



### Summer Exchange Experience (SEE) Application Part 1

Complete this Summer Exchange Experience (SEE) Application Part 1 and **submit it to District 7210's SEE Coordinator, Michael Frazier at [michaelfrazier@earthlink.net](mailto:michaelfrazier@earthlink.net)** by **November 15, 2022**, with the 2 required attachments, or send all via US Mail to M Frazier, 8 Sunset Rd, Rhinebeck, NY 12572. Mr Frazier will refer your application to the Rotary Club in your community for potential sponsorship. A Youth Exchange Officer from that Rotary Club will interview you and your family in your home, and upon that club's approval your application will be referred to the District 7210 Youth Exchange (YEX) Committee for a second interview, usually by early January 2023. The initial \$175 non-refundable application fee is due prior to the District interview. If you are accepted for the program you will be asked to complete Part 2 of the SEE Application. Once Part 2 is completed (no later than February 28, 2023), the process of pairing you with a host family abroad takes place. If we are able to successfully pair you with a host family abroad in a country/location acceptable to you, the application process is complete and the \$300 balance is due. For more information, email SEE Chair Michael Frazier at [michaelfrazier@earthlink.net](mailto:michaelfrazier@earthlink.net).

#### Student Information

Student Name	_____	Email Address	_____
Home Address	_____	Mobile Phone	_____
Home Phone	_____	Year in School (9, 10, 11)	_____
High School	_____	Approx. GPA	_____
Date of Birth	_____	Passport #	_____
		Country of Issue	_____
		Expire Date	_____
Are you a member of Interact?	_____	Did you participate in RYLA?	_____
Name of your local Rotary Club	_____	How did you first learn of SEE?	_____

Countries previously hosting summer exchanges with District 7210: Austria, France, Germany, Italy, and Spain.

List, in preference order, countries with which you are most willing and interested to exchange, not necessarily countries above:

1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_ 3. \_\_\_\_\_ 4. \_\_\_\_\_

#### **Two attachments must accompany this Application:**

1. A copy of your most recent school report card or transcript; and
2. A one-page essay in which you describe your reasons for your interest in SEE and why you think you are a good candidate for participation. You might discuss such things as your previous experiences of visiting a foreign country, how you spent time away from your parents before, languages spoken other than English, whether you initiate contact with others or wait for others to come to you, your experience in adapting to new situations, your willingness to accept religious, political and/or social beliefs different from yours, whether you have any health issues, extracurricular activities, volunteer participation, and how a summer exchange might fit into your longer-range educational/life plan.

#### Parent or Legal Guardian Information

Parent 1 Name	_____	Email Address	_____
Home Address	_____		
Home Phone	_____	Mobile Phone	_____
Occupation	_____	Nationality	_____
		Rotarian (Y/N)?	_____
Parent 2 Name	_____	Email Address	_____
Home Address	_____		
Home Phone	_____	Mobile Phone	_____
Occupation	_____	Nationality	_____
		Rotarian (Y/N)?	_____

#### Parental Acceptance

I acknowledge that my child, \_\_\_\_\_ is applying for participation in Rotary District 7210's Summer Exchange Experience. I fully understand the rules and costs associated with this Rotary Youth Exchange program and am willing to ensure that my child will fully comply at all times. I also understand that my child must be in full compliance with all vaccination requirements, including those for Covid-19, and that Rotary will not permit any exemptions.

Parent 1 Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Parent 2 Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_