



APPLICATION PROCESS

To apply for the Homestay Program, you are required to submit the following documents:

- Letter of Acceptance from MITT
- Homestay Student Agreement
- Homestay Student Application

HOMESTAY FEES

Application fee (non-refundable) - \$150

Placement fee (non-refundable) - \$200

Homestay fees per month - \$700

Note: Once your application is received, you will be invoiced for a total of \$1,750 which must be paid in one payment and before the payment due date. (Application fee \$150, placement fee \$200 plus first 2 months at \$700 per month \$1,400)

APPLICATION DEADLINE

Deadline for homestay applications including full payment of fees is **30 days before** the program start date.

PROGRAM ELEGIBILITY CRITERIA

Although the homestay program is open to all international students, please note that new international students coming directly from their home countries have preference over students who have been living in the city for some time.

MITT Homestay Program cannot guarantee a placement as applications are received on a first-come first-served basis.

Submit documents via email to :

Rae-Lynn Rempel, Coordinator, Student Life

rae-lynn.rempel@mitt.ca



DATE OF APPLICATION: _____ (MM/DD/YYYY)

PERSONAL INFORMATION

LAST NAME: _____ FIRST NAME: _____ ENGLISH NAME: _____

DATE OF BIRTH: _____ (MM/DD/YYYY) COUNTRY: _____

HOME/MAILING ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE/PROVINCE: _____ POSTAL CODE: _____

HOME PHONE: _____ CELL PHONE: _____

EMAIL: _____ GENDER: MALE FEMALE

ARRIVAL/DEPARTURE INFORMATION

Date of Arrival		Airline:	Date of Departure		Airline:
To Winnipeg	Flight #:	Time:	From Winnipeg	Flight #:	Time:

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

What languages do you speak? _____

Have you studied or traveled overseas? If yes, where, when and for how long? _____

HOMESTAY INFORMATION

When would you like to start living in homestay? _____ (Day/Month/Year)

For how long? _____ (Please note that minimum stay is 2 months)

When is your intended departure? (if known) _____ (Day/Month/Year)

Have you ever lived in homestay before? Yes No

EMERGENCY CONTACTS

Name:	Name:
Country/ City:	Country/City:
Telephone:	Telephone:
Email:	Email:
Relationship to you:	Relationship to you:



FRIENDS AND/OR RELATIVES IN CANADA

Name:	Name:
City:	City:
Telephone:	Telephone:
Email:	Email:
Relationship to you:	Relationship to you:

Please note that by filling out this part, we may contact the above people in case we are not able to get a hold of your primary emergency contacts. No academic or personal information will be shared.

FOOD

Your host family will provide you with 3 nutritious meals per day. You will be required to prepare your own breakfast and lunch and host family will cook dinner. Please indicate your food preferences:

Food	Like	Dislike	OK
Meat (pork, beef, lamb, etc.)			
Fish/seafood/shellfish			
Poultry (chicken, turkey, etc.)			
Eggs			
Vegetables			
Dairy Products (milk, cheese, yogurt) etc.)			
Fruit			
Sandwiches			
Beans/lentils			
Other:			

Are you able to cook? No Yes A little

Do you have food allergies? No Yes Describe: _____

Do you require a special diet? No Yes Describe: _____ (vegetarian, vegan, etc.)

MEDICAL INFORMATION

Do you have any medical condition or disability (physical or mental) that your host family should know? _____

