

CULTURAL EXCHANGE HOST FAMILY INTERVIEW

To be completed by team members of the host family selection committee after the in-home visit. This form will not be shared with the host family, the foreign student, nor the student’s family. Each in-home visit should be conducted by at least two members of the committee.

Family’s name Address

Interview team names Date of Interview

1. Based on your interview, which of the following attributes do you feel most accurately describe the family?

Circle all that apply and write in additional attributes as observed.

- CASUAL HOME
- HUMOR
- INDIVIDUAL PURSUITS
- SPORTS/OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES
- LOW-KEY, QUIET HOME
- FATHER-DOMINANT HOME
- INTELLECTUAL PURSUITS
- NEATNESS
- OPENNESS WITH FEELINGS
- MOTHER-DOMINANT HOME
- PLANNED ORGANIZED HOME
- DECISION-MAKING BY FAMILY CONSENSUS
- ACTIVE PARTICIPATION IN COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS.
- SPONTANEOUS
- OTHER _____
- ACTIVITIES ARE ORGANIZED AND PLANNED

2. Please provide a general assessment of the home and family environment.
3. Will the student have his or her own bed? Please view the area the family plans to use to accommodate their visiting student. Is it appropriate?
4. Comment on any placement recommendations or restrictions.

5. Which family member initiated the idea of hosting? _____ Why?

6. How was the decision to host an exchange student finalized? (parental decision, family consensus, etc.)

7. Will any of the family members be away from the home during the hosted student's time in the home (including student's time of arrival)? ____yes ____no If yes, please explain who, dates away, and if this will affect hosting:

8. Based on the assessment outlined above, does the interview team believe there is adequate commitment and resources in this family for a successful hosting experience? ____yes ____no If no, please comment:

Team Member's name _____ Signature _____ Date _____

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School Principal/
 C&I Director Signature: _____ Date: _____

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