

LONG TERM APPLICATION – 2012 OUTBOUND

WHAT DOES AN EXCHANGE COST?

Actual costs will vary depending on the country of exchange and the student's personal budget.

OUTBOUND STUDENT/FAMILY.

For a 2012 outbound student a PARTICIPATION FEE of \$7,975.00* (Inc GST) is applicable. **(this includes a Fuel Levy of \$750.00)**

Of this amount, a deposit of \$4,000.00 is payable with the return of your application or at the time of the District Interviews, being held on the 28th and 29th of May 2011. The balance of \$3,975.00* is payable by the 31st of August 2011.

** This is a preliminary budgeted figure. Any variation to this figure will be advised ASAP.*

The PARTICIPATION FEE includes:

- Non Refundable Administration Cost of \$500.00
- District Interview costs.
- First Orientation Weekend Camp - 16, 17 & 18 September.
(Please do not plan a School Ski Trip commencing this weekend).
- Prepaid Return Airline ticket (valid for 12 months).
- Australian Government Airport Departure Tax
- All Visa costs. **(except France & USA – Embassy Interviews in Sydney)**
- Rotary Overseas Travel and Medical Insurance. (\$750.00)
- Second Orientation Briefing Session (3rd December).
- District Roundabout Tour for seven days \$750.00 (starts at the end of the second orientation session – 3rd December until 10th December).
- Rotary Youth Exchange Uniform.
- Name Badge.
- Photo Business Cards
- Handbook – Students Manual
- Travel Bag / Backpack
- Souvenir Pack and Pins
- District Maps

A Fuel Levy will be applicable - if less than or greater than the \$750.00 mentioned above – a refund or an additional Invoice will be issued – we will know this in December or January.

During the year overseas:

- Three copies of the Outbound Students “Boomer” Magazine - (via email and parents receive hard copy).
- Support from the District Committee and District Governors Leadership Team

On return to Australia:

- Attendance at the Rebound Debriefing Session - usually early February.
- Attendance for the student and parents at a Graduation Dinner (held after the debriefing session)
- Invitation to the District Conference:
 - March: Registration fee and District Governors dinner, is included.
 - Friday Dinner & Saturday Lunch is included
 - Accommodation is not included.

- Invitation to assist at the District Outbound Student interviews (May).
- Invitation to Outbound Orientation (September week-end).
- Invitation to Outbound final briefing session (December).

Student and Family also need to provide funds for:

- Internal travel in overseas country, including any Rotary organised tours
- Day to day living expenses, postage, phone calls, facsimile, E-mail, clothing, footwear, etc
- The cost of attending language school if necessary
- A small emergency fund equivalent to \$500.00 (redeemable at the conclusion of the exchange, if unused – Mandatory by RI)

THE HOST ROTARY CLUB PROVIDES:

- Board and lodging with host families,
- Schooling expenses,
- Monthly allowance of the equivalent of approximately \$120.00 per month.
- The host club also covers the cost of attending Host District Seminars and Host District Conference.

THE SPONSOR ROTARY CLUB PROVIDES:

- Some clubs help with a contribution towards the cost of the student blazer or other items the club feels they can afford.
- A Trained Club Counsellor to assist the student before and during their exchange.

CANCELLATION POLICY – TERRA AUSTRALIS

Cancellation Policy if a student withdraws from the programme close to departure.

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| • 90 days or more from Departure Date | \$500.00 deposit retained |
| • 60 – 90 days from Departure Date | \$1,000.00 |
| • 30 – 59 days from Departure Date | \$1,500.00 |
| • 29 or less days from Departure Date | \$2,500.00 |