Do you require any special accommodations? If yes, explain: _____

Do you take any medication? If yes, name the medication and condition: _____

Do you have any other allergies? If yes, explain: _____

Name the allergy source and its effects: _____



INTERESTS AND PREFERENCES

Do you smoke? Yes No

Would you live with someone who smokes? Yes No

What kind of music do you listen to? _____

Do you play a musical instrument? If yes, what instrument? _____

Student Activities	Student Hobbies	Student Sport Interests	
<input type="checkbox"/> Board games <input type="checkbox"/> Visiting friends <input type="checkbox"/> Going to movies <input type="checkbox"/> Church activities <input type="checkbox"/> Shopping <input type="checkbox"/> Walking/running <input type="checkbox"/> Camping <input type="checkbox"/> Watching TV <input type="checkbox"/> Playing videogames <input type="checkbox"/> Going to the gym	<input type="checkbox"/> Gardening <input type="checkbox"/> Cooking <input type="checkbox"/> Computers <input type="checkbox"/> Art <input type="checkbox"/> Music <input type="checkbox"/> Sewing/Knitting <input type="checkbox"/> Boating/fishing <input type="checkbox"/> Photography <input type="checkbox"/> Crafts	<input type="checkbox"/> Tennis <input type="checkbox"/> Soccer <input type="checkbox"/> Basketball <input type="checkbox"/> Football <input type="checkbox"/> Biking <input type="checkbox"/> Ping pong <input type="checkbox"/> Baseball <input type="checkbox"/> Skating <input type="checkbox"/> Skiing <input type="checkbox"/> Swimming	<input type="checkbox"/> Dancing <input type="checkbox"/> Volleyball <input type="checkbox"/> Badminton <input type="checkbox"/> Hiking <input type="checkbox"/> Curling <input type="checkbox"/> Kayaking <input type="checkbox"/> Ice Hockey <input type="checkbox"/> Golf <input type="checkbox"/> Rugby <input type="checkbox"/> Floor Hockey

Are you comfortable living in a homestay that has pets? (Dogs, cats, fish) If yes, explain:

Do you plan to spend time with your host family? Yes No

If yes, approximately how many hours per week? _____

What activities would you like to do with your host family?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Watch TV/movies | <input type="checkbox"/> Sightsee | <input type="checkbox"/> Go for walks | <input type="checkbox"/> Go swimming |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Play sports | <input type="checkbox"/> Go camping | <input type="checkbox"/> Go shopping | <input type="checkbox"/> Go to the beach |

Other: _____

PREFERENCES:

(check all that apply)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> family with young children (age 0-11) | <input type="checkbox"/> family with teenagers |
| <input type="checkbox"/> family hosting another international | <input type="checkbox"/> adult(s) without children |
| <input type="checkbox"/> adult(s) with adult children | <input type="checkbox"/> no preferences |



YOUR CHARACTER: (check all that apply) outgoing talkative independent adapt easily shy quiet energetic

YOUR ENGLISH LEVEL: beginner intermediate advanced

Additional comments/information: _____

TRANSPORTATION

Will you have a car during your stay? Yes No

AGENCY INFORMATION/DECLARATION (if applicable)

AGENCY NAME: _____ CONTACT PERSON: _____

PHONE: _____ EMAIL: _____

I acknowledge that the above named agency is my assigned representative for dealing with MITT.

Student Name Student Signature Date

GENERAL INFORMATION

Canada is a multicultural society that values and respects the diversity of all Canadians. Many different kinds of Canadian families participate in the Homestay Program. There are single people with or without children, as well as couples with or without children. There are also Canadians of many races, religions, and cultures.

Some families work full-time, while others work part-time and/or are retired. Every host family will have its own unique lifestyle, so be open and willing to share and enjoy a meaningful Homestay experience with the host family we have selected for you.

Due to the location of the Campus, many host families are not located close to the campus. Students can expect between 15-60 minutes travel time, to and from school.

Homestay monthly fees are \$700 a month. Extra nights are \$30 per night.

Is there any other information that MITT should be aware of when pairing you with a host family? If yes, explain: _____



DISCLAIMERS

In consideration of MITT accepting this application, I for myself, my heirs, executors, administrators and assigns release MITT, its respective servants, agents or employees from any claims, demands, damages, actions or causes of actions arising out of or in consequence of any loss, injury or damage to my person or property incurred while living with a host family.

In consideration of MITT accepting the within application, I agree to indemnify MITT, its servants, agents or employees from any claims or demands which might be made against MITT arising out of or in consequence of my living with a host family.

I understand that MITT is NOT responsible for providing any insurance coverage to me or the host family.

In the event that I cause a physical damage to my homestay family's home or property, I understand that I would be responsible for any costs and release MITT from any liability.

I understand even if this application is accepted by MITT, MITT does not guarantee that I will be paired with a host family.

I further understand that MITT staff will select a host family based on the information I have provided and that they cannot guarantee that all my personal preferences will be met.

I hereby authorize MITT to release information in this application to my host family and/or agent.

I understand and agree with all the information contained on this document.

Student Name

Student Signature

Date