

Study in Portugal Network (SiPN)

Visiting Family Program Form

SiPN's Visiting Family Program (VPF) allows you to experience Portuguese family life and a deeper immersion into Portuguese culture. Our program suggests get-togethers on at least a monthly basis, but more frequent visits are also possible. SiPN will reimburse you for any extra transportation costs for meeting with your family, following the presentation of receipts.

Part of the VFP experience involves adapting to Portuguese family life, but we also know that our Portuguese volunteers are eager to learn more about your life and interests. Please respond to the questions below so that we can effectively place you with our volunteer families.

Name: _____ (PRINT NAME)

Study Abroad Term (check all that apply):

Summer _____

June

July

August

Internship A (June & July)

Internship B (July & August)

Other/Comments

Fall _____ Full Year _____ Spring _____

Other/Comments

1. Please indicate any personal interests and hobbies that you have.

(music, art, dance, politics, sports, cooking, hiking, etc.)

2. Would you prefer a visiting family with children? What age?

3. What languages do you speak and how fluently?

4. Do you smoke? If not, would you have a problem visiting a family with a smoker?

5. Do you have any food allergies? Are you a vegetarian (if so, how strict?) Do you have any allergies to cats, dogs, etc.? (If so, how severe are your allergies?)

6. Describe your family. How many siblings do you have? How old are they?

7. What are your primary goals if placed through this program? What would you like to get out of it?

(Fill out and submit this document by printing, signing, and scanning to your computer. Then upload it to your SiPN protected account in the designated area of your application. If you have any trouble with scanning and/or uploading, please email your signed and completed documents to applications@studyinportugalnnetwork.com or fax to +351 21-392-8772)