



Have you ever wanted to learn about another country?

Here is your chance to have that personal experience!



Penn State Cooperative Extension 4-H Youth Development offers an opportunity for teens aged 12 - 18 to host a youth from another country for a one month homestay. The focus of the program is to permit the formation of friendships by placing students with a host brother or sister of the same gender with similar interests and approximate age. All programs involve orientations for both delegates and host families.

There are opportunities to host a youth from

- Finland from June 15th – July 18th
- Costa Rica from June 21st – July 18th
- Norway July 8th – August 6th
- Japan from July 21st – August 23rd

Host Families Share a Willingness to Open their Homes and Hearts

- They host just one student
- Enthusiasm is the main qualification
- They do not need to plan special activities
- The host family does not need to have prior 4-H involvement
- The youth have their own medical insurance and spending money
- The youth come to experience everyday family life

If you are interested in participating in the program please contact one of the Western PA Coordinators:

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