

Student Program Rules

1. Participant is expected to take part in the host family's daily home life and to conform to all family rules and help with household chores.
2. Participant is required to attend all planned program activities, unless EPC and Chaperone agree.
3. Driving of any motor vehicle is forbidden during the homestay and may result in immediate release from the program. This includes but is not limited to cars, motorcycles, E-bikes, mopeds, motorboats, lawnmowers, etc.
4. Participant may not handle firearms, weapons, ammunition, etc. Shooting, hunting, and all activities involving firearms is not allowed.
5. Participant must conform to host family rules and applicable laws regarding smoking and the use of tobacco products. The legal age for smoking or purchasing tobacco products is 21.
6. Participant may not consume alcohol or marijuana.
7. Participant may not get tattoos or piercings.
8. Participants may not bring or view pornographic material in the host family homes.
9. Independent travel or visiting of relatives is not part of the program.
10. Participant must abide by all national, state and local laws.
11. Sexual harassment will not be tolerated. This includes unwanted touching, sexual comments, sexual jokes, or making someone feel uncomfortable in a sexual way. Any sexual harassment will result in the student being removed from the program.
12. Any form of physical or verbal abuse is strictly prohibited and will result in the student being removed from the program.
13. Participant must wear seatbelt and not move from their seat when traveling in any vehicle.
14. Participant may not borrow money from or lend money to his/her host family,
15. Participant is responsible for all their personal valuables and electronics. Participant should keep these items always locked in their luggage. ERDT is not responsible for missing items.
16. Participant may not plan any activities with another participant in the program. Participant is here to interact, bond and spend time with the host family.

If any of these program rules are broken, the participant may be released from the program early and sent home at the participant's or his/her family's expense.