



# ROTARY INTERNATIONAL DISTRICT 5010, INC.

## Youth Exchange Program

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### Additional – D5010 Program Rules & Conditions of Exchange:

In consideration of the opportunity afforded to me by Rotary International District  
5010 and my sponsoring Rotary Club to be an international exchange student for one  
year, I agree to the following:

1. After submitting my application and before departure, I will attend:
  - January Outbound Orientation (Schuss-Out)
  - Spring OB Orientation teleconference (or other) with at least one of my parents
2. I will devote whatever time is necessary before departure to learn the essentials of the language spoken in my host country.
3. I understand this is a student educational exchange and I will attend classes and complete my school year.
4. I understand this is not a travel exchange. All travel outside the host community must be explicitly approved by my host parents and host Rotary Club. All travel outside the host Rotary District must be approved by my parents and the host District. I cannot and will not travel without an escort. My parents are encouraged to not travel to my host country during my exchange
5. I agree that:
  - I will not use drugs or smoke.
  - I will not drink alcoholic beverages.
  - I will not drive motorized vehicles of //any kind.
  - I will not seriously date one person so as to become romantically involved.
  - I will not engage in any sexual activity.
6. All expenses other than school-related, such as postage, clothes and telephone, are my personal responsibility.
7. I will write home at least once a month
8. I will report to the Class Counselor and my sponsoring Rotary Club in writing monthly and provide detailed quarterly reports.

9. I will use the designated travel agency approved by District 5010 Youth Exchange Committee.
10. All travel to and from my host country must be in confirmed reservation status only, and not standby. All tickets must be full-fare, with an open return date, valid for one year.
11. I will obey all the laws of the host community and country and conduct myself in a manner to reflect credit to myself, my family, and my country.
12. If I experience problems and/or concerns in the country to which I am assigned, and they cannot be resolved with the host YEO/Counselor, I will contact our Class Counselor and my sponsoring YEO for help and directions.
13. After my return:
  - I will notify my YEO of my return.
  - I will meet with my YEO to give a "debriefing."
  - I will give a report/presentation to my sponsoring Rotary Club.
  - I will help Rotary Youth Exchange as reasonably requested (recruiting, presentations, etc.).
  - I will participate, for a period of one year, in:
    - ❖ September orientation for inbounds
    - January orientation for outbounds
14. I will complete my exchange term (normally 11 months) and fulfill all the requirements of the host Rotary District and Club, usually to complete school and attend their District Conference. If I return home early for cause or without completing my host club requirements, I understand I will be terminated from the D5010 Youth Exchange program.
15. I will speak with my local home school counselor regarding my high school graduation requirements prior to departure. I understand that I may not receive full credit for my foreign class studies and may have to attend an additional year of high school in my home country to graduate.
16. Violation of any of the above rules may result in my being eliminated from the program at any time prior to my departure or may result in my early return.

THE UNDERSIGNED APPLICANT, \_\_\_\_\_, and the undersigned PARENTS or GUARDIANS of the applicant, hereby agree that the applicant be permitted to travel to another country and live in Rotary approved homes as a participant in a Rotary Youth Exchange program for one year.

IN CONSIDERATION of the acceptance and participation of the applicant in such program, the undersigned APPLICANT and his or her PARENTS or GUARDIANS, to the full extent permitted by law, hereby release and agree to save, hold harmless and indemnify, all host parents and members of their families, and all members, officers, directors, committee members and employees of the host and sponsoring Rotary clubs and districts, and of Rotary International, of and from all liability for any loss, property damage, personal injury or death, including any such liability which may arise out of the negligence of any such persons or entities, which may be suffered or claimed by such applicant, parent or guardian during, or as a result of the participation by the applicant in such Youth Exchange Program, including travel to and from the host country.

WE GIVE PERMISSION for any operation, administration of anesthetic or blood transfusion which a medical practitioner may deem necessary or advisable for the treatment of any illness or injury suffered by applicant.

WE AGREE that the president of the host Rotary Club or the director of any tour or trip operated by any Rotary club, district or combination of clubs or districts may sign on behalf of the applicant and his or her parents or guardians any and all medical emergency release documents for such treatment.

Having read and understood the above rules, we each agree to abide by these rules and understand that any violation may result in abrupt termination of the exchange, and we further agree that the host Rotary Club and host Rotary District shall have final authority in enforcing these rules and any other rules which may be imposed with due notice.

**(Signature on all copies must be original.)**

Signed\* \_\_\_\_\_  
(Application)

Signed\* \_\_\_\_\_  
(Father/Guardian)

Signed\* \_\_\_\_\_  
(Mother/Guardian)

Witness  
Signed:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Sponsoring YEO

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ Day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20 \_\_\_\_