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Dear Family,

Thank you for your interest in working with us.

We are very happy to introduce our services and requirements to become a host family. We, Student Service America, provide housing for international students who attend Central Pacific College([Central Pacific College](#)).

The homestay experience is a unique and special accommodation choice for students because it welcomes them into an American home, where they can practice their English on a daily basis and learn American/local culture.

Our homestay coordinator carefully reviews the profile of students and families in order to match them.

To become our host family, a family needs to be able to provide:

- **Safe, clean and comfortable environment for a student.**
- **A Furnished Bedroom with WiFi connection.**

The bedroom must include a bed, desk, and a closet. Clean sheets, a pillow, and blankets must be provided. Students will clean the sheets during their stay.

- **Two meals a day (breakfast and dinner) including weekends and holidays.**

Continental Breakfast: This is a help-yourself breakfast spread which should include at least one of the following: bagel, cereal, toast, English muffin, muffin, donut. In addition, juice, milk, or tea/coffee should be provided as well as a piece of fresh fruit.

Dinner: Dinner is the most important meal during a student's stay. It should be a warm meal which includes food from all of the major food groups (vegetables, protein, bread, and dairy).

Please have a few snack options available for the student such as granola bars, nuts, fruit, etc.

!IMPORTANT!

Dinner is an important time for the family to sit and spend quality time speaking with the student in English.

- **Cleaning Supplies**

The student must have access to laundry facilities. The family should provide laundry detergent and a laundry basket. Also, cleaning supplies should be provided in order for the student to maintain cleanliness.

RATES

\$1000/per 4 weeks per student with meals (private room)

* The fee for your background check (\$50) will be deducted from your first payment.

If you are interested in becoming our host family, please fill out the attached host family profile and return to us via email with photos of:

- the student bedroom
- the bathroom
- the living room
- the family member (s)
- the exterior of the house

Once we receive the materials, we will contact you to schedule the appointment for our site visit to discuss more details.

Thank you for your interest again and we're looking forward to working with you.