



# United Schools Association

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## Application Checklist

*Please check each item on this list to confirm that they are included in your package.*

- The Common Application Form Parent Section
- The Common Application Form Student Section
- The Host Family Preference Form
- Transcripts (Translated into English) *Covering the most recent 2 years of education. They should include current grades and any standardized test scores.*
- SLEP or TOFEL test results.
- Head of School Recommendation
- Teacher Recommendation
- Recent Photograph of Student
- This Checklist

*All application materials should be sent, e-mailed, or faxed to this address.*

**Please return all application materials to:**

Chair of Admissions and Placement Committee  
United Schools Association  
43 S Pompano Parkway #115  
Pompano Beach, FL 33069. USA

Email: [chair@unitedschoolswecare.org](mailto:chair@unitedschoolswecare.org)  
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## Common Application Form

*Thank you for allowing the United Schools Association to care for your child and guide them through this unique experience.*

*Our admissions and placement committee will use the information in this application to evaluate each child and match them with the most appropriate school and host family.*

### About The Student

First (Given) Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Last (Family) Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Middle Name : \_\_\_\_\_

Male  Female

Date of Birth: Day \_\_\_ Month \_\_\_ Yr \_\_\_

Country of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Country of Citizenship : \_\_\_\_\_

Address Street \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Territory/Province: \_\_\_\_\_

Country \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone (including Country Code) \_\_\_\_\_

**Please Attach  
a Recent  
Photograph  
of the  
Student Here.**

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# Parent or Guardian Section

## About Your Application

Applying for: Grade \_\_\_\_\_ School Year: \_\_\_\_\_

Referred By (Agent) \_\_\_\_\_

Applying for (First Choice) School: \_\_\_\_\_

In the event that your first choice school is not available we would like to provide you with an alternative high quality school. If you could take the time to complete the information below it will help us find the best school for you.:

Please tell us what is important to you about your school:

	Very Important	Important	Not Important
Warm Climate	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Strong Academics	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sport	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Drama	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Music	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Please tell us anything else we should know about what is important to you in a school:

*About The Student's Education*

Current (or Most Recent) School: Name \_\_\_\_\_

Country \_\_\_\_\_ Tel: \_\_\_\_\_

Other Schools in Past 5 Years: Name \_\_\_\_\_

Country \_\_\_\_\_ Tel: \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Country \_\_\_\_\_ Tel: \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Country \_\_\_\_\_ Tel: \_\_\_\_\_

Please Comment OnThe Student's Strengths:

Please Comment OnThe Student's Weaknesses:

What Expectations do You Have for Your Child?

Has the student ever been suspended, expelled or asked to leave any school

Yes

No

If yes please explain below:

*About The Student's Family*

**Mother:** Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_

Alive

Deceased

If contact details are different from the student's please fill them in below:

Address Street \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Territory/Province: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone (including Country Code) \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ Business Name \_\_\_\_\_

**Father:** Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_

Alive

Deceased

If contact details are different from the student's, please fill them in below:

Address Street \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Territory/Province: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ Business Name \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone (including Country Code) \_\_\_\_\_

**Parents Are:** Married  Never Married  Divorced  Separated  Other

**Student Lives With:** Mother  Father  Step-Parent  Guardian  Other

**Brothers and Sisters:** Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Brother  Sister

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Brother  Sister

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Brother  Sister

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Brother  Sister

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ (Parent/Guardian) Date \_\_\_\_\_

## Student Section

### About Yourself

First (Given) Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last (Family) Name \_\_\_\_\_

***Please tell us about the following by writing in the box provided. You should answer in your own handwriting and in full sentences:***

What interests or hobbies do you enjoy?

Tell us about any books you have read recently:

Do you participate in any extracurricular activities?

Tell us about any charities you work for or support?

