

Foreign Exchange Program

To be taken abroad by the Group Leader

Student-Parent Agreement

1. As an American student abroad I will do my best to be aware of my role as a representative of the United States and will try to live up to what is expected of me in this role.
2. While abroad, I will listen to and follow the instructions of my school's Group Leader(s) and the host School Coordinator.
3. I will obey the rules of my host school and home, and the laws of my host country.
4. I will not use alcohol, nor will I use or possess illegal drugs while participating in the program.
5. I will, while in the hotels and other public places, respect property and the rights of others, and observe the rules and regulations of the establishment and the instructions of my Group Leader.
6. I will participate in all activities planned for the group.
7. I will abide by all written program policies and procedures as stated and interpreted by the U.S. and foreign group leaders.
8. I understand that travel participation is contingent on continuous satisfactory reports in PowerSchool, behavior reports from D94 Staff teachers, deans, and counselors, and medical status.
9. I have reviewed these points with my parents/guardians. We understand the need for all participating students to agree to the above items. We realize that if I do not abide by these rules I will be sent home at the discretion of the program sponsor and at my family's expense. I understand that I will be responsible for all financial and other consequences of my behavior.

Circumstances for Early Return

An additional issue Community High School needs to clarify is that if while abroad the chaperone contacts you to say your son/daughter has had any difficulties, be they medical or behavioral, and will be returning to Illinois, **it is not negotiable**. You certainly can choose to fly to France, Germany, Spain or Costa Rica to pick them up or as indicated in the exchange forms, we will arrange for a chaperone to accompany them home, **all arrangements at your additional expense**.

We understand how much this trip means to your student and we appreciate your willingness to facilitate the protocols for their safety and to ensure that participation in this exchange is a wonderful experience for each student on the trip.

Participant's Signature

Date

Parent or Guardian Signature

Date