

# ROTARY LONG TERM YOUTH EXCHANGE PROGRAM

**Salem Area Rotary Clubs**

**PROGRAM DEFINITION**

1. Service Clubs all over the world. More than 1.2 million members
2. One student for one school year, approximately 10 months
3. Excellent preparation. Train during your sophomore year; spend your junior year abroad.

# GOALS

1. Further international goodwill and understanding
2. Broaden outlook on the world
3. Ambassadors for the United States of America
4. Learn about a new culture
5. Possibly master another language

# ELIGIBILITY

1. Current sophomores
2. Good character, reputation, and involvement in and out of school
3. Above average academically, minimum of 3.0 GPA
4. For all students, not just students of Rotarians

# APPLICATION PROCEDURE

1. Complete the Preliminary Application
2. Interview *I* Selection by Rotary members
3. Final application to District Committee by October 31
4. In home interview by District Committee member in November or December
5. Initial outbound student nominee orientation in January
6. Additional orientations *I* activities from February to June.

# COST

1. Orientation fee of $1,600 for orientation, transportation, meals, paperwork, blazer, business cards.
2. Air Travel $800 to $3,000, depending on country
3. Emergency fund of $500, if unused, returnable on completion of the exchange
4. Miscellaneous annual expenses of $1,000 to $3,000, the hosting Rotary Club overseas supplies a small monthly allowance

# COUNTRIES

Argentina, Austria, Brazil, Chile, Czech Republic-Slovakia, Ecuador, Denmark, Finland-Estonia, France, Germany, India, Italy, Japan, Mexico, Peru, Russia, South Korea, Switzerland, Taiwan, Thailand, Turkey

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