
PRELIMINARY

**Rotary Youth Exchange
Long-Term Program Application
District 5190**



Submit completed application to:



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District 5190 Long-Term Exchange Program

Personal Information

Smile!

Attach a recent, good-quality color photo of yourself (head and shoulders). Original photos or color copies must accompany all four sets of the application.

Size: 2 x 2½ in. (5 x 6.5 cm)

1. Applicant Information

Full Legal Name as it appears on passport or birth certificate (use all capital letters for your FAMILY name)			Preferred Name	Gender <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female
Home Address — Street				
City	State/Province	Postal Code	Country	
Postal Address (if different)				
City	State/Province	Postal Code	Country	
Home Phone	Mobile Phone	E-mail		
Date of Birth (e.g., 01/Jan/1999)	Place of Birth (City, State/Province, Country)		Citizen of (Country)	

2. Parent/Legal Guardian Information

Full Name of Father/Legal Guardian				Full Name of Mother/Legal Guardian			
Address — Street				Address — Street			
City	State/Prov.	Postal Code	Country	City	State/Prov.	Postal Code	Country
E-mail				E-mail			
Home Phone		Mobile Phone		Home Phone		Mobile Phone	
Occupation				Occupation			
Business Phone		Fax		Business Phone		Fax	
Rotarian? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes, name of Rotary club:				Rotarian? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes, name of Rotary club:			
<input type="checkbox"/> Check here if your parents are divorced or separated. Authorizations should be obtained from all parents/legal guardians and others who have legal rights to decisions affecting the student's participation.							
Parent/legal guardian to contact first in the event of an emergency:							

3. Siblings (add pages as necessary)

Name	Gender	Age	Occupation	Living at Home
	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

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4. Personal Background

a. Do you have any dietary restrictions?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	If yes, please explain (e.g., vegetarian, food allergies):
b. Do you smoke?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	If yes for 4b, 4c, or 4d, please explain:
c. Do you drink alcohol?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
d. Have you ever been involved with illegal drugs?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	

Answering yes will not automatically eliminate you as a candidate; however, it may require special consideration of host family assignments.

5. Secondary School Information

Name of Secondary School you currently attend		<i>Attach a transcript of secondary school courses you have completed and the grades you received in the last completed year of school. The transcript must be in English.</i>	
Address — Street			
City	State/Province	Postal Code	Country
Phone	Fax	E-mail	
Number of grades/levels at your school		Year you will finish secondary school	Years of school attended

6. Languages

Native Language:				
Non-native Language(s)	Years Studied	Proficiency (indicate Poor, Fair, Good, or Fluent)		
		Speaking	Reading	Writing

7. Sponsor Club Contacts

Name of Sponsor Club Youth Exchange Officer			
Address — Postal			
City	State/Province	Postal Code	Country
Home Phone		Mobile Phone	
Business Phone		Fax	
E-mail			



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Letters and Photos

Student's Letter

Write a letter introducing yourself to your future host club and host families. Keep in mind that this will be their first impression of you. Incorporate your answers to the following questions, providing as much detail as possible (if you need help generating details, also consider the italicized questions in parentheses).

Specifications: Type your letter on a separate sheet (or sheets) of paper, and include your name on each. Attach your letter to this page. Maximum length: 3 pages.

1. What do you do when you have free time?
2. What you do at your school? (*How many subjects do you take? What are they? How long are the classes? What is your daily schedule during the school year? Start with when you wake-up and discuss only one typical day's schedule.*) Are you able to choose courses at your school? If so, which courses did you choose, and why?
3. What are your school interests and activities? What leadership positions have you held?
4. How would you describe your home? (*Do you have your own room, or do you share your room with others? Where in your house do you study? How far is your home from your school? Do you drive, ride a bus, or walk to school?*)
5. What are the occupations of your mother and father? (*What product or service does each make or perform? What is her/his position or title?*)
6. How would you describe your community? (*Is it in or near a major city? What is the population? industry? economy?*)
7. What are your interests and accomplishments? (*Are you interested in art, literature, music, sports, other activities? How did you become interested in the activity? How long have you been interested? How much time do you devote to the activity?*)
8. What trips have you taken outside your country? Why did you take these trips, with whom, for how long?
9. What things do you dislike? (*Do you dislike certain foods, animals, treatment by other people, etc.?*)
10. What do you feel are your strong, and weak, characteristics?
11. What are your plans and ambitions for your education and career? Why?
12. What do you specifically hope to accomplish as an exchange student, both during your exchange and when you return?

Parent's Letter

Write a letter to your child's host club and families, incorporating your answers to the following questions.

Specifications: Type your letter on a separate sheet (or sheets) of paper, and include your child's name on each. Attach your letter to this page. Maximum length: 2 pages.

1. How is your child's relationship with you and your family? with his/her friends?
2. How does your child react to disagreement, discipline, and frustration?
3. How does your child handle challenging or difficult situations?
4. What amount of independence do you give to your child? What is your child's level of maturity?
5. What makes you proud of your child?
6. Why do you want your child to be an exchange student?
7. Are there any other comments you would like to share with the host families?

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Student's Photos

Select a color photograph for each topic below, and attach each photo to this page with glue or double-sided tape (do not staple). Include brief captions, if necessary.

MY FAMILY	MY SPECIAL INTEREST
<p><i>Photo that includes members of your immediate family</i></p>	<p><i>Photo of you participating in your favorite hobby or activity</i></p>
SOMETHING IMPORTANT TO ME	MY HOME
<p><i>Photo of your friends, pet, musical instrument, etc.</i></p>	<p><i>Photo of your house or building where you live</i></p>