



## HOST FAMILY INTERVIEW

The Hosting Club's YEO must conduct a Host Family in-home interview. Each member of the family must be present for the interview. The Host Family is not to have access to an exchange student's application or contact information until the Host Family has been approved.

An inspection of the home is to be done at the time of the interview. Photographs of the following must be taken and are to be included in the student file: exterior of home, kitchen, student's bedroom, family and living areas.

Host Family: \_\_\_\_\_ Interview location: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_ Rotary District: \_\_\_\_\_ Rotary Club: \_\_\_\_\_

### Please answer the following questions:

1. Why are you interested in hosting an exchange student? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
2. Are you interested in hosting: a boy \_\_\_ a girl \_\_\_ either \_\_\_
3. Would you prefer to host during: Fall \_\_\_ Winter \_\_\_ Spring \_\_\_
4. Please indicate your feelings about a student who smokes: \_\_\_\_\_  
Will Receive \_\_\_ Will not Receive \_\_\_ Prefer a non-smoker but will accept smoker \_\_\_
5. Has the family hosted any Rotary or other exchange students in the past?  
Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ If so, please describe other hosting experiences: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
6. Please list foreign language background, if any, for family members: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
7. Do you know of other families that may wish to host a student? If yes, please provide their contact information below: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
8. Are you onboard with enforcing the 4 D's: No drinking, No driving, No Dating, No Drugs?  
Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ If no, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_
9. Will there be any family vacations or special trips during the student's stay? If so, will the student be a part of such a trip? How will the costs be handled? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
10. Describe typical weekends in your family (*time together, time apart, activities, etc.*):  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
11. How would you feel about attending an Orientation Weekend for the exchange students or attending your exchange student's activities? Would you be able to assist with transportation to these events?

Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ If No, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

12. What concerns, if any do you have about hosting a student in your home?

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

13. Do you have any children interested in applying to be a Rotary Youth Exchange student?

Yes\_\_\_ No \_\_\_ If yes, Please note their information below.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_ Year interested in going: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_ Year interested in going: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Are there any Rotarians in the family? Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Club: \_\_\_\_\_

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### HOST FAMILY INTERVIEW SUMMARY

1. Did you inspect every room in the house? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ If No, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Are the bathroom facilities adequate? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ If No, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Is the home safe? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ If No, explain \_\_\_\_\_

4. Please list all family members who were present during the discussion.

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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I \_\_\_\_\_, representing the Rotary Club of \_\_\_\_\_,  
(print: club president/counselor/YEO) (print club name/State)

on the basis of an in-home interview certify that the \_\_\_\_\_ family  
(print legibly)

\_\_\_\_\_ IS SUITABLE to act as a host family for the above named student, and that their home is conducive to hosting a Rotary Youth Exchange Student. Their final approval is contingent upon receipt of satisfactory background checks on all family members aged 18 or older.

\_\_\_\_\_ IS **NOT** SUITABLE to act as a host family for the above named student and/or that their home is not conducive to hosting a Rotary Youth Exchange Student.

\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_  
(date of in-home interview) (name(s) of Rotarian(s) conducting interview)

Signature(s) \_\_\_\_\_

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**A Host Family Orientation** is required for all host families. This orientation is to take place at a different time from the host family interview.

\_\_\_\_\_ Host Family will attend a Club host family orientation

\_\_\_\_\_ Host Family will attend a District host family orientation

*Instructions: This form is to be filled out by the Rotarian interviewer(s). After conducting the Host Family Orientation, retain one copy of this form in the district's files. Direct any questions to the student's RYE District Committee Contact.*