

SHORT-TERM (STEP) STUDENT NOMINATION FORM (2026-2027)

The Rotary Club of	 nominates:
Name of Student	
Student's Mailing Address	
City	Zip
Student's Home or Cell Telephone	
Student's E-Mail Address	
Name of High School Student Attends	
Student's current GPA	
Check one:	

Yes, the sponsoring Rotary Club verifies that this student could be a LTEP

Candidate if the opportunity arises. The student and family would be interested in switching

to LTEP in that situation. *Please note: This is NOT the same as a LTEP Alternate spot.*

There is a separate form for that type of nomination.

No, this student is for STEP only.

The undersigned Club President understands that in order for a Club to nominate a student to the Rotary International District 5100 Short Term Youth Exchange program, this form needs to be completed and submitted. This is a Family to Family exchange so the nominated student and their family are required to be an approved host family for their inbound exchange student partner.

STEP Candidates selected in 2025 will travel in the summer of 2026. Reciprocal STEP students will usually travel in the summer of 2026 unless it is a southern hemisphere country. This is usually a staggered exchange and the other student would travel here during their summer (November 2026, December, January 2027, and/or February).

The Club Youth Exchange Chairperson is responsible to assist the STEP Candidate with completing the official STEP Application, with all appropriate signatures affixed, up to the level of District involvement. The STEP Application is due October 31, 2025. The STEP application is online in the YEAH system. The candidate will be sent a link to the STEP application after the Application Seminar the first weekend of October. The family must complete the District host family approval process by February 1, 2026, at the latest.

PLEASE SCAN AND EMAIL THIS NOMINATION FORM TO: Tina Scheible, Rotary District 5100 STEP Coordinator, by Sept. 30, 2025 at: <u>tina.scheible@gmail.com</u>

PLEASE ALSO SEND THIS FORM AND A \$500 CHECK PAYABLE TO "ROTARY D-5100 YOUTH EXCHANGE" TO: Bruce Frederick, Treasurer 1 Cemterpointe Drive, Suite 170 Lake Oswego, OR 97035

Please submit the nomination form to both parties and check to Bruce Frederick by September 30, 2025.

The sponsoring Rotary Club usually requires the student to reimburse the Club for the application fee or asks the family to write the \$500 check. Should the student resign or otherwise be removed from the program prior to departure on an exchange but after the mandatory January orientation, the application fee will NOT be refunded to the Club or student.

Submitted by Club Youth Exchange Chairpers	son	
Daytime Telephone	Cell	
Email		
2 nd Club Contact:		
Daytime Telephone	Cell	
Email		
Signature of Club President		

If there are further questions regarding the STEP Candidate process, please contact Tina at <u>tina.scheible@gmail.com</u> or 971-258-8839 cell/text/WhatsApp.