High School Students!!! For a Summer Exchange in another Country Gowith us!!!



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WHAT: Summer exchange visit with a student from another country.

WHERE: Regularly with Germany, France, Spain & Italy – Other countries possible.

<u>WHO</u>: Students of age 15-18 (boys and girls) from the Southeast corner of Texas and students matched by gender, age and interests from exchange countries.

<u>WHY</u>: To promote international goodwill and understanding among people of the world. And for participants, it is an opportunity to see and learn about another country and its people from the inside – living as a member of their matched student's family – and a chance to reciprocate by hosting their new international friend in their home and to show with them some of their country.

<u>WHEN</u>: During the summer vacation from school – about 3-4 weeks each way – exact schedules negotiated.

<u>COSTS</u>: Airfare (approximately \$1300-\$1600 depending upon destination and schedule), "spending money" for gifts, etc, and \$300 for insurance and application fee for preparing orientation materials and handling correspondence with matched country.

<u>LANGUAGE</u>: You will not need to be fluent in a foreign language. (But if you want to learn, it's a fine opportunity to practice!) Matched students usually speak English well.

<u>SOME PARTICULARS</u>: Participants live with families of matched students. *The family of the student is responsible for hosting the inbound student.* Host families make sure that students become acquainted with the host country and culture.

<u>DUE DATE FOR APPLICATIONS</u>: The due date for applications is December 1 of the year prior to the exchange. Later applications will be considered, but opportunities are reduced by spring.

TO APPLY: contact Rotary District 5910 Youth Exchange Office

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