

QUESTIONNAIRE FOR FIRST NIGHT WITH NEW HOST FAMILY

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1. What do I call you? Mom, Dad or Christian name?
2. What else am I expected to do daily other than:
 - a. Make my bed
 - b. Keep my room tidy at all times
 - c. Clean the bathroom every time I use it
3. What is the procedure regarding dirty clothes? Where do I keep them until wash day?
4. May I use the iron and washing machine at any time?
5. What is the procedure regarding washing clothes?
6. Must I wash my own underclothes?
7. Where can I keep my bathroom toilet accessories?
8. When is the most convenient time for me to use the bathroom weekday mornings?
9. When is the best time for me to bathe (A.M. or P.M.)?
10. What times are meals?
11. Offer to have a permanent job at mealtimes, i.e.: Set the table, clear the table, wash the dishes; put everything away after a meal, empty the garbage, etc.
12. May I help myself to food and drink (non-alcoholic) at any time or must I ask first? (Promise to do this in moderation, if acceptable)
13. What areas are strictly private, e.g., bar, study, sewing room, pantry, etc.?
14. If you need coat hangers - ASK NOW!
15. May I put up pictures and posters, etc., in my bedroom?
16. May I move the furniture in my room, i.e., may I personalize it? (Not recommended, however, if yes, when you leave, leave it exactly as you found it)
17. Where may I store my suitcases?
18. What time must I get up weekday mornings?
19. What time must I get up weekends and holidays?
20. What time must I go to bed weekdays?
21. What time must I be in at night if I go out (exceptions by special arrangement)?
 - a. Would you like me to phone home if I will be more than 30minutes late?

22. May I have friends stay the night?
23. May I invite friends around during the day (not opposite sex if parents are not there - this is very important, you could be sent home)?
24. What are the rules about local phone calls? Must I ask first?
 - a. May my friends phone me?
25. What are the rules about long distance and overseas calls?
 - a. Must I ask?
 - b. How do you want me to keep track of the costs of my telephone calls?
26. What is the procedure about mailing letters?
 - a. What address do I use for my incoming mail?
27. Do you have any pet dislikes or hates, e.g., chewing gum, rock and roll music, unpunctual people, being interrupted when reading the newspaper? Find out and REMEMBER.
28. Host brothers and sisters' likes and dislikes?
29. What are their feelings and/or rules about transporting me around the place?
30. May I use the TV, computer, etc. at any time?
 - a. Are there restrictions on computer and Internet use?
31. What arrangements should I make for school lunch?
32. Am I to attend Rotary club meetings? How will I get there?
33. Is there anything else you would like me to know?
34. **DO NOT SMOKE, PLEASE!!!**