



California-Nevada 5190

PRELIMINARY LONG TERM APPLICATION

STUDENT INSTRUCTIONS:

- This application must be **TYPED**. It is a PDF fill in form. Handwritten applications will be rejected by the District RYE Committee.
- This application is to be printed single sided. Double sided applications will be rejected by the District RYE Committee.
- Do not staple or put into binders. Use a paper clip to keep the pages in proper order.
- **HINT:** Read the application carefully. There are instructions within the application.
- Give the completed application to your local Rotary Club as per their instructions.

CLUB INSTRUCTIONS:

- After reviewing the application, sign page 6
- Scan to PDF and email the application to: ryexecsec@rye5190.org or US mail to RYE, PO Box 3510, Sparks, NV 89432
- Do not staple or put into binders. Use a paper clip to keep the pages in proper order.

Submit the completed preliminary application to your local Rotary club as per their instructions.



PRELIMINARY APPLICATION

District 5190 Long-Term Exchange Program

Personal Information

1. Applicant Information

Full Legal Name as it appears on passport or birth certificate <small>(use all capital letters for your FAMILY name)</small>				Preferred Name		Gender <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	
Home Address — Street							
City		State/Province		Postal Code		Country	
Postal Address <i>(if different)</i>							
City		State/Province		Postal Code		Country	
Home Phone		Mobile Phone		E-mail			
Date of Birth (e.g., 01/Jan/1999)			Place of Birth (City, State/Province, Country)			Citizen of (Country)	
Do you have a passport?			Country of Issue			Expiration Date	

2. Parent/Legal Guardian Information

Full Name of Father/Legal Guardian				Full Name of Mother/Legal Guardian					
Address — Street				Address — Street					
City		State/Prov.	Postal Code	Country	City		State/Prov.	Postal Code	Country
E-mail				E-mail					
Home Phone		Mobile Phone		Home Phone		Mobile Phone			
Occupation				Occupation					
Business Phone		Fax		Business Phone		Fax			
Rotarian? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes, name of Rotary club:				Rotarian? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes, name of Rotary club:					
<input type="checkbox"/> Check here if your parents are divorced or separated.									

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3. Siblings (add pages as necessary)

Name	Gender	Age	Occupation	Living at Home
	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

4. Personal Background

a. Do you have any dietary restrictions?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	If yes, please explain (e.g., vegetarian, food allergies):
b. Do you smoke?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	If yes for 4b, 4c, or 4d, please explain:
c. Do you drink alcohol?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
d. Have you ever been involved with illegal drugs?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

Answering yes will not automatically eliminate you as a candidate; however, it may require special consideration of host family assignments.

5. Secondary School Information

Name of Secondary School you currently attend		<i>Attach a transcript of secondary school courses you have completed and the grades you received in the last completed year of school.</i>	
Address — Street			
City	State/Province	Postal Code	Country
Phone	Fax	E-mail	
Number of grades/levels at your school		Year you will finish secondary school	Years of school attended

6. Languages

Native Language:				
Non-native Language(s)	Years Studied	Proficiency (indicate Poor, Fair, Good, or Fluent)		
		Speaking	Reading	Writing

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7. Application submitted by:

Applicant (print name)	Signature
Dated this _____ Day of _____ Month, _____ Year.	

The undersigned parents (guardians) of the above named applicant is aware that the applicant is applying to be a Rotary Youth Exchange student, and approves the submission of this preliminary application.

Mother/Legal Guardian (print name)	Signature
Father/Legal Guardian (print name)	Signature
Dated this _____ Day of _____ Month, _____ Year.	



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Letters and Photos

Student's Letter

Write a letter introducing yourself to the Rotarians who will review this preliminary application. Keep in mind that this will be their first impression of you. Incorporate your answers to the following questions, providing as much detail as possible.

Specifications: Type your letter on separate sheets of paper, and include your name on each. Maximum length: 3 pages.

1. Why do you want to be an exchange student?
2. How would being an exchange student for a year affect your future education?
3. Describe your current ability to speak, read and write a language other than English. How did you learn this language (in school, at home, etc.)?
4. Describe your current class schedule. How would you describe yourself as high school student?
5. What classes particularly interest you and why?
6. What do you do in your free time?
7. What are your hobbies?
8. What leadership positions have you held in school, church, clubs or organizations? List the organizations.
9. Describe the occupations of your mother and father.
10. What are the strengths in your personal character that will help you be a successful exchange student?

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Student's Photos

Select a color photograph for each topic below, and attach each photo to this page with glue or double-sided tape (do not staple). Include brief captions, if necessary.

MY FAMILY	MY SPECIAL INTEREST
<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Photo that includes members of your immediate family</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Photo of you participating in your favorite hobby or activity</i></p>
SOMETHING IMPORTANT TO ME	MY HOME
<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Photo of your friends, pet, musical instrument, etc.</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Photo of your house or building where you live</i></p>



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Sponsor Club Endorsement – To Be Completed by the Sponsoring Rotary Club

Sponsor Club Information

Name of Sponsor Club					
Name of Sponsor Club Youth Exchange Officer			Name of Club President or President Elect		President or Pres Elect
Address — Postal			Address — Postal		
City	State	Postal Code	City	State	Postal Code
Home Phone		Mobile Phone		Home Phone	
Business Phone			Business Phone		
E-mail			E-mail		

The Rotary Club of _____ affirms that it has:

1. Reviewed this application.
2. Has interviewed the student and at least one parent.
3. Feels that this student will be an excellent ambassador representing both Rotary and the United States.

Furthermore, the club agrees that to sponsor an outbound long term Rotary Youth Exchange Student, the club will:

1. Host an inbound student.
2. Have at least one member who will serve as the club Youth Exchange Officer and counselor, or the club will have one member who will serve as the club Youth Exchange Officer and one or more members who will serve as RYE counselor(s). And that these members will be fully approved by Rotary District 5190 RYE for their duties by December 15th of this year.
3. Have at least one host family who has agreed to be the first host family for the inbound student that the club will be hosting. And that this family will fulfill all requirements to be a host family by January 31st of next year. Three host families per inbound student are required during the exchange. The sponsoring club will be responsible for obtaining host families. Obtaining host families is the responsibility of all club members.
4. Provide the inbound student with a monthly allowance as per the District 5190 RYE program guidelines.
5. Is responsible for arranging for transportation for the inbound student to attend all mandatory RYE inbound activities.

Name Club President

Signature Club President

Date

Name Club YEO

Signature Club YEO

Date