St John's Anglican College
Homestay Application Form

Application Date: _____

Family Name/s:_____

Address: _____

Postal Address (if applicable): _____

Suburb: _____ **State:** _____ **Postcode:**_____

Telephone contact information:

Home: _____ **Mobile (Parent 1):** _____ **Mobile (Parent 2):** _____

Work Number (Parent 1): _____ **Work Number (Parent 2):** _____

Regular Work Hours (Parent 1): _____ **Regular Work Hours (Parent 2):** _____

Email: _____ **Can this be publicised? Yes / No**
(For example: Your name & phone number published on a homestay study tour list with other host families)

Family Details

Current family members residing in the Homestay					
Given Name	**Family Name**	**Nationality**	**Date of Birth**	**Relationship ie. Mother, brother**	**Occupation**

Please ✔ your family's hobbies or interests:

__ Rugby	__ Surfing	__ Reading	__ Watching movies
__ Baseball	__ Swimming	__ Aerobics	__ Listening to music
__ Tennis	__ Sailing	__ Dancing	__ Scuba diving
__ Golf	__ Basketball	__ Soccer	__ Martial arts
__ Travel	__ Art	__ Walking	__ Playing musical instru**ments**

Are there any family members currently attending St John's Anglican College: Yes / No

Please specify details: _____

Is English the primary language spoken in your home: Yes / No

Please specify other languages spoken in your home: _____

Are there any health conditions existing in your family that an international student would need to be aware of e.g. Diabetes, Epilepsy? Yes / No

*If yes, please provide details: _____

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Does any family member smoke? Yes / No Inside the house? Yes / No

Please note: Smoking is illegal for students under 18 years of age (Most Australian homestay families do not like students smoking in or at their home)

Does the family have any dietary restrictions? Yes / No (If yes, please specify):_____

Pets

Do you have pets? Yes / No Number of pets in the homestay: _____

What type of pet do you own ie. Dog? _____ Type of Breed: _____

Do your pets live: Inside: Yes / No Outside: Yes / No Both: Yes / No

Transport

How far is your home located from St John's Anglican College?

Walking Distance (Advise time in minutes): _____ By Bus / Car (Advise time in minutes): _____

How far is your home from a bus stop (Advise time in minutes): _____

(Please visit http://stjohnsanglicancollege.com.au/enrolments-2/transport/ or www.translink.com.au for bus timetables. Please ensure a copy of the bus timetable is provided to the student during their first days of arrival).

How will the student/s commute to and from the College? _____

If the student is travelling to school using public or College transport please advise details:

St John's Anglican College Bus: Yes / No Public Bus: Yes / No Bus route number: _____

If students are transported privately, please provide details of the designated person who will be responsible for transport: _____

Hosting other International Students in the Home

Do you host students through other institutions? Yes / No

If yes, please advise the name of the Educational Provider: _____

Are there any other International Students currently residing in the Homestay at time of this application: Yes / No

If yes, please advise nationality, age and name of the institution where the student currently attend school:

_____

Internet

Will the students have access to internet at your home? Yes / No

Please note: **Students are expected to have access to the internet to study and communicate with their families. The amount of time required will vary depending on homework tasks and assignments but approximately 2 hours per night should be sufficient. Homestay families are expected to provide basic internet service to their student, which is approximately 2 to 5 GB of data each month.**

Preferences

How many rooms are available for student in the home: 1 / 2 / 3
(Homestays are not permitted to host more than 3 long term students at any one time).

Do you prefer to host: Female: Yes / No Male: Yes / No Both: Yes / No

Do you prefer to have students on: Short Term basis: Yes / No Long Term basis: Yes / No

Can you accommodate both Long Term and Study Tour Students: Yes / No

(Please note: Long term students must have their own room which should include desk, lamp and chair for study in a quiet place).

Are you available for Study Tours: Yes / No

Are you able to host 2 students or more at any one time: Yes / No Number: _____

(Study Tours can vary from a minimum of 5 days and up to 1 to 10 weeks. Transport to and from the College is mandatory. The ages of the students can vary from 8 to 18 years. Double and triple placements in a single homestay are required for study tours. Students must have their own bed but can stay in the same room).

