

WHY BE A HOST FAMILY?

“Kevin and I weren’t open to being a host family since we both work and were already taking care of six kids. However, our eldest daughter pleaded to have the experience her senior year, so we finally agreed. Once Sangmi (Molly) arrived, it was just like when we brought another child home from the hospital. There was plenty of love to go around, and she blended in and became a part of our family.”

Vicki Gregg, SCA parent

“SCA is truly dedicated to being a light, shining in the international realm. You could simply take care of American children and you do it so well, but you have accepted this calling for the nations: you can either go to them or have them come to you. I am convinced there is a certain blessing on that choice. It is not an easy choice but it is an investment, a sowing which will allow you to reap a great blessing, in the school, in the foreign students, in the American students, and in your community. Having missions on their heart, SCA is also accepting the commandment of the Lord to make of all nations not only converts, but disciples.”

*Eric Tendon, Switzerland
Father of three SCA students*

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BENEFITS OF HOSTING AN INTERNATIONAL STUDENT

Hosting an international student comes with many benefits including having the opportunity to develop a friendship with someone from another culture and impact his or her life by sharing God’s love.

This school is authorized under Federal law to enroll nonimmigrant students.



To apply, visit us online at summit-christian-academy.org.

Click on Admissions, choose International Students from the drop down menu, and scroll down to the Host Family Application.

If you would like more information, please contact the International Program Director at 816.525.1480.

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THE INTERNATIONAL PROGRAM HOST FAMILIES



WHAT IS A HOST FAMILY?

As a host family, you open your heart and home to an international student, provide room and board, and invite the student to become a part of your family. Offering a loving family environment, you share your everyday lives with the student and help them adjust to American lifestyle, culture, and language.

As a host family, you will have the full support of the International Program Director including Host Family Orientation and essential tools and information to help you through the process. Please prayerfully consider this amazing opportunity.



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WHO ARE OUR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS?

International students are students who:

- Are 14-18 years old, mature, and responsible
- Are capable of communicating in English
- Are good students who perform well academically
- Bring their own money to spend during their time in America
- Have full medical and liability insurance
- Come with either a J1 or F1 visa
- Have passed the school's screening process including a medical evaluation, English proficiency assessment, teacher recommendations, and academic performance review
- Have completed an orientation meeting



"Our international students have been a wonderful addition to the SCA student body. They have helped us become much more globally aware and have expanded our understanding of other cultures."

Emir A. Ruiz Esparza, SCA Secondary Principal

