



BRING THE WORLD TO YOUR HOME - - - - -

When you become an AYA host family and welcome an international student, you will:

- Develop a bond with your new international son or daughter that will last a lifetime
- Experience a new culture—creating new traditions and making memories in your own home
- Share America's customs and your everyday life while making a difference in the life of a young person
- Bring a part of the world to your family, school, and community



“Our students have brought so much joy to our lives - we have fun sharing daily activities and holidays with them. Every year I get Mother’s Day cards from my sons and daughters around the world.
– *Former Multi-Year Host Family*

Who are AYA students?

- Bright, mature “ambassadors” ages 15–18 from over 50 different countries
- Students with strong academic and English language skills
- Teens with a true desire to become member of their American host family

Academic Year in America (AYA) is one of the largest and most respected high school/homestay programs in the United States. Founded in 1981, AYA is well recognized by high schools across the U.S. and endorsed by thousands of American host families. For more than 35 years, AYA has offered more than 35,000 students and families the rewarding experience of learning about another culture and language and making lifelong friends.

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