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Benefits of Language & Cultural Immersion

- **Boosts Language Fluency**
  96% of Xperitas participants reported speaking with better fluency as a result of spending time with native speakers. *

- **Better Prepares Students for Independence**
  94% of Xperitas participants’ parents or guardians saw an increase in their children’s confidence as a result of their participation in this immersion program. *

- **Builds Global Competency Skills**
  96% of Xperitas participants reported an increase in their ability to understand and act on issues of global significance as a direct result of participation in this program. *

- **Increases Competitive Edge**
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- **Financial Impact**
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**OUR JOY**

is creating more immersion opportunities

Student Financial Aid, Grants & Scholarships

$1,000,000+

Over the past decade, we have awarded over a million dollars to expand opportunities.

- **49** Years of Experience
- **100+** Host Communities
- **100,000+** Travelers Sent Abroad

All households with incomes of $55,000 and less, **100%** are eligible to receive financial aid!

Every year, a percentage of our revenue is dedicated to our financial aid, scholarship, and classroom grant programs.

* Source: Xperitas post program surveys  
*** 2019 report from salary.com
We believe that living with a family, speaking their language and participating in their customs is the best and most authentic way to experience another culture. It’s also what makes our programs different from any other travel experience. After almost 50 years of arranging family stays, we’re no longer surprised when our participants say that the family stay experience was the best part of their immersion trip abroad!

Language & Cultural Immersion

Xperitas is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization founded in 1972 by World Language Educators

- Language & Cultural Immersion
- The Family Stay Experience™
- Fair Exchange Service-learning

Focused on developing both cultural competency and language proficiency

We are also focused on student equity, expanding access to language and cultural immersion programs for students of all socio-economic backgrounds through the following actions:

Financial Aid | Scholarships | Grants

The Family Stay Experience™

Spanish | French | German | Mandarin Chinese

Ask our teachers!

I have been collaborating with Xperitas since 2008 to take my Spanish students overseas, and I cannot imagine working with a more dedicated group of professionals . . . . The Xperitas staff works closely with me for more than a year prior to our departure to ensure that my colleagues and I are prepared to take students abroad . . . . I have thoroughly enjoyed my trips with Xperitas and will continue to collaborate with them to plan student trips as long as I am a teacher.

Justin Peeper
Chairman of the Department of World and Classical Languages at Homestead High School (Southwest Allen County Schools), Fort Wayne, Indiana