

## **CHELMSFORD HS**

FEBRUARY 15<sup>TH</sup> - 28<sup>TH</sup>, 2023

# EXCHANGE PROGRAM IN LA ROCHELLE







12 DAYS / 10 NIGHTS

\*Travel dates to be confirmed upon flight booking



### WHY PARTICIPATE IN AN EXCHANGE?







#### **Immersive Short-Term Reciprocal Program**

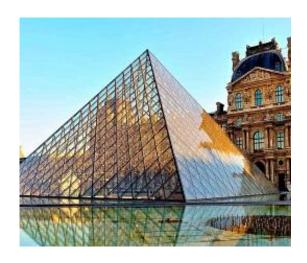
An exchange program is a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity for students to truly understand, explore, and dive deep into another culture and language. As students fully immerse themselves into the life of their host family and school, they experience a type of personal growth and empowerment that can only happen in this unique setting. Students not only travel but host their exchange partners resulting in a lifelong bond between both students and families.



### **YOUR DESTINATION**







FORUM EXCHANGE VIDEO: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=77ERsg93JRM">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=77ERsg93JRM</a>



## **Responsibilities of the Host Family**

- Provide 3 meals a day: breakfast, lunch, and dinner
- Transportation to and from school and events, as needed
- A single bed in a shared or private bedroom with access to a bathroom
- Internet access
- A welcoming and safe family environment





# Hosting a French Student: October 13-21st\* 2022

# Our exchange experience begins by hosting a French student here in Chelmsford for approx. 10 days.

**Day 1:** French students and chaperones arrive at Logan Airport. They take a bus to CHS. Chelmsford families meet them at CHS and bring them home!

**Day 2:** French students attend school and extracurriculars with CHS student. Maybe a Friday night football game?



## Hosting a French student

October 2022

**Days 3-4:** Your French student is with you for the weekend! They will participate in your regular family activities. You can also take this opportunity to show them around:

- Local fall activities! Apple picking, corn maze, leaf peeping, etc
- Local sporting event
- Day trip excursions: Ogunquit, ME, Portsmouth, NH, etc
- Go to the mall in Nashua
- Visit to Kimballs in Westford
- Day trip to Boston

# Hosting a French student

October 2022

**Days 5, 7:** French students attend school with CHS student.

Day 6: French students spend the day in Boston!

**Day 8:** French students explore Plymouth Plantation!

**Day 9:** One last breakfast and day of school with your French student before they depart back to France.



### **DAY 1- FEB. 17<sup>TH</sup>**

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• Fly overnight to **Paris**, France.









- Bienvenue en France! Upon arrival, you will be greeted by your bilingual
   Forum Tour Manager who will help you board your bus to transfer to your partner school.
- Stroll down the most famous avenue of the capital, the **Champs-Élysées**, connecting the Arc de Triomphe with the Place de la Concorde.
- Climb atop the **Arc de Triomphe**, one of the most famous monuments in France commissioned by Napoleon after his most important military victory. Enjoy the view of the city and visit the **Tomb of the Unknown Soldier.**
- Enjoy a meal with your group in a local restaurant.
- Head to the highest point in the city, Montmartre (known locally as La Butte).
- Night accommodation at your hotel.









### **DAY 3-FEB 19TH**

#### **EXCHANGE PROGRAM**

- Have breakfast at your hotel.
- Take a guided tour of the **Palais Garnier**, the iconic Parisian opera house and the inspiration for Leroux's "Phantom of the Opera."
- Enjoy some free time for shopping at the luxurious Galeries Lafayette!
- Board a glass-topped **bateau mouche** and enjoy a refreshing cruise through the Seine River with a superb view of Paris.
- Discover the "underside" of the **Eiffel tower** as walk through the Champ-de-Mars, one of the largest green spaces in the capital, streching from the Trocadéro's promenade to the École Militaire (Military School).
- Head to the Parc du Champ-de-Mars and admire the view from the third floor of the Eiffel Tower! (subject to availability).
- Enjoy a delicious meal with your group at the restaurant Chez Françoise.









## **DAY 4-FEB. 20**<sup>TH</sup>

#### **EXCHANGE PROGRAM**

- Have breakfast at your hotel.
- Visit the Musée du Louvre, the world's largest art museum with its famous collection of art and antiquities includes the Mona Lisa and 35,000 other works of art on display in 300 rooms! A local guide will lead you through the tour of the museum.
- Board your train to La Rochelle to meet your host family.
- Start your **exchange program**. While living with a host family, you will find out that French is more than a textbook language. You will eat French food, meet French people and have an excellent opportunity to practice your French in real life situations.
- Dinner and night accommodation with your host family









# **DAY 5-FEB. 21<sup>ST</sup>** EXCHANGE PROGRAM

- Have breakfast with your host family.
- Attend school with your exchange partner. Activities and workshops may be organized at the school during your visit (to be confirmed with your partner school).
- Dinner and night accommodation with your host family









# DAY 6-FEB. 22<sup>ND</sup>

### **EXCHANGE PROGRAM**

- Have breakfast with your host family.
- Attend school with your exchange partner. Activities and workshops may be organized at the school during your visit (to be confirmed with your partner school).
- Dinner and night accommodation with your host family









# **DAY 7-FEB. 23<sup>RD</sup>** EXCHANGE PROGRAM

- Have breakfast with your host family.
- Attend school with your exchange partner. Activities and workshops may be organized at the school during your visit (to be confirmed with your partner school).
- Dinner and night accommodation with your host family









# **DAY 8-FEB. 24<sup>TH</sup>** EXCHANGE PROGRAM

- Have breakfast with your host family.
- Attend school with your exchange partner. Activities and workshops may be organized at the school during your visit (to be confirmed with your partner school).
- Dinner and night accommodation with your host family









### DAYS 9-10-FEB. 25-26<sup>TH</sup>

#### WEEKEND WITH YOUR HOST FAMILY

• Spend the **weekend** with your host family and get to learn more about the local culture while practicing your French!









### **DAY 11-FEB. 27<sup>TH</sup>**

#### **EXCHANGE PROGRAM-PARIS**

- Have breakfast with your host family.
- Attend school with your exchange partner. Activities and workshops may be organized at the school during your visit (to be confirmed with your partner school).
- Say a fond goodbye to your host family and board your train to **Paris**.
- Enjoy a meal with your group in a local restaurant. Night accommodation at your hotel.







**DEPART** 

•Say a fond "au revoir" to your exchange partners and transfer to the airport to catch your flight back home.









### **HOW DO I ENROLL?**



#### To enroll, go to:

https://enrollmentbyprometour.com/travel/1319/tk/QclRtb

The online registration form will take you less than 15 minutes! Be sure to have a:

**Valid Passport**: Passports must be valid at least 6 months after your return date. If you do not yet have one, you will still be able to register. However, we strongly recommend you apply for it as soon as possible.

**Method of payment**: We accept credit/debit cards, checks, & money orders.

**Your Enrollment Deadline is: February 28th, 2022** 



### **MEET YOUR FORUM TEAM**

# QUESTIONS ABOUT YOUR TRIP?

## Contact your **Tour Consultant**



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