



SUMMER WORK AND TRAVEL PROGRAM:

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WHO QUALIFIES:

- Students at post secondary schools, **including morning, evening and weekend students** who have completed at least one semester (N.B.: includes *Policealne Studium* students who have completed at least one semester and are not in their second year)
- Effective November 20, 2006, post-secondary students in their final year (those who are current students when they applied for participation even if they will have graduated at the time of participation in SWT program) are permitted to participate in SWT programs.
- There is no age limit (although there is no formal age restrictions for participants, applicants who are not of normal student age will receive greater scrutiny).
- Sufficient English fluency to undertake the proposed program is required.
- Program length cannot exceed four (4) months.
- For the 2009 SWT program dates for Poland will be **May 25- October 15, 2009**.
- There is no prohibition against students participating in SWT programs more than one time.

WHO DOES NOT QUALIFY AS A STUDENT FOR J-1 SWT PROGRAM:

- High school students accepted for college in the autumn.
- Vocational schools (for example, cosmetology, hair dressing, detective schools).
- Secondary school for adults.

Foreign Students:

Foreign students studying at Polish post-secondary schools or universities can participate in the SWT program and apply for J1 visas in our Consular Sections in Warsaw or Krakow. In addition to the aforementioned documentation, they should submit proof of their legal status in Poland (copy of the student's visa or other documentation confirming their legal residence in Poland).