



SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 34 (ABBOTSFORD)  
INTERNATIONAL PROGRAM

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**STUDENT  
HOMESTAY APPLICATION FORM**

**Office Use Only**  
School Placement: \_\_\_\_\_  
School Year: \_\_\_\_ Arrival Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Airport Reception Service  Yes  No

Canada is a proud multicultural country. People living in Canada are from countries from all around the world. The Abbotsford School District homestay hosts are diverse. They vary in ages, lifestyles, expectations, and customs. All homes and hosts are thoroughly screened. In order to be an approved homestay, all hosts must comply with our strict standards, expectations, and guidelines. **It is important that you submit a complete application form, in English, as it will assist the Homestay Coordinator in selecting the best homestay for you. Incomplete forms will be returned and student registration will be delayed.**

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender:  Male  Female  
Birth date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Present Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Country of birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Citizenship: \_\_\_\_\_  
Month Day Year

**List the people in your family:**

Name	Age	Relationship	Name	Age	Relationship
1.			2.		
3.			4.		
5.			6.		

**Preferred Characteristics of Homestay Family:**

Children Age 0 to 12 years: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Couple with no children: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Teenagers Age 13 to 19 years: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Older Couple: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Do you like pets? Dogs:  Yes  No Cats:  Yes  No  
Do you have pets?  Yes  No If yes, what kind? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you smoke?  Yes  No Can you live with Smokers?  Yes  No  
Please list any **dietary restrictions** (allergies, religious, etc.) or strong likes and dislikes of any foods: \_\_\_\_\_  
Do you have **allergies** to:  Dogs  Cats  Pollen  Grass  Perfume  Seasonal  
If other, please describe: \_\_\_\_\_

**Describe your personality:**

**Interests:**

**Family Life:**

<input type="checkbox"/> Outgoing	<input type="checkbox"/> Independent	<input type="checkbox"/> Be with friends	<input type="checkbox"/> Want to be part of the family
<input type="checkbox"/> Friendly	<input type="checkbox"/> Quiet & Shy	<input type="checkbox"/> Like Sports	<input type="checkbox"/> Want an active family
<input type="checkbox"/> Adaptable	<input type="checkbox"/> Like to be alone	<input type="checkbox"/> Like Shopping	<input type="checkbox"/> Like to play with children
<input type="checkbox"/> Talkative	<input type="checkbox"/> Easily Worried	<input type="checkbox"/> Like Computers	<input type="checkbox"/> Like to go new places
<input type="checkbox"/> Humorous	<input type="checkbox"/> Will ask for help	<input type="checkbox"/> Like Music	

List four of your favourite sports, leisure time activities, hobbies and extracurricular activities? \_\_\_\_\_

What do you like to do with your family? \_\_\_\_\_

What do you like to do with your friends? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you spent time learning about multi-cultural Canada and family life? \_\_\_\_\_

What expectations do you have of your host family? \_\_\_\_\_

What are the rules in your home? \_\_\_\_\_

What time is your curfew? \_\_\_\_\_

What are your favourite foods? \_\_\_\_\_

How long do you study each day? \_\_\_\_\_ Play on the computer? \_\_\_\_\_

Will you bring a computer to your homestay? \_\_\_\_\_

Will you attend an after school tutoring program? If so, which one? \_\_\_\_\_

**Participation Agreement**

I understand and appreciate that the opportunity to live in a homestay provides a valuable opportunity to learn about other families and cultures. I understand and accept that all my preferences may not be met. I agree to abide by the expectations and responsibilities of personal behaviour while living in a district approved homestay. While living with a homestay family, I will take part in household activities and family life. I will obey family rules and show respect for all family members. I understand that a copy of this application will be sent to my homestay host.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Please return by mail or fax to:**

International Education Department  
2790 Tims Street, Abbotsford,  
British Columbia, Canada V2T 4M7

**Fax: (604) 504-7629**