



**Town of Smyrna Sister City Committee
2010 Zama, Japan Student Exchange
Application for Host Family**

Date: _____ Name: _____

Address: _____

Home phone: _____ Email: _____

Below please tell us about everyone living inside your home:

Name each adult family member	age	sex	profession	work phone #
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

Name each child in the family, including yourself	age	sex	grade / school
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

What are your main interests in school? _____

Do you have a job or are you involved with a team sport? If so, how will your schedule adapt to include your guest? _____

Do you have living accommodations to provide privacy for your student or chaperone? If so, what type? _____

Does the parents' work schedule allow for an ADULT to provide transportation for the students to attend all planned activities? _____

Does your family schedule permit a host student to attend all activities with the student staying in your home? _____

What types of activities would your family like to provide for the Zama student during their stay with you? _____

What types of activities does your family enjoy together? _____

Do individuals smoke inside your home? _____

Do you have pets inside the home? If so, what type, how many and what are their names? _____

Has any one in your family traveled outside of the USA before? If so, where? _____

Have you previously hosted a student from another country? If so, what country? _____

Do you have any connections (business, personal, ancestry) with Japan? If so, what are they? _____

Do you speak Japanese? _____

The giving of gifts to family is an important part of the Japanese culture. Would providing small gifts for your student, and their family, be an acceptable practice within you family? _____

Please attach the following with this application:

1. A typewritten personal statement:
 - describing yourself, your interests and your family
 - describing a day in your life during the summer
 - describing a day during the school year
 - describing why you would like to host a student from Japan
2. A recent photograph of yourself

*Deliver or mail: Sister City Committee
Town of Smyrna
315 South Lowry Street
Smyrna, TN 37167

Student's signature

Parent's or Guardian's signature