

# Carla's Au Pairs

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**So, you have taken that first brave step and enquired about Au Pairing abroad.  
Yay! We are super excited for you!**

We know that you probably feel overwhelmed with all the information you have been given. Please know and feel rest assured that all of us at the CAP team are always here to answer any questions you may have. We understand that this is a major step that you are taking in your life – a step that will change the course of your destiny! Let us know if you want to have a coffee or a chat – we are always here to help you. Even though it might feel a bit scary, please know that this will be the best decision you will ever make, and your exchange year will be the greatest adventure of your life! We are here for you every step of the way...

Why choose us to assist you on your journey? What makes us different?

**Here are 10 reasons why you should choose CAP as your agency:**

## 1. SUPPORT

At CAP you are guaranteed full support during your journey. We will assist you from the moment you start asking questions, fill out application forms, speak to potential host families, arrange the visa and flights & more! We will assist you with everything you need and make sure you are followed up with and taken care of right through your application process and beyond. Add us on WhatsApp & Facebook and let's get the conversation going!

## 2. PERSONAL INVOLVEMENT

You are not just a number. You are important to us and we value the relationship we build with you. We want you to trust us and feel comfortable to come to us about anything. No question or concern is too silly to mention to us! Open communication between us and our Au Pairs is very important to us.

## 3. WE ARE A WELL-ESTABLISHED, GLOBAL COMPANY

CAP has offices across South Africa, Namibia and America. You will have the convenience of working with the office located closest to you.



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## 4. WE ONLY WORK WITH THE BEST PARTNER AGENCIES ABROAD

When searching for an Au Pair agency, people often don't think about the fact that they will be in the hands of the overseas agency too! What happens when you encounter issues abroad? That is why we are only partnered with the best agencies across the world who we have handpicked and have long standing relationships with. We know and trust our partners and we work with them because we know you will be supported while living abroad. Our USA partner for example offers the best insurance package there is for Au Pairs out there! And you don't pay an extra cent for it! Your safety and wellbeing is our top priority. You will definitely have a double support system when choosing CAP as your agency!

## 5. WE OFFER AU PAIR TRAINING EVENTS AS WELL AS INFORMAL FREE INFO SESSIONS

Our training sessions are more than just an orientation talk. You will spend a full day getting to know our team, meeting other like-minded Au Pairs & learning important skills about how to cope with issues when living abroad as an Au Pair. We make sure you are well prepared before you embark on this journey and that you have the right expectations of the program and beyond. You will make close connections on at these training events and you will feel safe & supported. Our training sessions are fun & informative and exclusive to our agency. Your safety and wellbeing is our top priority. You will definitely have a double support system when choosing CAP as your agency!

## 6. WE ARE A SISTERHOOD

Here at CAP we are one big family. We make sure you bond and connect with other Au Pairs before you depart. You will also form a close bond with the office you are working with. All our offices are run by ex-Au Pairs and people who have worked and lived abroad or have had a child living abroad. 90% of our staff Au Paired through CAP themselves. We know what it feels like, because we have lived the experience ourselves! We know how to guide and support you and we believe in the program with all our hearts! We have experienced first hand the enormous growth that an exchange year can bring to your life. Cultural exchange is our passion!



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## 7. WE MEET YOU IN PERSON & WE DO PRE-DEPARTURE TALKS

We make a point of seeing you in person during your application journey and before you depart. You will have an in-person pre-departure talk before you depart to make sure you are ready and that we have covered everything there is to cover! You are not alone in this!

## 8. AIRPORT VISITS AND GOODIE BAGS

At CAP we strive to see every Au Pair off at the airport. If for some reason we cannot be there, we will definitely be in touch via whatsapp or phone to make sure you are okay and ready for your journey ahead. Our exclusive goodie bags are fun and useful. You will be well prepared and travel in comfort.

## 9. WE HAVE CAP VIPS

Our Au Pairs love their experience so much, that they come back and become CAP VIPs! We have numerous ex Au Pairs across the country who are back from their exchange year, that come speak at our events and training sessions. These VIP's will give you valuable insights of life as an Au Pair, the good, the challenges and tips for your year abroad!

## 10. WE ARE ACTIVE ON SOCIAL MEDIA AND IN THE COMMUNITY

We are continuously looking for opportunities to exhibit in our communities and interact with our prospective Au Pairs. We love educating people about the Au Pair program and what this experience can mean to a young person. Our social media is very active, with a big following and lots of fun, meaningful posts.

So, what are you waiting for?!

Take that leap of faith and start this wonderful lifechanging journey with us!

