

Australian Exchange Program - General Info

Thanks again for your interest in hosting an Australian student this January. It will be a great experience! We are about 70 days away until the Australians get to Elk Grove. Here are a few reminders for you (please also share this information with your parents, to keep them in the loop):

- The Australians arrive on Friday January 4th 2019 in the afternoon (around 4:30 pm). They will be here until Tuesday January 15th (they leave that morning around 8:30 am).
- This year we have 38 students (33 girls and 5 boys) and 6 adult chaperones on the trip. This is the 5th year we have hosted a group of Australians at Franklin High School.
- You need to have a bed for them to sleep in at your house. No couches or sleeping bags on the floor, please.
- The Australians will come with you to school every day. Most days they will go on day trips while you are at school. On Friday January 11th they will go to all of your classes with you.
- If you are committed to hosting a student in January, please let Mr. Kilby know which student you plan to host. Also, you will need to fill out an information sheet that Mr. Kilby will send to Australia. All information sheets, need to be turned into Kilby by **Wednesday November 14th**
- Our parent meeting is going to be held on November 15th in the MP Room to go over more information and give your parents an opportunity to ask questions. The meeting will last about 45 minutes and cover all of the important details.
- If you or your parents have any questions about the Australian Exchange Program, please do not hesitate to contact Mr. Kilby at bkilby@egusd.net or at 916-599-6813. More information will be provided at the parent meeting.

Have a great day! You are awesome!

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