

Agreement and General Information

Each student on exchange, and his or her parents, must read and acknowledge they understand this agreement.

1. Parents are responsible for making all travel arrangements for their son or daughter to travel from home to the exchange country and return, including arranging flights and obtaining any necessary visas. Parents are responsible for all costs involved in such travel arrangements, regardless of unusual circumstances such as missed flights, cancellations, lost tickets etc, and whether or not the exchange is terminated prior to the child leaving their home country, however so terminated.
2. Parents must provide medical and health insurance coverage.
3. There is no exchange of money between schools for tuition fees. Parents continue to pay their own school fees and applicable extra costs.
4. The host school is responsible for providing accommodation with a host family. This accommodation will be in a smoke free environment where requested. The student is expected to conform to the rules of the host household, which will be clearly explained.
5. Daily costs of travel, lunch etc, will be covered by the host family.
6. Spending money for incidentals and souvenirs will be provided by parents, and prior arrangement for this should be made, e.g. a debit card. Visiting students should purchase telephone cards for calling long distance.
7. St Aidan's will provide, to the best of their ability, a course of study and timetable to suit the needs of the student.
8. The student is responsible for maintaining academic expectations as set by their own school. St Aidan's teachers will expect the student to be attentive in class and, to the best of his/her ability, take part in all classroom activities and complete set homework.
9. Participating students agree to conform to the rules, dress code and expectations of St Aidan's.
10. Participating students agree to attend all classes and commitments as outlined by their schedule and to endeavour to become involved in the extra-curricular life of their new school.
11. Each student will be welcomed at the airport by either the host family or a staff member from the host school. Contact will be made with the student's own school and parents to confirm safe arrival.

12. Students agree to wear the St Aidan's uniform correctly while attending the school or school functions.

13. Host families will endeavour to provide some sightseeing adventures, etc for the visiting student and, unless unusual circumstances apply and are discussed prior to the event, costs will be covered by the host family.

14. If a participating student does not comply with the rules and expectations of the host household and/or St Aidan's, after discussions and warnings, the Head of the School reserves the right to terminate the exchange and return the student home at the parents' expense.

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We have read and understood the agreement

Signed (Parent/Guardian)

Signed (Student) (Form)

Date