

French program

2017 Study Abroad Program at UCO-CIDF, Angers (France)

FAMILY PLACEMENT FORM

PLEASE SEND TO : giacchetti@uh.edu or drop by 613 AH

NAME: _____
(first) (middle) (last)

Student ID number _____ DOB: _____

CELL: _____

EMAIL : _____
(Please print: this is the only way we will contact you)

EMERGENCY CONTACT IN THE US:

Name _____ Phone number _____

Relationship to student _____

Standard accommodation:

Private room, private or semi-private bathroom.

All students are expected to share all planned meals with families.

THIS QUESTIONNAIRE WILL ONLY BE USED TO MATCH EACH STUDENT WITH THE MOST SUITABLE FAMILY, AND IS STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL. You may disregard any question you do not wish to answer. However, please understand that unanswered questions or vague responses may hinder our ability to best serve your needs.

1. Describe your ability to speak French.

- Using a scale of 0 to 10, 10 being "near fluency" and 0 being "true beginner" how would you rate your level?

2. Have you participated in a study abroad program before? If so, where?

3. Do you have any dietary preferences (such as kosher, vegetarian, gluten-free, etc.)? Please note that while we will do our best to accommodate all requests, very restrictive diets such as "vegan", will greatly limit the choice of families.

4. Are you allergic to any foods? Please provide a specific list. “Allergies” is a medical term. Food “likes” and “dislikes” should not be mentioned here.

5. Do you have any known allergies to certain drugs? Please elaborate.

Note: all prescriptions for medication must be filled in the US before departure. US medical prescriptions cannot be filled in France.

6. Do you have any health restrictions that may affect your ability to participate in some activities/excursions in France?

7. Do you have any disability that will require special accommodations while in France? See Program rules for more information.

8. Do you suffer from anxiety, insomnia or other disorders that may affect your mood/wellbeing while in France?

9. Do you smoke? Yes _____ No _____ Occasionally _____

Note: when allowed by families, smoking is usually restricted to outdoors areas.

10. Do you object to

a. Small children in the house _____

b. Dogs/cats in the house _____

c. Teenagers in the house _____

d. Large families (more than 4 members) _____

e. One-person families (of the same gender as you) _____

f. One-person families (gender indifferent) _____

11. Most families in Angers will host other international students on year-long programs. Do you object to staying with other international students in the home?

_____ a. YES, I want to be the only student in the home.

_____ b. NO, I like the interaction with other international students as long as they are not English speakers. _____

_____ c. NO, I like the interaction with other international students regardless of native language.

If your answer was a, please understand that families will expect your full participation in all their activities. This is not a good choice if you are independent or prefer to limit your time with family.

12. Do you mind sharing a family with another student from our group?

YES _____ NO _____

13. You may request to stay in the same house as another student from our group. Please give name of student:

Note: this request will be subject to availability. If the student you listed does not list your name on his/her application form, we will not fulfill this request.

14. Homes that are close to downtown (and the UCO) will be smaller on average than homes located in the Angers suburbs. Students hosted in homes that are located in town will have to walk to school (average walk 10-15 minutes). Do you have a condition that will affect walking such distances

15. Tell us about yourself: which of the following statements best describes you? (Mark all that apply.)

_____ Independent

_____ Quiet and reflective

_____ Love family life and time at home

_____ Outgoing and sociable

_____ Enjoy privacy

_____ Neat and tidy

_____ Enjoy night life

_____ A bit messy

_____ Flexible, adaptable

_____ Shy, reserved

_____ Set in my ways

_____ Talkative, engaging

16. Please give other pertinent information which you think might be helpful to us when selecting your French family, or that we should know in order to insure the success of your stay in France.