

PERRY HIGH SCHOOL

FOREIGN EXCHANGE PROGRAM

Thank you for your interest in the Foreign Exchange program at Perry High School. Chandler Unified School District's policy on Foreign Exchange students is as follows:

- The number of Foreign Exchange students cannot exceed 1 for every 500 students enrolled
- Potential students must not have graduated from their respective school systems
- The Foreign Exchange student must attend the same school as the student(s) of the host family
- · High school diplomas will not be awarded. A certificate of attendance will be given
- Sponsoring organizations must provide evidence that each student has sufficient oral and reading proficiency in English language
- No financial assistance will be given to the student for class rings, activity cards, lunches,

Perry High School is committed to giving Foreign Exchange students the best possible experience. Please follow these procedures for applying for admittance to Perry High School for your Foreign Exchange student:

- Initial contact must go through our Foreign Exchange liaison. You may schedule an appointment with the liaison through the front office or contact the school at 480-224-2800.
- The organization you are using must be approved and in the current Council on Standards for International Travel (CSIET) advisory list and the host family must live in Perry High School's attendance boundaries
- A completed application packet from your Foreign Exchange agency must be submitted to the Foreign Exchange liaison. The packet must include the host family's residency information, and the agency must be on the CSIET list. Application packets are accepted up to May 1 of each school year. Once the packet has been turned in, a letter of receipt will be mailed to you confirming we received your application. If there are any issues with the application, or if additional information is required, we will contact you
- Your application will be reviewed by administration. Since there are only a limited number
 of students accepted in the Foreign Exchange program, applications are reviewed on a
 first come basis. There is no guarantee that your Foreign Exchange student will be accepted at Perry High School
- A letter will be sent to you informing you of our decision. If you are accepted by Perry
 High School, your application will then be sent to the district office for final approval. The
 district office will inform you of their decision by mail
- If you are approved by the district office, the Foreign Exchange liaison will contact you to inform you of the registration process and set up a time and date to begin paperwork