


Swan Hill / Yamagata Student Exchange

Section 1 – To be completed by student

Student details Attach a photo below (not compulsory) 	Name:	
	Address:	
	Date of birth:	Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female
	Phone:	Mobile:
	Email:	
	Name of school:	
	Year level in 2025:	

Have you ever stayed away from your parent(s)/guardian for more than a week?

Yes No

Are you aware that you will experience a different lifestyle and be expected to eat Japanese food?

Yes No

What are your interests apart from those at school?

Do you have any plans or ambitions upon leaving school?

Describe your character, personal attributes and how you relate to other people?

Why do you want to go to Yamagata? (Minimum of 100 words)

Signature of student: _____ Date: _____

Section 2 – To be completed by parent / guardian

Parent / guardian details – Mother	Parent / guardian details – Father
Name:	Name:
Address:	Address:
Phone:	Phone:
Mobile:	Mobile:
Email:	Email:

Do you understand that you are required to host a Yamagata student over a 10 day period in March / April 2025?

This is a very busy period involving home hosting, a free weekend and ensuring that your guest and host student are able to attend all functions during this time.

Also parents must obtain and hold a valid “Working With Children Check”.

Yes No

Would your family be prepared to fully support the whole student exchange program?

This involves regular meetings, possible fundraising and other functions for about 12 months.

Yes No

A non-refundable application fee of \$10 per family must be paid with this application. The fee entitles membership to the Swan Hill-Yamagata Club (which in turn supports the exchange).

Direct debit banking EFT – CBA Swan Hill – BSB 063 529, ACC 0090 3465 – surname as reference.

Declaration

- I understand as part of this exchange I will need to have a current “Working With Children Check”
- I give permission for my son / daughter to participate in the Yamagata Student Exchange

Signature of parent: _____ Date: _____

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Please return **by Friday, 7 June 2024** this completed form along with application fee to:

“Personal and Confidential”
Yamagata Student Exchange
Swan Hill Rural City Council
PO Box 488
Swan Hill VIC 3585

PRIVACY NOTIFICATION

The personal or health information requested on this form is being collected by Council for applying for participation in the Swan Hill/Yamagata Student Exchange Program and if successful, providing a duty of care to the participants. The personal or health information will be used solely by Council for that primary purpose or directly related purposes. The Council may disclose this information to the Swan Hill/Yamagata Exchange Leaders.