

Become an International host family

Karen Goodwin-Izmirova, Beighton

"I have been hosting international students for nearly five years now.

I particularly enjoy the mix of personalities between students, they are all so different. One of the students was just like my daughter in her personality and mannerisms. Another shared my passion for animals so we spent a lot of time together visiting the local Butterfly House and going horseriding.

I have learnt a lot about myself through the experience - it has taught me to evaluate how I communicate with others. I would recommend it to anyone!"



Mary Joan Foster, Nether Edge

"I have been hosting international students for two years.

During the first few weeks I like to do activities with the students and show them around, it helps to settle them in and we get to know each other. After that I encourage them to explore the city for themselves, I think this is good for them and their study.

I consider myself their host mother for their stay and you do grow very attached.

We live in a globalised world where the English language is so important so it makes sense for us to help students during their time here. "



Every year, hundreds of students from more than 50 countries come to The Sheffield College to learn English. We work hard to ensure that our guests' stay is as enjoyable as possible.

As part of that experience we are recruiting new host families to accommodate our students during their stay.

Become part of our host family community:

- Learn about different cultures
- Help a student develop their English
- See student's confidence grow
- Participate in activities and form a bond

SUMMER Homestay Programme

Our English Summer school programme provides a fantastic experience to host Japanese students, aged between the age of 16 - 18, on a short term basis.

A great introduction to being a host family!

With two Sundays out of three put aside for free time with your student you can spend time showing them the region, and discovering more about the Japanese culture.

Duration: 3 weeks

Dates: July - August

Board: Full board (breakfast, packed lunch, dinner) - £125 per week

LONG-TERM Homestay Programme

Our long-term homestay programme provides a fantastic opportunity to host students between the age of 16-18.

Watch your student become more confident and capable throughout the year as they learn English with us.

Weekends are free to spend with your student to show them around the region, learn more about their culture and develop a great bond that can last a lifetime!

Duration: 4 weeks to 11 months

Dates: All year round

Board: Half board (breakfast & dinner) during term time - £115 per week

Full board (breakfast, lunch & dinner) during holidays - £125 per week

Register your interest- Please complete clearly in capital letters

Name
Address
Email
Mobile
Landline

Availability

All year Summer only Other:

Please indicate whether a room is single, double or twin (including bunk beds)

Rooms/beds

Available for a visit on the:

Please tell us more about your home:

How many members are there in your family?

First Name

Age

Gender

First Name	Age	Gender
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Are you currently hosting or planning to host a student from another institution? *If yes please state their age and nationality*

Do you have any pets? *If yes, please state cat/dog/other*

Thank you for registering your interest. Once we have received your application we will contact you to arrange a visit at your house and complete registration documents and safeguarding checks.

Please return this form preferably by email: international.office@sheffcol.ac.uk

Or by post to:

The Sheffield College International Office, Granville road, Sheffield, S2 2RL