

Example House Rules

Usage of the house

1. Please close all doors & windows before leaving the house
2. Before leaving the house please lock the house
3. The first floor is the private area of the parents
4. You can watch TV in your own room, do not watch television in the living room when nobody is at home
5. You can use the internet, but do not visit inappropriate websites and do not download anything without asking us first
6. No smoking or burning candles in the house
7. No animals in the house
8. Your room is your private area, you can lock it from the inside, but not from the outside
9. Please do not open the door for strangers
10. You can use your bicycle, please be sure to lock it properly.

Your room, bathroom and clothes

1. You need to clean your bedroom and bathroom weekly and keep it tight
2. Please do not leave empty dishes or glasses in your room
3. Do not leave food in your room
4. Empty your garbage weekly
5. Close your window when you are not at home
6. Turn your light off when you are not in your room
7. Be sure to turn off the TV, stereo when you are gone

Eating & drinking

1. You can drink as much coffee, tea and lemonade as you want
2. Other drinks like Fruit Juice, yoghurt drink, milk, soft drinks only at breakfast, lunch or together with the family
3. You can eat as much as you want during meals
4. If you have more needs please feel free to buy it yourself
5. You cannot use alcohol in the house, only when you have permission

Social life

1. You can invite friends over, but please inform us and introduce them to us
2. When we are at home, no visitors after 23:00 hours
3. You can go out after discussing it with your host family, but please be very quiet
4. If you go out in the weekend please inform us a few days before and please let us know if you will have dinner with the family
5. Let us know when you are leaving and tell us where you are going and how long you are planning on being away
6. On Sunday through Thursday please be home before 23:00 hours
7. On Friday and Saturday evening feel free to come home before 17:00 hours or after 07:00 hours otherwise you will wake us up very early

Living together

We plan the week together with you every Sunday evening, so you know what to expect in the next week