



## CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

**Does your primary or secondary school have a truly outstanding  
German language teacher?**

**Dedication and excellence deserve recognition!**

**We are pleased to invite nominations for the 17<sup>th</sup> annual  
German Teacher Award**

<https://uk.diplo.de/GTA>

The winners will receive a **personal prize of £750** and a certificate.

The prizes will be presented at a special ceremony with

**Guest of Honour Neil MacGregor,**

former Director of the British Museum and author of "Germany: Memories of a Nation",  
at the "Sommerfest der Deutschen Sprache" in early summer 2020.

Winners will be announced on the day of the event.

**Deadline for applications: Friday, 10<sup>th</sup> April 2020**

### **The purpose of the Award is**

- to recognise outstanding achievement by individual teachers of German in the UK,
- to highlight and pay tribute to the work of German language teachers in primary and secondary schools in the UK,
- to encourage the commitment of the winners' schools to modern language teaching.

On this occasion the **Goethe-Institut's Peter Boaks Prize**, which recognises outstanding young(er) teachers of German, and two special prizes donated by the **Austrian Cultural Forum** and the **Embassy of Switzerland** will also be awarded.

### **Selection criteria**

Teachers will be selected who have made an outstanding and dedicated contribution to German language teaching within the curriculum and beyond, e.g. through

- a record of successful teaching at a school, including innovative language teaching,
- successful introduction of German teaching at a school, e.g. in a primary school as a first foreign language or in a secondary school as a new language,
- established and successful link activities with Germany, Austria and Switzerland, e.g. projects and exchanges, bilingual projects, curriculum projects,
- use of German language in subjects other than German,
- local or regional outreach activities.

**Nominations** must be submitted and signed by the head teacher using the application form as attached or downloaded from <https://uk.diplo.de/GTA>. Please send completed forms via post or email to

P: GTA, c/o Culture Department, German Embassy, 23 Chesham Place, London SW1X 8PZ

E: [application@lond.diplo.de](mailto:application@lond.diplo.de)

(Please note: Applications received after the deadline are not eligible for inclusion in the selection process).

### **Partners:**