Other

Are there any special family routines? Yes / No Please specify: _____

Are there any specific family rules which students must abide by?_____

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Are you able to include students in family activities, especially on weekends? Yes / No

House Facilities & Details

Please complete the below listed table.

Item	Yes / No	Number or rooms
Does your home have a security system	Yes / No	N/A
Does your home have security screens / door	Yes / No	N/A
Two Storey Home	Yes / No	N/A
Single Storey Home	Yes / No	N/A
Brick Home	Yes / No	N/A
Wood Home	Yes / No	N/A
Number of bedrooms in the home	N/A	
Family Room	Yes / No	
Rumpus Room / Media Room	Yes / No	
Number of bathrooms / Toilets	Yes / No	
Air Conditioning / Heating	Yes / No	N/A
Smoke Alarm (Operational)	Yes / No	N/A
Does your home have a BBQ	Yes / No	N/A
Does your home have an outdoor entertainment area	Yes / No	N/A
Swimming pool / spa (Please see below for compliance requirements)	Yes / No	N/A

Please provide a detailed description of your home. This information will be used for your homestay family profile which is provided to the student at time of placement.

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Other:

Is your friend, relative or neighbor on St John's Anglican College homestay register? Yes / No

If yes please advise their name:_____

Working with Children Check (Student Protection)

Do you have a Working with Children Check (Blue Card): Yes / No

*If Yes, please complete the details below if you currently hold a Blue Card and provide a copy of your card with this application. The College will also provide you with a **Blue Card Linking Form** to complete at time of your appointed homestay inspection. The College will submit this application to Blue Card Services on your behalf for processing. Blue Card Services will then notify the College that your Blue Card is linked to the College and you will be added to our Blue Card Register.

*If you do not hold a Blue Card, the College will provide you with a **Blue Card Application Form** to apply for a Blue Card, at time of your appointed homestay inspection. The College will submit the application form on your behalf to Blue Card Services for processing. Once approved by Blue Card Services, you will be issued with your Blue Card and Positive Notice Letter and added to our Blue Card Register. The College will notify you when your card is due to expire. When you receive a reminder, please complete the Renewal Blue Card application and submit through the College.

For further information on the Working with Children Check / Blue Card please visit www.bluecard.qld.gov.au).

***Please note: All family members over the age of 18 residing in the homestay must have a Blue Card**

Name on Card	Card Number	Expiry Date

Homestay Compliance

Swimming Pool Compliance

Does your homestay have a swimming pool? Yes / No

(If Yes, please provide a copy of your pool safety certificate – Form 23). All residential pools in Queensland must be registered with the QBCC. Please visit www.qbcc.qld.gov.au for further information).

Public Liability Insurance

It is mandatory that the Family Home is covered by Public Liability Insurance. Please provide a copy of your current policy which should mention cover for homestay / international students.

Insurance Company: _____ Policy Number: _____ Expiry Date: _____

Please note: Host Insurance-plus are one company who offer homestay insurance coverage. For further information please visit www.homestayhostinsuranceplus.com or contact 1800 88 11 34.

Declaration

I acknowledge that St John's Anglican College will take great care but accepts no responsibility in relation to homestay placements and that I accept all risks in that regard. I understand that two weeks notice must be given to the College in writing if our family wishes to have a student withdrawn.

I have read and signed the homestay agreement provided with this application and understand that by being on St John's Anglican College homestay register does not guarantee our family continued student placements. The homestay payment is classed as "payment for services rendered".

As a prospective homestay provider, I agree that the information provided in the homestay application form is current and correct. If any of the information provided changes prior to, or during the program I will notify the Homestay Coordinator.

Homestay Provider Name (Please print your name): _____

Homestay Provider Signature: _____

Date: _____

St John's Anglican College looks forward to receiving your application and will contact you in the near future regarding the success of your application.

For further information on Homestay please contact us on 07 3372 0175 or email homestay@sjic.qld.edu.au .

Thank You

***Please note*:**

Personal information that may be obtained, stored and released is done so in accordance with the *Privacy Act 1988*. For further information please refer to the college's *Privacy Procedure* at www.stjohnsanglicancollege.com.au

Office use only		
Date Application Received		
Homestay Coordinator (International Program)		
Date Processed		
Outcome	**Unsuccessful**	**Approved**