



HOME STAY

Our families are
a smorgasbord
of diversity.



They are married couples with or
without kids, singles, singles with
kids, dog people, cat people and
grandparents too.

Everyone has an opportunity to play a part in sharing
their life, home and provide memories and cultural
experiences to an international high school student.
If you have a spare room, why not become a host
and receive a fortnightly payment to cover
homestay expenses.

Now that travel restrictions have been lifted our
international students and their parents will be on the
lookout for a Queensland safe-haven to call home.



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**If you have any questions,
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Webpage:



[https://eqi.com.au/
Documents/homestay-
providers-flyer.pdf](https://eqi.com.au/Documents/homestay-providers-flyer.pdf)



As a host family, you provide a secure family environment with a bedroom, study area, three meals a day and contribute to the brilliant reputation Queensland has of providing the perfect Aussie cultural experience.

How about an international student who comes from a country you are hoping to travel to? Form lifelong friendships with them and their family and maybe even learn and practise their language.

If you are passionate about a specific sport/music/art, you could share your common interest with an international student who also shares your pursuits.

Maybe your own family could do with a gee-up and get motivated by welcoming an international student. They could become tour guides in their own town and get out-and-about as a family and showcase the local area.

Imagine how proud you'll be that you and your family contributed to the personal growth, confidence, English language skills and the graduation of your student.

Of course, as expected there are responsibilities that you will need to respond to including treating the student like family, be sensitive to cultural needs, ensure their happiness is being met and making sure they are moving toward their goals and aspirations.

**We encourage you to think further
about this opportunity for shaping and
supporting an international student.**



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