

APPLICATION FORM FOR SUMMER 2016

<p>Name and Surname:</p> <p>School:</p> <p>Town or village:</p>	<p>Date of birth:</p>	<p>Please add your photo here</p>
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I am applying for: (tick <u>one</u> box)	CFP in US		CFP Camp in Cyprus		Both	
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THIS FORM TO BE COMPLETED BY THE TEENAGER AND HIS/HER PARENTS/GUARDIANS



IN A COUNTRY DIVIDED...PEOPLE UNITED

Before completing this form please print and read the accompanying document "Information for parents and teens applying for the summer 2016 group"

Once completed the application form and the sealed envelope with the recommendation letter (see pages 13-14) must be given or mailed to any of the following Cypriot coordinators no later than the 22nd of February, 2016. Early submissions will be greatly appreciated!

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CHECKLIST

After completing the form please check and **tick in the boxes below**:

Have you...	YES	NO
placed your photo on page 1 ?		
ticked the appropriate box on page one to clarify if you are applying for the US part of CFP, the summer camp in Cyprus or both? (<i>'Both' means that if you are not selected for the US part, you may be selected for the summer camp in Cyprus</i>).		
included the whole of the original and two photocopies of pages 1-8 of this form? Note: If applying for camp only , the whole of the original and only one photocopy of pages 1-8 is needed.		
and your parent/guardian signed and put dates on pages 6 and 9-12 of this application form? For camp only , sign on pages 6 and 12.		
included two copies of your most recent grade report from school ?		
provided two copies of a valid passport that can be used to fly from Larnaca? (Only if you are applying for CFP in the US). If you do not have a valid passport, notify with evidence that you have started the process of applying for one.		
paid the 15-euro application fee? (Put in a small envelope).		
provided one letter of recommendation in a sealed envelope to be written by a teacher from your school? (See pages 13-14 for instructions).		

Depending if you are applying for the US, the Cyprus camp or both the table below is a guide of which parts of the application form to complete:

PARTS OF THE APPLICATION FORM	IF APPLYING FOR CFP IN <u>US ONLY</u>	IF APPLYING FOR CFP <u>CAMP IN CYPRUS ONLY</u>	IF APPLYING FOR <u>BOTH</u>
A	√	√	√
B	√	√	√
C	√	√	√
D	√		√
E	√		√
F	√		√
G		√	√
H	√	√	√
I	√	√	√

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PART A: TEEN AND PARENTS/GUARDIANS INFORMATION

Teenager's Full Name			
Country of Birth		Gender	
Home address			
Home telephone		Mobile phone no.	
Teenager's email	<i>(write <u>very clearly</u>)</i>		
Current school		School phone no.	
How many more years in school will you have after the summer of 2016?			
Country of citizenship			
Passport number and expiry date		Country of issuance	
Mother's name		Father's Name	
Mother's occupation		Father's occupation	
Mother's nationality		Father's nationality	
Mother's mobile no.		Father's mobile No.	
Mother's work no.		Father's work No.	
Mother's email address	<i>(write <u>very clearly</u>)</i>		
Father's email address	<i>(write <u>very clearly</u>)</i>		
Parent's marital status (e.g. married, divorced, widowed)			
Names and ages of any brothers and sisters			
Names of family members and year previously involved with the CFP, or other peace programmes (if any)			
Applied to CFP US or CFP Camp before? If so, which year?			
Name and phone (optional) of teacher writing recommendation (see pages 13-14)			
How did you hear about the programme?			

PART B: ESSAY QUESTIONS

(To be completed by hand by the teenager)

1. What is the greatest challenge you have faced in your life? How did you manage this challenge?

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2. List any clubs or activities you have been involved in, awards or prizes you may have earned. Use additional paper if needed.

Activities, clubs	Year(s)

Awards, prizes	Awarding body	Year

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3. Describe the main activities, and the clubs mentioned in question (2).

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4. CFP is expecting a contribution from you in the following year. How do you plan to combine your academic work with CFP peace building work in the following year.

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Full name of **teenager** applying: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

By signing this application, you confirm that the information is correct, to the best of your knowledge, and that you have completed the essay questions yourself without assistance.

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PART C: FOR THOSE APPLYING FOR THE US PROGRAMME AND/OR THE SUMMER CAMP IN CYPRUS **(To be completed by parents/guardians)**

Does the teenager have any medical (mental and/or physical) or dental conditions? Has s/he ever been treated for a mental condition?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
If yes, please describe:		
List any medications the teenager is currently taking:		
Describe any allergies to food, medication, pets, or other substances:		
Food preferences e.g. vegetarian, what the teen likes, dislikes etc.		
Has the teenager ever been arrested?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	If so, provide details:
Can the teenager swim?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	How well?
Can the teenager take care of himself/herself in the sea or swimming pool?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Do parents/guardians consent to the teenager being interviewed by the press or other media or being on television while in Cyprus or the US?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Parents/guardians , please describe your family (in English, Turkish or Greek): <div style="height: 200px; border: 1px solid black; margin-top: 5px;"></div>		