**This page should be completed by the student.**

*Essay*

*Please tell us about t why you want to live and study abroad: You should answer in your own handwriting and as fully as possible:*

**This page should be completed by the student.**

*About Yourself*

Please rate the following on a scale of 1 – 5 by circling the most appropriate number::

- 5 – I have a very strong interest
- 4 – I have some interest.
- 3 – I might be interested
- 4 – I have no interest
- 5 – I don't want to even try this

Theater	1	2	3	4	5
Art	1	2	3	4	5
Band	1	2	3	4	5
Choir	1	2	3	4	5
Dance	1	2	3	4	5
Team Sports	1	2	3	4	5
Individual Sports	1	2	3	4	5
Science	1	2	3	4	5
Writing	1	2	3	4	5
Computing	1	2	3	4	5
School Leadership	1	2	3	4	5

Is there anything else you are interested in?

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ (Student) Date \_\_\_\_\_



# Host Family Preferences

First (Given) Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last (Family) Name: \_\_\_\_\_

## *About Your Host Family*

Please let us know about any preferences you may have for the home you will be living in:

•  
Would you like to be in a home with dogs or cats?      Yes       No       Don't Mind

Would you like to live in a home with young children?      Yes       No       Don't Mind

Please tell us about any food you cannot eat:

Please tell us about any allergies or phobias you have

Is there anything else you would like us to know before we select your host family?

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ (Student)      Date \_\_\_\_\_



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## Head of School - Confidential Reference

*The student named here has applied to the United Schools Association for placement in an American High School.*

*We really appreciate your time in completing this form. Your answers will help us find the best placement for the student.*

*The information you give us will be treated confidentially.*

### About The Student

First (Given) Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Last (Family) Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Middle Name : \_\_\_\_\_

Male

Female

Date of Birth: Day \_\_\_ Month \_\_\_ Yr \_\_\_\_\_

### About The Head of School

First (Given) Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Last (Family) Name: \_\_\_\_\_

School: \_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_

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## Head of School's Reference

Please rate the student on the qualities shown in the table below:

		Outstanding	Above Average	Average	Below Average	Not Applicable
	Writing mechanics					
	Writing style					
	Writing content					
	Reading Comprehension					
	Intellectual curiosity					
	Motivation					
	Attitude					
	Participation					
	Achievement					
	Sense of humor					
	Reaction to criticism					
	Self confidence					
	Concern for others					
	Reaction to setbacks					
	Personal conduct					
	Personal integrity					
	Emotional stability					
	General level of maturity					
	Perseverance					

*About The Student's Character*

Please comment on the student's integrity

How does the student relate to peers?

How does the student relate to adults?

Has the student had any discipline issues?

Please comment on the student's attendance and tardy record.

Please tell us anything else you feel we should know about this student:

How would you rate the student's suitability for an international high school experience?

Extremely Suitable

Suitable

Not Suitable

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ (Head of School) Date \_\_\_\_\_



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## Teacher - Confidential Reference Form

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### About The Student

First (Given) Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Last (Family) Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Middle Name : \_\_\_\_\_

Male

Female

Date of Birth: Day \_\_\_ Month \_\_\_ Yr \_\_\_\_\_

### About The Head of School

First (Given) Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Last (Family) Name: \_\_\_\_\_

School: \_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_

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## Teacher's Reference

Please rate the student on the qualities shown in the table below:

		Outstanding	Above Average	Average	Below Average	Not Applicable
	Writing mechanics					
	Writing style					
	Writing content					
	Reading Comprehension					
	Intellectual curiosity					
	Motivation					
	Attitude					
	Participation					
	Achievement					
	Sense of humor					
	Reaction to criticism					
	Self confidence					
	Concern for others					
	Reaction to setbacks					
	Personal conduct					
	Personal integrity					
	Emotional stability					
	General level of maturity					
	Perseverance					

*About The Student's Character*

Please comment on the student's integrity

How does the student relate to peers?

How does the student relate to adults?

Has the student had any discipline issues?

Please comment on the student's attendance and tardy record.

Please tell us anything else you feel we should know about this student:

How would you rate the student's suitability for an international high school experience?

Extremely Suitable

Suitable

Not Suitable

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ (Head of School) Date \_\_\_\_\_