



Participation Agreement

I, the parent of _____ do represent my daughter/son in this International
(Student Name)
Student Program Agreement with Chilliwack School District #33 and do state:

I understand and promise to follow, and to have my child follow, what is specified below:

1. My child will attend school on a regular full-time basis while in this program. Absences must be explained by a note from a Homestay Parent.
2. My child will abide by the laws of Canada.
3. My child will obey the rules and regulations of the host family and Chilliwack School District.
4. Consumption or possession of alcoholic beverages as well as the use or possession of any type of illegal drugs is prohibited.
5. My child will not engage in any forms of violence or aggression.
6. My child will not drive any type of motor vehicle, unless the following conditions are met:
 - i) he/she is 17 years of age or older.
 - ii) he/she is an "A" or "B" Honours student on the most recent report card from his/her school in Chilliwack School District.
 - iii) he/she takes an approved driver training course in Canada.
 - iv) he/she has the written approval of the International Student Program Director.
7. My child may not accept employment while in this program.

Infractions of the above seven rules will result in immediate dismissal from Chilliwack School District's International Student Program and termination of the student's visa.

STUDENTS WHO ARE EXPELLED ARE NOT ELIGIBLE FOR A REFUND OF FEES.

8. Students should maintain at least an overall 65% average to remain in the program.
9. My child is expected to attend all classes and complete all homework and assignments.
 - a) Minimum expectations for daily homework and review is 2 - 3 hours a day.
 - b) Students with no formal homework should be reviewing past work and working on subject specific vocabulary or reading in English.
10. My child will attempt to use English as much as possible during the program.



11. While living in a homestay, my child:

- will show respect for families members and act as a member of the family
- will obey family rules; and
- will voluntarily help with reasonable household chores.

Will pay the full amount of the monthly homestay fee for the Christmas and Spring Break holiday periods if he/she leaves the homestay residence during either or both of these holiday periods.

12. My child will not talk about the family's private affairs to others.

13. International phone calls require homestay approval. Payment for any phone calls that are made must be made to the host family immediately. Students are not to run up large phone bills.

14. Students and their parents cannot unilaterally decide to change host families and/or schools. Any change in homestay and/or schools must have the approval of the International Student Program Director.

15. Students are expected to remain in Chilliwack during the school year unless they are going back to their home country or travelling with their family members. A school - sponsored trip or a trip with the host family is allowed. If permission from the student's parents or guardian is submitted beforehand, a trip with another adult person may be permitted.

16. Students are permitted to visit relatives, close family friends and student friends only if there will be guaranteed adult supervision and permission by the host parent. These visits should be of an occasional nature and homestay parents should contact the parties involved to make sure there is no inconvenience to the hosting family.

17. Chilliwack School District's International Student Program is intended for students to attend school during the regular school year (September - June). Therefore, I agree that my child MUST leave Chilliwack for the entire period from July 5 - August 15 each summer. The exceptions to this rule are:

- i) the student is registered in and regularly attending a course of studies in the summer that is offered or approved by Chilliwack School District.
- ii) the student is living with his or her parent(s) or another family member who will take sole responsibility for the child.
- iii) the student has just arrived that spring to audit classes and wishes to stay in Chilliwack through the summer in order to improve his or her English prior to the start of the new school year.
- iv) a unique circumstance arises for the student which receives written approval from the Director of the International Student Program.

Chilliwack School District



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Please return this Participation Agreement to:

Mr. Glen Tiechko
Director, International Student Program
Chilliwack School District
8430 Cessna Drive
Chilliwack, B.C.
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Received

and Acknowledged by: _____

Mr. Glen Tiechko

Chilliwack School District

International Student Program Director