

Global Study Connections

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HOST FAMILY APPLICATION

Please print (no cursive)

Please list all adults (persons age 16 or over) living in the home

**** We need your date of birth and SS to perform a background check. Background checks are performed in order to guarantee the students family overseas that we have thoroughly screened their host family. All information remains confidential. Thank you.**

	Host Family Information				
	Student Name: (leave blank)		Date of Birth:		Gender:
	School Name: (leave blank)			Grade:	
	School Address: (leave blank)				
Host Family Information		Name	Age & Date of Birth (M/D/Y)		SS#
Host Father					
Host Mother					
Adult (other)					
Adult (other)					
Address:					
Mailing Address (if not same)					
Phone Number: Home:				Email(s):	
Cell:					
Children's Name(s):		Age	Sex	Lives at home?	Interest/Hobbies
Family leisure time activities:					
What type of housing?					
Single Family?		Multi-Family/Duplex?		Apartment?	
Will the student have his/her own room? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Share with which child?					
** GSC required 1 bed, 1 desk, 1 closet/dresser and 1 chair per student					

Do you have Pet(s)? No Yes Inside Outside What type and how many?

Do you allow smoking in your home?

If anyone in your household smokes do they do it inside or outside or both?

Do you allow drinking in your home?

If anyone in your house drinks how many times per week?

Is there any history of alcohol or drug abuse for any household member? If yes, please explain.

Is there any history of chronic mental or physical illness for any household member? If yes, please explain.

Has any household member ever been arrested or convicted of a criminal offense? If yes, please explain.

Has any household member ever been charged with or accused of sexual misconduct of any type? If yes, please explain.

Please indicate all the amenities in your home:

A. Bathroom Access: ____ Shared household bathroom(s) ____ Private visitor/student bathroom

B. Internet Access: ____ Wireless ____ DSL ____ Cable Other: ____

C. Television: ____ Common room TV Access ____ TV in students room(s) ____ No TV in House

Other amenities:

Others		
Primary language spoken at home:	English?	Others:
Religious Affiliation (if any):		Frequency of attending religious services:
Would you accept a vegetarian student?		
Why would you like to host an international student?		
Do you have a preference in student? (age, gender, etc.)		
Have you traveled outside of the USA? Where?		
Have you hosted international visitors before? If yes, what country(ies) was student(s) from?		

<p>Do you currently have any international students living with you? If so, how many and from what countries?</p> <p>Do you plan to have additional international students or looking for additional international students? The majority of our families are looking for a home with no additional international students. Some families will make exceptions.</p>
<p>What household rules do you want your international student to know (i.e. telephone; computer; TV; dating)</p>
<p>What type of household chores do you expect your student to do?</p>
<p>Can you give a ride for commuting to/from school? (sometimes, never?)</p>
<p>While some host parents agree to give rides to their students to and from school in those rare cases where you were unable to take your student to/from school are you willing to arrange for a neighbor or friend to take or pick up your student?</p> <p>If you decide that you do not want the student living with you at some point, please give Global Study Connections 2 months to find a new host family. Because this student is a minor whose parents are not in the country, you cannot put this student out on the street or out of the house until a new host family is provided. Do you agree to this?</p>
<p>You are expected to pick your student up at the airport when he/she arrives & deliver to the airport when he/she returns home. Can you commit to this?</p>
<p>You are expected to take your students to any necessary appointments, medical appointments, tests, shopping & any other related activities. Can you commit to this?</p> <p>When a student arrives in America for the first time he/she may need to go to the doctor for a check-up/physical OR extra immunizations. Can you commit to doing and arranging these appointments if your student needs it?</p>
<p>If the student becomes involved in extracurricular activities after school (like band, soccer etc.) and needs a ride home afterwards, can you pick him/her up? If not, can you arrange for someone to pick your student up?</p>
<p>You are responsible for providing breakfast, lunch and dinner for your student. Can you commit to this?</p> <p>If your student is hungry in between meals he/she may need snacks. Will you agree to provide snacks for you student?</p>
<p>Does your home follow any dietary observances (i.e. vegetarian, lactose-free, ioser, etc.)?</p> <p>Can you commit to providing monthly email reports to us (GSC) on the general behavior, educational progress and well-being of the student under your care?</p>

**Please send us an email on the 1st of every month regarding how your student is doing.

GSC pays their host families at the end of each month for services rendered. Please acknowledge by placing an X on the line _____

Curfew for your children (if applicable)	Curfew Weeknights:	Curfew Weekends:

Are you a US Citizen?	Yes _____ NO _____	
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May the GSC staff perform a background check on you and your adult household members?	Yes _____ No _____	
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<i>Please include any additional information that you would like your guest to know about you and your family:</i>	
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<i>How did you hear about Global Study Connections?</i>	<i>Do you know any other families who might enjoy hosting? If yes, please provide us with name and contact information.</i>
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<i>Reference(s) not family members</i>	Full name _____ Address _____ (tel#) _____ e-mail _____ Relationship _____ Full name _____ Address _____ (tel#) _____ e-mail _____ Relationship _____
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I attest that the information provided herein is true and accurate. I have read the Host Family handbook, understand the rules and guidelines to follow including the student rules and understand my responsibility with respect to hosting an international student and will honor the responsibilities. By signing below I agree to the requirements to host an international student and will follow them as outlined in the host family handbook or other materials provided by Global Study Connections. I have read the said documents and agree with their content. I further agree to follow all specified rules applicable to information exchange with student with respect to family affairs, monetary affairs, exchange, petition, transactions in that all matters will be notified to regional student manager/guardian of student(s) assigned in my home. I understand that the student is under the guardianship and student management of Global Study Connections and will be able to remain in my home as long as the student and their family maintains their relationship with Global Study Connections.

Furthermore, I understand that students may cancel their homestay after they have moved in and should such circumstance(s) occur, I will be paid fully for the month or portion thereof. I understand any problems I may encounter with student should be addressed with the student in an effort to resolve any problems and/or contact the Regional Student Manager/ guardian for support. ALL ADULT HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS MUST SIGN.

Host Mother

Dated

Host Father/Other Member

Dated

Any other adult in home

Dated

-Office use only below-

Date Application Received: _____

Home Visit Schedule: _____

Reference Check: _____

Comments: