

Special 8-Week Host Experience Available!

Catholic Student Exchange and your school have again partnered to provide you with an amazing opportunity to open your home for just eight, short weeks as a host family for students from Guatemala.

CSE students, Grades 5-11, arrive mid -October and return home mid- December. While in Louisiana, CSE students participate in the same activities as their host students and families...it really is as simple as one extra family member for eight weeks. This is a good time during the year, too: after the start of school, but before Christmas. If you've been thinking about hosting a student, this is the program for you to try.

All CSE students have been thoroughly screened and prepared, and are fluent in English. All expenses, including air fare, ground transportation, full medical insurance, tuition, and spending money are paid by each exchange student. During these eight weeks, it's essentially 'business as usual' for host students and families, continuing with school and everyday activities while sharing family experiences, values, and traditions with their guests. In the past, some families have taken their students to New Orleans, Baton Rouge, Grand Isle, Lafayette, LSU and Saints games, etc...., but this is not required.

If you'd like to ask a local student and/or family about the nuts-and-bolts of being a CSE host family, please contact Anne, Bryan, Bob, or Kate Geenen at (920) 954-1504 or kgeenen@new.rr.com.

A representative from CSE will be at your school in August and September! In the meantime, you can find CSE on Facebook, or you may contact Deann at catholicstudentexchange@yahoo.com or Mariela at mo@catholicstudentexchange.org with any questions you might have. If you are already sure you'd like to host, please complete the application online: www.catholicstudentexchange.org.

