

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 18th 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 in early summer – if Covid-19 restrictions allow.
Winners will be announced on the day of the event.

Deadline for applications: Friday, 14th May 2021

The purpose of the Award is

- to recognise outstanding achievement by individual teachers of the German language 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 the German language, 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 and virtual language classes in the Covid-19 context and beyond,
- 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 the completed forms via post or email to

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

E: application@lond.diplo.de

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

Partners of the Award:



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