



# HOMESTAY FAMILY APPLICATION

## General Information

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Name as you wish it to appear on the Homestay cheque

\_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address City Postal Code

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

- What is the elementary school nearest to your home? \_\_\_\_\_

## Statement of Intent

I would like to apply to host an International Student for the upcoming year. I understand that it is my responsibility to ensure that I have adequate personal liability and household theft insurance. I understand that by accepting a student into my home, I agree to abide by the following:

- I will assume responsibility for the care and attention of the student, and will act in place of his/her parents in the event of an emergency.
- The student will be treated like a member of my family and will enjoy our respect and encouragement.
- I will not enter into any private homestay arrangements or host from any other program unless given written permission by the Nanaimo-Ladysmith ISE Homestay Coordinator.
- I agree that our home and family will be available to provide homestay accommodation beginning the last week of August, and that we will not be absent from the home (i.e. holidays) for the first 60 days of the homestay.
- I declare that none of my children living in my home nor any minor living in my home has a criminal record for any offence.

**All applicants must agree to a personal visit by the Homestay Coordinator to view the accommodation and to discuss arrangements to include the student in family activities**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Applicant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

## Letters of Reference

Two letters of reference are required and should relate to:

- Stability of the home
- Character of the family
- Openness to people from different cultures

## Criminal Record Reports

Applicants are required to provide an RCMP Criminal Record Check (CRC) for **ALL** persons 19 years of age or older living in the home. Applicants who have an offence relating to the care of minors will be disqualified. There is a fee, payable to the RCMP. CRCs will be required once every three years. **Please note**, it is your duty to report any incidents that may affect your status during this 3-year interval.

## Family Information

### Parents:

Father's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Employer \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Employer \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Birthdate (Day/Month/Year) \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Birthdate (Day/Month/Year) \_\_\_\_\_

### Other Family Members (please include all other individuals living in the home):

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate (D/M/Y) \_\_\_\_\_ Sex \_\_\_\_\_ School \_\_\_\_\_

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(Name \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate (D/M/Y) \_\_\_\_\_ Sex \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_)

Family Pets: Dog  Yes  No Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Cat  Yes  No Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Other  Yes  No If "Yes" to "Other" please list types of pets and their names:

## Accommodation for the International Student

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|---------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1. Single room/not shared       | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 2. Window                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 3. Desk                         | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 4. Desk light                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 5. Closet                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 6. Chest of drawers             | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 7. Individually-controlled heat | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 8. Private bathroom             | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 9. Smoke Detector               | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |

Number of bedrooms: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of bathrooms: \_\_\_\_\_

## Other

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|---|-------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| ▪ Do any members of your household smoke?                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes  | <input type="checkbox"/> No     | <input type="checkbox"/> Outside Only |
| ▪ Would you accept a student who smokes?                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes  | <input type="checkbox"/> No     | <input type="checkbox"/> Outside Only |
| ▪ Would you accommodate a student with special dietary needs? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes  | <input type="checkbox"/> No     |                                       |
| ▪ Would you prefer:   | <input type="checkbox"/> Male | <input type="checkbox"/> Female | <input type="checkbox"/> Either       |
| ▪ Do you rent out any additional accommodation at your home?  | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes  | <input type="checkbox"/> No     |                                       |

Please provide details: \_\_\_\_\_

## About Your Family and Your Home

- Are any second languages spoken by family members?  Yes  No  
If "Yes," who and in which languages?

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- Have any family members ever visited a foreign country?  Yes  No  
If "Yes," which family members and which countries?

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- Why would you like to host a foreign student?

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- What role do you envision for a foreign student living in your home?

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- Have you ever hosted an International Student before?  Yes  No

<u>Nationality</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Dates</u>
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_____	_____	_____	_____
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- Describe the curfew and other rules in your home.

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- What household responsibilities and chores do you expect of your international student?

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- Describe a typical weekday in your home.

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- What special activities do you do on the weekends?

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- Briefly describe your home (number of bedrooms and bathrooms, where the family dines and socializes, yard, etc.)

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- Briefly describe your neighbourhood.

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- Please provide a brief description of each member of your family including their interests, responsibilities and relationships with others.

**Mother:**

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**Father:**

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**Child:**

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**Child:**

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**Other:**

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**Pets:**

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**Photo of Family Members**

**Photo of Exterior of Home**