



Florida High School Athletic Association
**Registration Form for Youth Exchange,
 Other International or Immigrant Student for 2016-17**

EL4

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This form must be completed, filed with all required documentation for any youth exchange, other international or immigrant (without Permanent Resident status) student and approved by the FHSAA office each year before the student is allowed to participate in interscholastic competition. All supporting documents must be scanned as PDF files and e-mailed with this form to **international@fhsaa.org**.

PLEASE ALLOW A MINIMUM OF TEN (10) BUSINESS TO PROCESS THIS FORM.

Name of Member School: _____ City: _____

1. Name of Student as it appears on birth certificate, visa, passport (Surname/Given Name): _____

2. Visa Class: _____

Other Non - Immigrant Visa Class (if applicable): _____ {if "Other", specify}: _____

3. Date of Birth: _____ (Proof of age attached; reference Bylaw 9.6.4.1) Gender: _____
{mm/dd/yyyy}

4. Currently enrolled in grade: _____ Fall Winter Spring

5. Sports in which the student wishes to participate (enter -- for no sport): _____

6. Country of Citizenship of Student: _____

7. If this is a returning, previously approved student, then specify: _____

8. Name of Parent (not the host parent): _____

9. List the following information for ALL previous schools attended since entering the 8th grade/year (original and translated transcripts attached):

8th	_____	_____	_____
	<small>School Name</small>	<small>City/State/Country</small>	<small>School Year</small>
9th	_____	_____	_____
	<small>School Name</small>	<small>City/State/Country</small>	<small>School Year</small>
10th	_____	_____	_____
	<small>School Name</small>	<small>City/State/Country</small>	<small>School Year</small>
11th	_____	_____	_____
	<small>School Name</small>	<small>City/State/Country</small>	<small>School Year</small>

10. This student is residing at a boarding school approved by the Association...SKIP TO #14

11. Name of Person in Florida with whom the student resides: _____

A member of the host family is a coach at the school

12. Address of Person in Florida with whom the student resides: _____

13. Phone number of Person in Florida with whom the student resides: _____

14. Date entered the 9th grade/year (if applicable): _____
{month and year}

15. Date last attended previous school: _____ Date first attended current school: _____
{mm/dd/yyyy} {mm/dd/yyyy}

16. This student attended another high school in the United States. _____
Name of School/City/State/Country

17. This student is a receiving financial aid as assessed by the following approved financial aid agency : _____

18. For F-1 and J-1 Visa Students Only: This student will be attending this school for the full school year.

19. ATTACHMENTS TO BE PROVIDED:

FIRST YEAR STUDENTS (Items 1, 2 and 3 should be a single PDF file)

1. Proof of Age; and
2. I-20 A-B Form or DS-2019 Form or I-94 Form or Other Immigration Documents; and
3. Original Language Transcripts; and
4. Int'l Transcript-GPA Calculator Form (Grades 9 - 12 only)

[Click here for the Int'l Transcript-GPA Calculator Form](#)

RETURNING, PREVIOUSLY APPROVED STUDENTS

1. I-20 A-B Form or DS-2019 Form or I-94 Form or Other Immigration Documents; and
2. An official school transcript or the Int'l Transcript-GPA Calculator Form (Grades 9 - 12 only)

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NOTE: THIS STUDENT IS NOT ELIGIBLE TO PARTICIPATE UNTIL NOTIFIED BY FHSAA STAFF



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-- FOR FHSAA STAFF ONLY --

The following reflects the eligibility status for this student based on the documents submitted. Additional information may also be requested.

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This YOUTH EXCHANGE/INTERNATIONAL student has been approved, contingent on there being no irregularities reported by the U.S. Department of Homeland Security, the U.S. Department of State, the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) or the National Federation (NFHS).

This student is eligible to participate in the sport(s) listed on the EL4 Form at ANY level, provided the student meets all other eligibility requirements during the remainder of this school year.

This YOUTH EXCHANGE student has been given CONDITIONAL approval, contingent on there being no irregularities reported by the U.S. Department of Homeland Security, the U.S. Department of State or the National Federation (NFHS).

This student is residing with same host family as another youth exchange student of the same gender. This student is eligible to participate in the sport(s) listed on the EL4 Form at ANY level, provided, as per Policy 17.1.2.1, no other youth exchange student of the same gender is participating in the same sport, without approval of the Executive Director and the student meets all other eligibility requirements during the remainder of this school year.

This INTERNATIONAL student has been given RESTRICTED approval.

This student is eligible to participate in the sport(s) listed on the EL4 Form at the SUB-VARSITY level only, provided the student meets all other eligibility requirements during the remainder of this school year. This student entered the U.S. on a B1/B2 Visa or through the Visa Waiver Program (equivalent to a class B Visa). This student's eligibility may be reviewed in the event that the student's Visa or immigrant status has changed.

This IMMIGRANT student has been approved, contingent on there being no irregularities reported by U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS).

This student is eligible to participate in the sport(s) listed on the EL4 Form at ANY level, provided the student meets all other eligibility requirements during the remainder of this school year.

This IMMIGRANT student has been given RESTRICTED approval.

This student is eligible to participate in the sport(s) listed on the EL4 Form at the SUB-VARSITY level only. This student's eligibility may be reviewed if and when the student's immigration status has changed.

NOTE: Any approval above does not guarantee future approval for this student or any similar situated student(s). It will be necessary to review the status of this student prior to participation each school year.

Based on the documents submitted, this student has been ruled INELIGIBLE for the following reason: _____

COMMENTS

As per FHSAA Bylaw 10.4, due process affords this school an opportunity to appeal this ruling.

The deadline for submitting information to be placed on the agenda of the: _____ Section: Appeals Committee
 is 5:00 PM:

COST OF APPEAL: Bylaw 10.5.1 states, in pertinent part, "The cost of an appeal . . . shall be borne by the person or entity making the appeal if the finding of the Executive Director or the penalty imposed is upheld or if the request for waiver is denied as in Bylaw 10.4.1."

 Name of FHSAA Staff Member Signature of FHSAA Staff Member Date

This youth exchange/international/immigrant student cannot be approved at this time due to missing the following:

Submittal of any information below must be sent via e-mail to international@fhsaa.org

- Missing the proof of age {reference Bylaw 9.6.4.1, U.S. Visa preferred}
- Missing the I-20 A-B Form {Certificate of Eligibility for F-1 Student} or the form has not been signed by the student
- Missing the DS-2019 Form {Certificate of Eligibility for J-1 Student} or the form has not been signed by the student
- Missing the I-94 Form {Arrival/Departure Record, this can be obtained at <https://i94.cbp.dhs.gov/i94/#/home>}
- Missing the original language transcripts from the student's home country school or schools (SEE BELOW FOR DETAILS)
- Missing the translated transcript {the appropriate translation form can be obtained here: Int'l Transcript-GPA Calculator Form }
- Please provide the following final report card to verify compliance with Bylaw 9.5.2:
- Missing the official/school transcript for returning student {the appropriate transcript form can be obtained here: Int'l Transcript-GPA Calculator Form }
- Other/Additional Comments

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