



## Short-Term Exchange

### Background Information:

Time frames can vary from several days to several weeks. The student generally doesn't have to attend the host country school, however. Students will be able to book any desired tours of specific regions during the trip. Common exchanges include homestays, tours, family-to-family, and international youth camps.

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## Who We Are

### About Us:

Rotary International is a global chain of nearly 1.2 million volunteers throughout various communities. The Rotary International members are leaders who work to provide service, encourage exalted ethical standards, and help bring peace throughout the world. More than 33,000 clubs in over 200 countries conduct projects to address current issues such as disease, hunger, poverty, environmental concerns, and a lack of water.

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### Program Cost:

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- Round trip airfares
- Travel insurance (medical, illness, etc.)
- Travel documents (passports and visas)
- Money expenditures for tours

## Long-Term Exchange

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The time frame of the trip is usually 1 year in which the students are required to attend the school of the host nation. Also, the students must live with around 2-3 host families throughout the trip, while the families are conscientiously examined to ensure the students safety.



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- Language camp or cultural orientation sessions.
- Emergency funding for possible unexpected expenses.