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Consent Agenda Item (Action Item): Consider/Approve retroactively an EF High School Exchange Year High School Enrollment Agreement with Betsy Layne High School

Applicable State or Regulations: KRS 160.160 Powers and Duties of the Local Board of Education.

Fiscal/Budgetary Impact: No associated cost to School Board

History/Background: The EF High school Exchange Year would like to enroll a participating school for the Spring Semester (Jan—May 2023) at Betsy Layne High School. EF High School Exchange Year has been designated by the United State Department of State as an exchange visitor program sponsor. This enables EF High School Exchange Year to issue each student a DS-2019 form, the certificate of eligibility students use in order to apply for a J-1 Visa. Federal regulations require that before a student enters the US on a J-1 Visa, EF must receive a letter of acceptance from the host high school. The student in question spent the first semester in Madison County and is in the process of changing host families and would like to come to Betsy Layne High School and live with a new Host Family. Cara Begley (606) 626-5066 will be the International Exchange Coordinator Contact for EF High School Exchange Year.

Recommended Action: Approve the agreement retroactively as presented.

Contact Person(s): Jody Roberts Principal
Justin Akers School Counselor

Principal

Director

Superintendent

Date: January 10, 2023

High School Exchange Year

EF High School Exchange Year
Two Education Circle
Cambridge, MA 02141

Tel: 800-447-4273
Fax: 617-619-1401
efexchangeyear.org

High School Enrollment Agreement

Student name Mimi Shinozaki Student number J P T 2 1 1 2 9 8 0

In which grade level will the student be enrolled: ❑ 9 ❑ 10 ❑ 11 ❑ 12 ☑ To be determined at time of registration

Nationality: Japan Student status: ☑ Fall full-year ❑ Fall half-year ❑ Spring full-year ❑ Spring half-year Year: 2023

Dear Principal,

As the International Exchange Coordinator (IEC) for EF High School Exchange Year, I am pleased that a student participating in our program will be attending your high school during his or her exchange year. EF High School Exchange Year has been designated by the United States Department of State as an exchange visitor program sponsor. This enables us to issue each student a DS-2019 form, the certificate of eligibility students use in order to apply for a J-1 visa. Federal regulations require that before a student enters the U.S. on a J-1 visa, we must receive a letter of acceptance from the host high school. Your signature on this form will serve as a letter of acceptance of enrollment in your school. EF High School Exchange Year shall assume all responsibility for the student, as set forth in regulations issued by the United States Department of State. Your school is not required to register with the government's SEVIS database (Student and Exchange Visitor Information System) in order to enroll an EF High School Exchange Year student. Please do not hesitate to make a copy of this form for your records, if necessary.

Although I will serve as your primary contact person throughout the year, the Regional Manager in the Boston office can also be reached at 1-800-447-4273. Thank you for your support of intercultural exchange!

Cara Begley
International Exchange Coordinator (IEC)

AUTHORIZATION

In my capacity as (title) Superintendent at the high school listed below, I accept this exchange student into our school for the period of study indicated on this form. **Signature** Anna Whitaker Shepherd **Date** 1-6-23

HIGH SCHOOL INFORMATION

School name Betsy Layne High School
Street 554 Bobcat Blvd
City Stanville State KY Zip 41659
Website
Telephone 606-478-3805 Fax number
Delivery address for packages if different from above (no P. O. Boxes)
Street
City State Zip
Principal's name
Name of main school contact
Title of main school contact
Phone number of main school contact ( )
E-mail of main school contact
This year's school start date
School closing date (pending snow days)
Student enrollment number
Deadline for registration
Can students be registered by a parent/third party? ❑ Yes ❑ No

Type of school ☑ Public ❑ Private
Will your school charge any MANDATORY FEES or TUITION in order to enroll the above-named exchange student? ❑ Yes ☑ No
TUITION *(please note if per semester of full academic year):*
$
MANDATORY FEES *(please note if per semester of full academic year):*
❑ Book Fee: $
❑ Activities Fee: $
❑ Uniform Fee: $
❑ Transportation Fee: $
❑ Other Fee: $
Please explain

Total cost of TUITION and/or MANDATORY FEEs $

EF High School Exchange Year would greatly appreciate it if you could send an official invoice of these costs to 617-619-1401 as soon as possible. If you wish to provide further information about any tuition or fees or your invoicing process/timeline, please do so here:

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Phone work ( )
Fax Number ( )

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