



CENTRAL OKANAGAN PUBLIC SCHOOLS HOMESTAY AGREEMENT

I have read and agree to meet all host parent expectations and responsibilities outlined in the *Central Okanagan Public Schools Homestay Guidelines* and the *British Columbia K-12 International Student Homestay Guidelines*.

I have read and will follow the policies and procedures outlined in the *Central Okanagan Public Schools Homestay Manual*.

I will attend a New Homestay Orientation in the first year and at least one Homestay Refresher session in each subsequent year.

I will act as a judicious, caring parent and treat the international student as a member of the family.

I will inform the program should the student be seriously ill, suffer an injury, or if a significant problem with the student arises.

I understand that the program has the authority to remove a student from the homestay without notice or cause due to unforeseen circumstances.

I agree to a reimbursement of \$1100 at the end of each month per student as compensation for hosting and providing regular meals, accommodation, and on-going care.

I agree to a reimbursement of \$37/day in lieu of the monthly payment if a student resides in my home during a period that is less than a full month.

If I require my student to stay overnight with another host parent, I agree to pay \$37/day to the supervising host parent.

I agree to not offer students to extend their stay during the summer months without pre-approval.

I agree to regular homestay visits by the homestay coordinator.

I will inform the program of any major renovations or changes to the residence or the yard.

I will inform the program of any changes in our family composition, contact information, or changes with respect to who is residing in the residence.

I agree to regular Criminal Record Checks for all family members or others over the age of 19 living in my home.

I agree to inform the program within 3 days should any member of my home be charged with a criminal offense.

I understand and agree to abide by these expectations:

Full Name (please print)

Signature

Date

Full Name (please print)

Signature

Date

Disclaimer: Although we take care in screening both students and host families, Central Okanagan Public Schools cannot guarantee that the student or host family is of good character and we will not be liable for any damages or injuries caused by the student or the host family.

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