

Sponsoring & hosting RYE students

August -October: Market the RYE Scholarship Program to area high schools. Accept applications! Students must be 16-18.5 year of age when they leave the *following* August. Great for gap year experiences! If student applying for college, they can ask for deferred enrollment.



November 1-15. Club interviews outbound Student. If accepted by Club, you send application to District by November 15.



December. Student & Parents attend District Interviews first weekend in December. Club is notified of outcome. **Once student is accepted Club now is sponsoring an "outbound" and hosting an "inbound" the next fall, setting into motion:**



January. Club sends rep to SCYRE training conference. Students go too!

February. Choose Roles. Club identifies the next year's RYE Committee Chair (YEO) and Local Coordinator. Completes volunteer paperwork.



March. Club "chooses" inbound Student, and then identifies Club Counselor (same gender) for that student. Counselor completes volunteer paperwork.



April. Club identifies (3) host families and school for the inbound student. Completes volunteer paperwork for 1st host family, home interview & inspection for host family; and gets the Guarantee Form signed by Club and school. Busy time!



April 1—May. 15 District sends VISA paperwork for your inbound student and outbound student.



June. Outbound student attends Outbound Orientation.



July. counselor and host parents attend RYE orientation.



August. Outbound student leaves and inbound student arrives!

Local Coordinator or YEO needs to be good with computer!! The many documents Club has to upload to the RYE database in above timeline ensure Dept of State & RI compliance.
