
All outbound students on any programme pay for the following:

Return fares

Insurance (*See IF5: Travel Insurance for Students*)

Visa (if needed)

Inoculations (if needed)

Administration Fee - £25 payable to the Districts Youth Exchange Association when the Exchange/Camp place is confirmed (unless the District chooses to pay on behalf of the student).

Students may be asked to pay towards the cost of Orientation and Feedback. This could be anything from the cost of a meal or the travel costs to a central venue to a contribution to the hire of the venue.

All clubs with outbound students on any programme pay for the following:

- a few meals at their meeting for the outbound student and parents before and after the Exchange - the occasion after the Exchange will be when the student is the Speaker.

They normally would also provide banners (or equivalent) and (optional) perhaps small gifts for the Host Club or any children whom the student might encounter.

Costs and the Short Term Programmes:

Additional Costs to the Student:

STEP Family to Family : reciprocal hospitality by families.

Outbound Camps/ Tours - there may be a fee (this varies with the camp).

What it costs the Club:

STEP Family to Family: Club pays for meals when both students plus parent attend a meeting – inbound student is speaker.

Costs and the Long Term Programme:

Read in conjunction with *IF2. Funding the Long Term Programme.*

The cost to the club is essentially that incurred by the inbound LTEP student. Any contribution which the club makes to the costs incurred by their chosen outbound student is entirely voluntary. There is no pressure to do so.

Additional Costs to the outbound student needs to pay for before leaving home:

- Lightweight navy school style blazer
- Business cards (*See PM2: Merchandising & Corporate Identity*)
- Badges – the students will produce some of their own but the sponsoring Club and District usually supply a bagful of these for the student to swap.

- Translation & verification of documents for visa purposes – required by some countries.

On arrival in the host country the student can expect to pay for:

- Orientation – as soon as they arrive in the host country.
- A Tour - possibly.
- School uniform - possibly.

Long Term Exchange students receive a small amount of pocket money every month from their host club as well as money for lunch and transport. They usually have a credit card which their families 'feed' from home. Money laundering laws prevent students from opening bank accounts. The Long Term student also has to take an Emergency Fund in the region of around 300 euros (or dollars) to the host district. It is kept by the Student Counsellor and only used if needed, whereupon the parents are required to top it up. The remainder is returned to the student on departure.

The Cost to Rotary of the Long Term programme

The HOST CLUB is responsible for the following costs for the Inbound student:

		approx
Pocket money	paid monthly for up to eleven months. Current rate around £50 pm but it is agreed between club and district and declared on the Inbound's Guarantee form. (see above)	£550
Daily travel to and from school	Cost depends on available transport and distance. This may be higher to begin with if the student has to wait on a travel permit being produced.	£300
School lunches	Around £10 per week	£350
Club meals and significant Club/Area events	The student should expect to attend a Rotary meeting every week. If the club meets when the student is at school the club might join with another club so that the student does not feel disconnected from Rotary.	£500
Birthday Present		£25
Christmas Present		£25
Club hospitality at District Conference	Lunches and meals taken as a club rather than as a district.	£30
Plus contingency...		

A ball park total would be around £1800 - £2000 for the year.(as at 2016)

Most students have a WISH LIST and it is up to Club members to encourage each other so that the items on it are covered. This is a cost to individual club members rather than to the Club itself.

The DISTRICT is responsible for the following costs for the Inbound student:

District Conference – Bed & Breakfast plus any formal Conference Dinners (or the whole Conference fee if presented as a package). YE students pay zero registration fee.

Any costs connected with promotion of the District YE programme.

RIBI Conference – full costs – where possible.(again, no registration fee).