



Urmston Grammar School

13th May 2026

Host Families Needed for Swiss Exchange Students

Dear Parents/Carers,

We are pleased to share an exciting opportunity for families who may be interested in hosting students from KZU (Kantonsschule Zürcher Unterland) in Switzerland.

For the last few years, we have been proud to take part in a programme which sees approximately 3–4 students join our Sixth Form from September to December in Year 12. These students become an active part of our Sixth Form community and are often greatly missed when they return home. We have consistently welcomed excellent, polite and well-mannered students through this scheme.

The students will attend local grammar and independent schools and will stay in the UK from **22nd August until 12th December**.

Host families will receive **£170 per week** and are asked to provide:

- A bedroom with a desk, or access to a suitable study space
- Breakfast, lunch & dinner each day

This year, they are particularly looking for families who would be interested in hosting boys.

If you would like further information or have any questions, please contact me at:

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I would be very happy to provide further details.

Yours sincerely,

Mr J Neale
Assistant Head of Sixth Form – Head of Year 12