



### Who Are Our Host Families?

To foster the most positive UNCSA experience possible, our Host Families are recruited members of The Associates, the on-campus support organization of exemplary community members, positive role models, great supporters of the arts and UNCSA.

### Have More Questions?

Please don't hesitate to contact us with questions about the program or the application process. In addition, we are here to support you as you interact with your Host Family.



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*"My host family experience really helped me get through the year here at UNCSA. They made me feel like I was at home whenever I was with them. Having a home away rom home was a great thing to experience."*

-UNCSA HS Junior, Dance Student

*"My host family s so cool. I really enjoyed spending time with them and their hospitality throughout the holiday breaks. My first year at UNCSA wouldn't have been the same without this program."*

-UNCSA HS Junior, Music Student

*"My relationship with my host family has helped me through homesickness. I appreciate the chance to study and just hang out during weekends spent at home. The program has also helped reassure my parents about my being so far away from home."*

-UNCSA Dance student

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#### High School Residence Life HOST FAMILY PROGRAM

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## UNCSA High School HOST FAMILY PROGRAM



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**Would you like a home away from home when you want a little break from campus?**

**Join the Host Family Program co-sponsored by High School Residence Life and The Associates.**



## High School Residence Life Host Family Program

The Host Family Program was created as a way to link UNCSA residential high school students with local families. The program focuses on international and out-of-state students, but all students are welcome to participate. For our students, the program is a bridge to their new community and a home away from home. For our host families, it is an exciting opportunity to play a vital role in a student's life and to support young artists.

### WHAT DO HOST FAMILIES DO?

As a student, you and your host family decide the frequency and type of interactions that work best for your relationship. Some students enjoy going to their host family's home for dinner, or enjoy having a quiet place to study away from the residence halls. Some families may plan outings, help with transportation needs, and they enjoy attending their student's art performances. In addition to creating a healthy and interactive relationship with your Host Family, the Associates and High School Life provide social functions and community service opportunities for your participation. Additionally, both organizations are always available for guidance or to answer questions you may have.

### HOW DO I PARTICIPATE IN THE HOST FAMILY PROGRAM?

- Host Families want to provide support to students who are receptive to their extension of hospitality and care. If you are interested in participating, read about the program here and on the school website, then discuss it with your parents/guardians. YOUR interest is key to making the program successful!
- Complete the Student Profile and mail it to the High School Life Host Family Program at the school address listed on this form or e-mail it to [hsrl@uncsa.edu](mailto:hsrl@uncsa.edu). The form may be turned in at the Connector desk, as well.
- Once received, staff will match your preferences on your profile form to our Host Family Profile forms in order to find the best fit.
- You and your parents/guardians will then be provided with contact information for your Host Family.

## UNCSA Student Profile Questions

**Student Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Grade and Art Area:** \_\_\_\_\_

**UNCSA Mail Box Number:** \_\_\_\_\_

**UNCSA E-mail address:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Home Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Home Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Cell Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian Name (s):**

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**Parent/Guardian Phone Number (s):**

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**Religious Orientation:** (optional)

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**Do you like pets?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Pets at home?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Do you have any special dietary needs/  
preferences?** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Please list some of your interests:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Can you describe what you want in a Host  
Family?** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Can you describe activities you would enjoy  
with a Host Family?** \_\_\_\_\_

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**How often would you like to get together  
with your Host Family?** \_\_\_\_\_

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