

ADMISSION OF EXCHANGE STUDENTS

Through its mission, the Indian River School District is dedicated to developing responsible citizens of Delaware, the United States, and the world. Student exchange programs support us in further developing cultural awareness and global citizenship. Prior to the exchange student's participation in an IRSD school, the exchange program/organization must:

- Provide a descriptive brochure of the program, including goals, affiliations, etc.
- Provide a local or state contact person.
- Provide or require participants to have medical/accident insurance.
- Provide a manual of guidelines and instructions for participants, including student behavior expectations or student discipline code for home and school.
- Provide clear policy guidelines to volunteer representatives.
- Conduct formal orientation and evaluation session for participants.
- Require English language proficiency for all involved participants.
- Provide a screening procedure for host families.
- Have United States Information Agency designation as Youth Exchange Visitor Program.
- Provide accurate transcript information for host school.

All documenting evidence should be submitted to the school's principal, or designee, prior to the exchange student's participation in school. The principal, or designee, will grant final approval.

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