair whilst studying is fast becoming the most popular cost-effective accommodation option for students.

By becoming a Demi Pair you can combine your English studies at the University of Western Australia (UWA) with accommodation and work in a very practical and economical way. You'll study full-time, experience Australian family life, and have free accommodation plus some pocket money in return for helping the family that employs you with the children and light house duties.

Student Temporary Visa

Visa regulations require that a Demi Pair be enrolled full time at an Education Institution in Australia, unless they come on a Working Holiday Visa. In most cases this means being enrolled for an English course at an International College. Once enrolled and accepted the student must submit the acceptance advice form to the Australian Embassy. for more info www.immi.gov.au

Working Holiday Visa

The participant who wishes to travel and discover Australia while working needs to apply for this category of visa. This Visa is not automatically given to applicants from Spain, Switzerland, France, Italy or Belgium. However, applicants between the ages of 18yrs and 26yrs are generally considered favourably. Applicants need to emphasise their main desire for visiting Australia is to learn the English Language while working to support themselves. Applicants are permitted to work full time - but not longer than 3 months with the same employer. This visa is valid for one year.

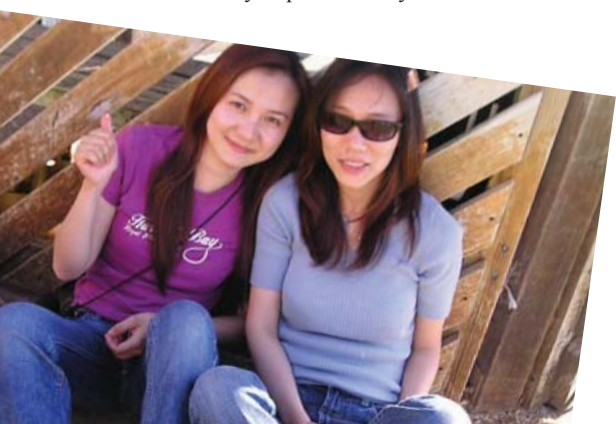
- You should have enrolled in an English language course of at least 10 weeks.
- You should be 20 years or older and in good health.

Exceptions will be made for 18 and 19 year olds if applicants hold a recognised nanny qualification)

- You should be prepared to accept a Demi Pair Placement for a minimum of 3 months. (Maximum 1 year)
- You should have a reasonable level of English, enough to communicate adequately with your host family. (Pre intermediate /TOEFL 400)
- You should have have Overseas Student Health Cover

How to Apply

Complete an Application Form, which can be faxed or emailed to you and sign and date a Contract later provided by Talkabout Tours Australia. Send these to Talkabout Tours Australia **at least three months prior** to your arrival. Send The Demi Pair Administration fee to the Educational Institution where you plan to study.



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