

DE INTERNATIONAL

PARENT NOMINATION FOR HOMESTAY

This form is to be completed and signed by the student's parent and returned to DE International. DE International will assess this family against the criteria outlined in this form and, if approved, will issue a Confirmation of Appropriate Accommodation and Welfare (CAAW) form to the Department of Home Affairs to assist in obtaining a student visa.

DE International reserves the right to remove students from the nominated homestay if there are any breaches of nominated homestay requirements or concerns regarding the welfare and safety of a student.

Only use this form when nominating distant relatives and close family friends

Please print in ENGLISH

I, father / mother (circle) of
Student Family Name:
Given Name:
Date of Birth:/...../..... Gender: M F
Current/Future School (circle):
DE International Reference No:

Request approval for the following person/s to be the Homestay for my child:

Nominated Homestay Details

Family Name:
Given Name:
Date of Birth:/...../..... Gender: M F
Residency Status (attach evidence or passport and visa). Please tick the correct one:
 Australian Citizen Permanent Resident Other Visa (please state)
Address:
Suburb/town: Postcode:
Telephone no (Home):(Work): (Mobile):
Email address:

Details of people living at the same address:

Name:	Age:	<input type="checkbox"/> M	<input type="checkbox"/> F	Name:	Age:	<input type="checkbox"/> M	<input type="checkbox"/> F
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Provide a detailed description of your relationship with the nominated homestay:
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Number of years you have known the nominated homestay:

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Note: The nominated homestay must act as carer and provide a supportive family environment for students and must meet the same requirements for all Homestay host families. Homestay must be over the age of 25 and be resident in Australia until the student is 18 years of age. Approval will not be given to people who often travel overseas. The nominated homestay must be within reasonable travelling time from your child's school. Your child must not move into the nominated homestay until approval is granted.

All nominated homestay families must meet the following requirements:

1. The home must be clean and have appropriate furnishings suitable for students up to and including the age of 18 years.
2. The nominated homestay must reside at the homestay premises and supervise the student at all times. If the nominated homestay must travel then notice must be provided to DE International and appropriate alternative arrangements for the student are approved by DE International prior to the nominated homestay's departure.
3. There are to be no more than three overseas students residing in the home at any time.

4. Each student is to have, as a minimum, their own room, bed, desk or if a shared room no more than two persons per room (same gender) each of whom must have separate bed and desk.
5. Students are not to share rooms with host family members and sharing arrangements between students will only be approved if the parents of both students so request.
6. Rooms assigned to Students are solely for the Student's use and not for the use of other family members that requires regular access, such as storage.
7. Students are to be given a key to the home so that the Student can gain access to the home at any time.
8. There must be adequate lighting for study purposes.
9. There must be heating in winter and some means of cooling in summer.
10. There must be access to bathroom, with reasonable time allowed for showers (10 minutes).
11. There must be access to kitchen and laundry facilities and use of shared living areas of home.

I acknowledge that payment of the service fee must be made to the Homestay Provider, who will conduct an annual inspection visit of the nominated homestay premises. Upfront payment for each annual inspection visit up to the student's 18th birthday must be provided to the Homestay Provider.

I understand the requirements of the nomination of a Homestay and declare that the information provided is correct.

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Father / Mother's Signature

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Date

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Nominated Homestay's Signature

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Date