New Hope Christian School

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IS@newhopechristian.net Equiping for a life that pleases Jesus with a quality Bible-based education.



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"Thy Word is a Lamp unto my feet and
a Light unto my path." Psalm 119:105

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT APPLICATION INFORMATION

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(Direct any questions to IS@newhopechristian.net)

1. Return the completed application packet in which sample forms have been provided and the following:

School Transcript/Grades (English translation), provided in semester format ~ 2 years

1 Personal Reference ~ Allow NHCS follow-up or have in sealed envelope

2 Academic Teacher References ~ Allow NHCS follow-up or have in sealed envelope

Complete Immunization Record and Medical Evaluation

Student's email to begin correspondence with Host Family

Student Biography and Collage Picture Page

Copy of Student Passport

English Proficiency Test Verification ~ Jr. TOEFL, IELTS or SLEP

Application or Re-enrollment Fee of \$500 (Both fees are part of overall tuition)

Signed Plagiarism Contract

Send Skype address through your agent or sponsor. The Director's Skype is diana13hale

- 2. The application packet will be reviewed by NHCS administrative staff.
- 3. The I-20, needed to obtain your visa, will be issued after receipt of all forms, including the application fee. A Letter of Acceptance and all other pertinent information will be sent to student's agent or sponsor.
- 4. With the upcoming school year, New Hope is offering a \$250 enrollment/re-enrollment fee discount to new/returning students provided we receive the full year's payment by May 1st. Information is available for alternate payment plan. Students are NOT allowed to begin classes in any term in which their tuition has not been paid. The fee for a single semester is due following F-1 Visa issuance by the U.S. Consulate in the student's homeland.

Students who have been approved and do not come to New Hope Christian School, upon arrival in the states, forfeit their tuition and fees.

Agents using their own forms are asked to use the following NHCS forms: Refund and Attendance Policy, Affidavit of Support, Electronic Device Usage, Plagiarism Contract, Collage Photo/Picture page, Student biography, and various school release forms. Agents may use their own personal and academic teacher reference forms rather than New Hope's, as long as all transcripts and grades are depicted by semester, then total grade. Thank you.

- 5. Obtain your visa, secure medical insurance (from a U.S. based company), arrange travel and relay to NHCS, and prepare to arrive in the United States. Please see that the International Student Program has the family's email so host family can begin their correspondence with you.
- 6. <u>Students are asked to please arrive 7-8 days prior to the start of classes for testing and orientation.</u> Arriving the day before, day of, or day after classes begin are NOT acceptable, unless arrangements have been made beforehand.
- 7. Following arrival of 1st time attendees, you will be required:
 - A. Take Math and English achievement tests at the school to more accurately determine your proper placement.
 - B. Provide proof of travel/medical insurance. All others are unacceptable.
 - C. Provide signed copy of Plagiarism Contract and International Student Handbook Acknowledgement.
 - D. Provide immunization and updated school transcripts, broken down by semester.
 - E. Provide passport and visa booklet for review and immediate return to International Student.

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