



2WayExchangeExperience

Choose France, Canada, Italy or Spain

The 2WayExchange Experience involves you in a unique exchange program where Australian students are 'matched', with a student in France, Canada, Italy or Spain. You will spend 3 months with each other's families & attend school. It amounts to twice the experience & at a fraction of the usual cost of a 3 month exchange program.

You Host

If you are applying for France, Canada or Spain your family will host a carefully matched exchange student for 3 months before you travel for your 2WayExchange experience. If you applying for Italy your family will host after you return from your 2WayExchange experience. *Check our website for program dates.*

Your matched exchange student will attend your school or a local school & become part of your family. Host families welcome their exchange student into their family life - with all the rights, responsibilities & privileges of other family members. Hosting is on a voluntary, unpaid basis.

You Go

You travel to France, Canada, Italy or Spain from November – January. You will partake in an orientation & sightseeing trip & you will live with the family of your exchange partner. You will attend their school or a local school & become part of their family. You will be expected to fit in with normal household routines including chores.

Benefits

- ✓ You'll establish close ties with your host brother or sister & each other's families.
- ✓ Avoid interrupting your schooling. You'll be back in time to resume your studies.
- ✓ You'll attend a local school where you'll have the opportunity to try new subjects or extend your understanding of familiar subjects.
- ✓ Spend your summer holidays in the Northern hemisphere winter. Experience a wintery Christmas, snow (hopefully!) for the New Year, home life & indoor activities with your host family & new friends instead of the usual hot summer we so often experience.
- ✓ Gain new skills & confidence. Pushing beyond your comfort zone is a great way to lift your horizons & gain experience. Give yourself a competitive edge in your future career or studies.
- ✓ Extend your network of friends. There will be many prospects for future contact & travel, with places to stay & people to visit



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Eligibility

You are eligible to apply if:

- ✓ you are between 15-17 years old
- ✓ are in good physical & mental health
- ✓ have maintained the equivalent or better than a C grade average since Year 9
- ✓ are mature & open-minded
- ✓ are flexible, adaptable, responsible & ready to learn
- ✓ your family meets all suitability requirements for the hosting leg of the experience
- ✓ your family commits to hosting your exchange partner for the duration of their program



Matching & Confirmation of Acceptance

Matching or pairing of students is carried out by experienced staff taking in to account:

- sporting & cultural interests
- age & gender
- academic interests

The aim is to obtain a close match as possible from within the available student applications.

We will provide you with confirmation of acceptance by mid May for France/Canada/Spain & by mid June for Italy. Please note there is no guarantee of acceptance because we are dependent on finding a suitable 'pairing' from amongst student applicants in France, Canada, Spain or Italy. If we are unable to match you with a suitable student you are refunded in full.

Price includes:

- ✓ Return economy airfare from your nearest capital city
- ✓ Travel to & from your host family at the start & end of the program
- ✓ Comprehensive medical, baggage, trip cancellation insurance & public liability.
- ✓ Application process, selection interview
- ✓ Host family screening & selection
- ✓ Enrolment at your host school
- ✓ Pre-departure orientation & materials
- ✓ International SIM phone card
- ✓ MasterCard multi-currency Cash Passport card
- ✓ Assistance with airport check-in at the major hubs (if requested)
- ✓ Arrival orientation & materials
- ✓ 24 hour emergency assistance
- ✓ Professional support throughout your time away as necessary & required
- ✓ Welcome home pack

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS

France, Canada & Spain
31st March

Italy
15th August

PRICE

France, Italy & Spain
A\$5,950

Canada
A\$6,450

HOW TO APPLY

Complete the form on our website & we will send you an information pack, alternatively please download the application form from our website.

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