



MANITOBA – HAMBURG – 3 Month Exchange Program

November 24, 2021

Dear students, parents and teachers of German,

The MTG Germany Exchange is a non-profit initiative, administered by the Manitoba Teachers of German and supported by the Government of Manitoba. Its purpose is to provide Manitoba's high school students with an opportunity for a rich cross-cultural experience, while developing a modern, up-to-date world view, as it relates to Europe in general, and Germany in particular.

On behalf of the Manitoba Teachers of German we would like to invite **all interested Grade 10 students and their parents** to an information meeting about next year's Manitoba – Hamburg Exchange Program. This meeting is designed to give you all the information about the exchange that we have available. We will give you the background of the program, the details surrounding application and matching of students, the costs involved and any other information you require in order to make an informed decision. The teachers organizing the exchange will be present as well as the travel agent in charge of flight arrangements.

If you are a Grade 10 student and are interested in participating in the exchange for 2022-2023, please come to the Information Meeting in the Choral Space at Westgate Mennonite Collegiate at 7 p.m. on **January 19, 2022**. Be prepared to show your vaccination card to be admitted into the building.

Your attendance at this meeting is not a sign of commitment by any means.

Exchange Application deadline is April 11, 2022.

General information on the exchange can be found on the Government of Manitoba website:

https://www.edu.gov.mb.ca/ie/domestic/gm_exch.html

and the Manitoba Teachers of German Website:

<http://manitobateachersofgerman.com/manitoba-germany-exchange/>

The application and the supporting documents should be submitted electronically by following the directions under the following link:

<http://bildung-international.hamburg.de/manitoba/>

The application and the supporting documents are due on April 11, 2022.

The cheque for \$350, made out to MTG-Germany Exchange, should accompany the application on or before April 11, 2022. It can be mailed to the following address:

MTG c/o Heidi Koop, Westgate Mennonite Collegiate, 86 West Gate , Winnipeg, Manitoba, R3C 2E1

Or by e-transfer to: hkoop@westgatemennonite.org

More questions? Please contact the committee:

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We hope to see you on Wednesday, January 19, 2022 at 7 p.m. in the Choral Space at Westgate Mennonite Collegiate, 86 West Gate with your vaccination card in hand and your mask on.

We look forward to meeting you!

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