

HOMESTAY RULES FOR MINOR STUDENTS

- 1. I, the student, will cooperate with my teacher, supervisor, and/or host family. I will behave and speak in a polite, responsible, and respectful manner. If I am having difficulties, I will let the homestay coordinator, my teacher, or any school staff knows immediately so that problems can be discussed.
- 2. I, the student, will speak English at all times during school hours.
- 3. I, the student, will go home after school unless there is a supervised school activity, or my parents have sent an approval letter allowing me to be on my own after class. And, I will tell my teacher or host family where I am at all times.
- 4. I, the student, will ask permission before inviting friends to my homestay. If I want to have a sleepover, I will ask my host parents first. If I go to a sleepover, I will call or text my host family before dinner, and I will give them the phone number of the homestay where I will be staying.
- 5. I. the student, will attend all scheduled classes or activities.
- 6. I, the student, will ask permission before using the phone, and I will ask permission before cooking.
- 7. I, the student, will be responsible for my belongings and my money.
- 8. I, the student, is not allowed to smoke or drink liquor anywhere in Canada. Any criminal or bad behavior will be reported to parents and police.
- 9. I, the student, will attend school on daily basis. If I am sick, I will ask my host family to call the school for me.
- 10. I, the student, will participate in organized activities at the homestay.
- 11. I, the student, will inform my host family before 4 pm if I cannot join them for dinner. I will inform my host parents of my plans, whereabouts and when I should be home.
- 12. I, the student, understand these rules and agree to follow them. If I continuously break these rules, my host family/parents/agent will be notified, and I could be sent back home. I also understand that neither my homestay family nor VanWest College is liable for any harm that befalls me if I break the homestay or school rules. I also consent to VanWest College using my photographs or testimonials in their promotional materials.