



ROLE OF THE CHAPERONE

York Region District School Board requires groups to be accompanied by their own chaperone(s). The chaperone knows and understands the students much better than our staff.

When accepting groups, we expect:

- one chaperone to accompany every fifteen students.
- at least one chaperone to be a teacher.
- each chaperone will remain with the program for the duration of the time the students are attending our programs.
- each chaperone to be available to liaise with their students and International education staff at all times.
- each chaperone to bring a cell phone capable of accepting a SIM card.
- each chaperone to purchase a transportation pass or use a taxi or shuttle service to travel independently.
- each chaperone to work directly with the Homestay Coordinator when issues arise with regard to homestay.
- each chaperone to work directly with the Program Coordinator when issues arise with regard to school and school activities.

We understand that chaperones wish to arrange visits to their students' homestay homes; however, we would ask that chaperones make these arrangements through the Homestay Coordinator.

The Program Coordinator will assist chaperones to arrange visits to their students' schools.