



Homestay

Host homes are ideal for students who want to experience life with a typical American host and regularly practise their English.

Address

Our hosts are located outside of the central area of Boston. The homes are in safe neighborhoods and located within walking distance of a bus or metro stop.

Type of accommodation

Single or shared rooms in homestay accommodation.

Age of students

16 years and over.

Check-in and check-out

Check-in Sundays from 09.00 to 22.00. Check-out on Sundays by 12.00. Other days and times by arrangement.

Meals

Daily breakfast is included. Additional meals (evening meal and lunch) may be booked in advance at an additional cost. As a member of the family, you will eat what the family eats, when the family eats.

Kitchens/cooking facilities

Only available to students booking self catering host homes. Self-catering Host Homes provide a shared kitchen available to all residents. Self-catering does not include breakfast, and is only available to students aged 18 and older.

Rooms

There are single and shared rooms available. Each room has adequate wardrobe and drawer space for each student's possessions and a study desk.

Bathrooms

Bathrooms are shared. Facilities will vary, but always include WC, sink, and shower or bath. Bathrooms are always inside the home.

Utilities

Electricity, heating, running water and cable are included in the accommodation fee. The electrical supply is 120 volts, 60Hz. You may need a transformer or adaptor plug for electrical equipment.

Internet and phone

All host homes offer wireless highspeed internet at no extra cost. You may not use your host's computer. You may ask for permission to make local calls from the host home's phone. You may purchase a calling card to make international calls.

Laundry

Most host homes have access to a laundry machine free of charge, some hosts may launder a reasonable amount of clothes. Some hosts may require you to buy your own laundry detergent, or use coin-operated machines.

Security and keys

We recommend that you always inform your host about your whereabouts. Students aged 18 and older will be given a key to the house.

Bed linen, towels and cleaning

Clean bed linens and towel supplied weekly. Rooms are cleaned before you arrive, and afterwards you must keep the bedroom clean of clutter and take the trash out.

Deposit & Damage Charges

No deposit is required. Damage must be paid for at cost.

Visitors

Visitors must be agreed in advance with the host.

Noise and restrictions

Noise must not be heard outside of the bedroom at any time.

Availability

Available all year.



Some wheelchair access



Continental breakfast



Evening meals optional



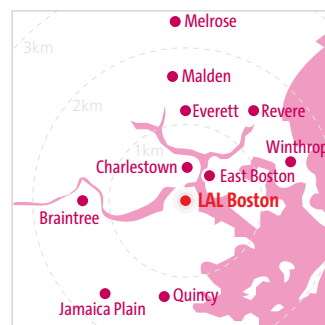
Wireless internet



Evening meals are optional



Rooms will vary in size and style



Distance to school

Host homes are in average 9 miles (14.5 km) from the school, and approximately 60 minutes by public transportation.

Local transport

All hosts' homes are within a few minutes' walk to public transport stop. The "T", Boston's subway and bus. In your welcome package you will find a helpful guide to Boston's public transport system. Also, your host will help you with directions to school.

(Prices subject to change)