

Student Homestay Agreement

It is important that the Homestay Student understand that they are the guests, in the host family's home and that they should behave accordingly. There are two Golden Rules for Homestay: **"Show consideration at all times"**, and **"When in doubt, please always ask."**

The following is a list of terms and conditions for the Homestay Student.

- 1. Academia Language School will make every effort to make the most suitable Homestay placement based on the Student's requests and the families' preferences.
- 2. Students MUST use phone cards for any long distance calls. All calls should be kept at a reasonable length of time to show **consideration** to other members of the household.
- 3. Students must respect the privacy and belongings of the Host Family and follow the rules in their home.
- 4. Students must reimburse the Host Family for any damages caused by them.
- 5. Students shall invite guests to the home only with the knowledge and permission of the Host Family.
- 6. Students should let their Host Family know if they are not returning for dinner or staying overnight at a friend's place. They may also wish to leave a contact number.
- 7. Students should participate in family chores, such as cleaning up after meals, tidying up after using the bathroom, keeping their bedroom clean, etc.
- 8. Students should not bring food or drinks into their bedroom, as it will attract insects.
- 9. Students should conserve and not waste food, water or electricity.
- 10. Students MUST NOT **smoke** or **drink alcoholic** beverages in the home unless given permission to do so by the Host Family.
- 11. If a difficult situation arises in the home, the Student should contact Academia Language School, at (808) 946-5599 immediately. Every effort will be made to rectify the situation in the best interest of the parties involved.
- 12. If the Student does not comply with the above policies, they may be asked to leave the Host Family's home.
- 13. If students would like to cancel their stay with their family, please refer to the invoice for the family's cancellation policy.

I have read and understood the above terms and conditions for Homestay, and agree to abide by them. By signing this document, I waive all liability from Academia Language School and the host family.

Date (mm/dd/yy):

Student's Signature

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