

# **CHINESE CULTURAL EXCHANGE TRAVELING STUDENT'S INFORMATION**

## **I. STUDENT DATA:**

1. Name of Traveling Student: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First

2. Names of Parents: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Number Street City State Zip Code

4. Home Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

5. Student Email address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(One at which your traveling family can contact you)

6. Family Email address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(One at which your group leader can contact parents)

7. Composition of Family:

Adults \_\_\_\_\_

Sons (names and ages). \_\_\_\_\_

Daughters (names and ages). \_\_\_\_\_

## **II. PERSONAL INTEREST, HABITS, AND PREFERENCES**

1. We would like to match visiting students and host families so that the traveling program is as enjoyable as possible for all. Your frank answers to the following questions will be most helpful. Please check all of the following, which describe your family.

a. How would you characterize yourself?

Easy going \_\_\_\_\_ Communicative \_\_\_\_\_

Serious and quiet \_\_\_\_\_ Strict \_\_\_\_\_

Independently oriented \_\_\_\_\_ Liberal \_\_\_\_\_

Family oriented \_\_\_\_\_ Close knit \_\_\_\_\_

b. How do you spend your free time:

Attend sports events \_\_\_\_\_ Attend cultural events \_\_\_\_\_

Play games or music \_\_\_\_\_ Eat dinner together \_\_\_\_\_

Have family discussions \_\_\_\_\_ Vacation / travel \_\_\_\_\_

Involved in school \_\_\_\_\_ TV / Listen to music \_\_\_\_\_

Part time job \_\_\_\_\_ Hobbies \_\_\_\_\_

2. Habits and Preferences

Would you prefer that your host student be a: girl \_\_\_\_\_ boy \_\_\_\_\_ no preference \_\_\_\_\_

Do you follow a special diet? \_\_\_\_\_ If so, please describe: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any allergies? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, what kind? \_\_\_\_\_

Is there any other information that would be helpful in placing you with a host family? What else would you like others to know about you? \_\_\_\_\_  
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**III. INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE**

1. If you have ever lived, studied, or traveled abroad please describe your experience; specify countries visited, purpose of travel, dates and name of program, if any.

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2. Have you ever been the guest of a family abroad? If so, please describe the circumstances.

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3. Have you ever hosted a person of foreign descent in your home? If so, please describe the circumstances.

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4. What foreign language(s) do you speak or understand? How many years have you studied?

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**IV. QUESTIONS**

On a separate page, please respond, in essay fashion, to the following questions:

- What interests you about participating in an exchange program with a Chinese school?
- What separates you from other candidates?

**V. GRADE INFORMATION**

Overall GPA \_\_\_\_\_ Last Semesters GPA \_\_\_\_\_  
(Registrar's Signature)

**VI. MISCELLANEOUS:**

1. Is there any other information that would be helpful in placing you with a family?

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2. Conditions of participation

I am aware that my participation in the exchange is contingent upon the following:

- My school's decision to participate in the program.
- Acceptance into the program according to the established selection process
- Payment of full program cost according to the outlined schedule
- Completion of all necessary forms
- Submitting a MSHSAA physical examination form.
- My agreement to uphold standards of acceptable behavior while abroad, as outlined in the Parent/Guardian/Student Agreement

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent or Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date