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PART D: FOR THOSE APPLYING FOR THE US PROGRAMME

(To be completed by parents/guardians)

Has the teenager ever been to the United States?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	If so when, where, why and for how long?
Has the teenager ever spent any length of time away from home?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	How long?
Name and address of any relatives living in United States (if any):		
<p>The CFP includes an intensive four-week project in the U.S. that may be both physically and emotionally challenging. <u>Will the teenager need any special accommodations for medical conditions, health issues, special needs, etc., while they are participating in the programme?</u></p> <div style="height: 80px; border: 1px solid black;"></div>		
<p>Does the teenager have any eating preferences or dislikes that will be useful for the US host family to know? For example is he/she a vegetarian?</p> <div style="height: 80px; border: 1px solid black;"></div>		
<p>Many American families have pets living in the same home with them. <u>Does the teenager have any problems with any kind of animals and if so which ones?</u> We will try but we <u>cannot guarantee</u> that the teenager will not be placed in a home without pets.</p> <div style="height: 80px; border: 1px solid black;"></div>		
Would you object to the teenager attending a service associated with other religions?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

- Any other information that you feel is relevant but is confidential in nature should be included on a separate sheet of paper.

PART E: FOR THOSE APPLYING FOR THE US PROGRAMME

(To be signed by the teen and one parent/guardian)

Not: 9'den 11'a kadar olan sayfaların bir adet Türkçe ve Rumca çevirileri ekte verilen "Yaz 2016 grubu için başvuran ebeveyn ve gençler için bilgi" adlı dokümanda bulunabilir.

Σημείωση για τους γονείς: Οι σελίδες 9-11 στις οποίες υπογράφετε ότι συμφωνείτε με τους κανονισμούς του προγράμματος είναι μεταφρασμένες στα Ελληνικά στο τέλος του συνοδευτικού κειμένου με τίτλο "Information to parents and teens applying for the summer 2016 group".

Please INITIAL (the first letters of your first and last names) all of the following:

	Parent/ Guardian initials	Teenager Initials
We understand that "No Smoking" laws are strictly enforced in the United States. Smoking is <u>not</u> permitted at CFP events in Cyprus or while the teenagers are in the United States.		
My teen and I understand that while in the United States he/she agrees to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Observe Programme rules; • Observe all United States laws, including those related to the drinking and smoking age; • Engage in no behavior that would bring the Programme into disrepute; and • Treat the Programme and associated people with respect. Failure to comply with any of these may result in the participant being immediately sent home at their family's expense. <p>Other consequences, depending on the severity of misbehavior may follow, including not awarding the CFP graduation certificate.</p>		
The teenager will be matched with another young person of the same gender, but of a different community. The purpose of this Programme is for them to get to know and understand each other within a neutral environment. They will share a bedroom while in the host family home and will hopefully build a lasting friendship. Parents/guardians should encourage the two young people who have been matched to have as much contact as possible (including a visit to each others home, if possible) before their departure date.		

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Early and ongoing contact between families of the paired participants is important for the Programme's success. Parents/guardians as well as participants must be willing to become friends with their CFP partner and the partner's family.		
All participants must attend follow-up activities, including active participation in an alumni program after they return home. The Cypriot Coordinators will provide information on this at a later time.		
The teenager must be mentally and physically capable of handling a four-week absence from home.		
We understand that the teenagers are <u>not</u> permitted to possess more than \$500 in cash and that they are <u>not</u> allowed to bring any <u>credit cards</u> with them to the United States.		
It is required that the parents/guardians and the teenager attend the Graduation Ceremony in Cyprus in October (exact date and location to be provided at a later time).		
Teenagers and parents/guardians are required to read the CFP document "Information to parents and teens applying for the 2016 CFP group" and agree to abide with all project rules contained therein.		
We understand that the teenager is <u>not</u> permitted to <u>bring or use mobile phones</u> and any other <u>electronic devices whether it can be connected to the internet or not</u> (i-pods, tablets, android devices, mp-players and so on) during their length of stay in the United States. If any such devices are found, they will be confiscated . Other consequences, depending on the severity of misbehavior may follow, including not awarding the CFP graduation certificate.		
We understand that the teenager is <u>not</u> permitted to use the internet in general and particularly <u>Facebook, other social media and e-mails</u> during her/his stay in the US.		
We understand that host families are not offering a vacation to teens. The teenager is expected to adjust to the hosts' routines and rules and act as members of the household. In some cases, this may involve household chores or participating in family activities.		

Note: Some exceptions to the rules concerning the use of the internet can be found in the document "Information for parents and teens applying for the summer 2016 group."

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PART F: FOR THOSE APPLYING FOR THE US PROGRAMME **(To be signed by one parent/guardian only)**

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	We understand that the contribution to the programme is \$700 . Families who are willing to contribute an <u>additional</u> amount will help the programme in covering its considerable expenses.
	We give CFP permission to contact schools and/or others for references on the teenager.
	We agree to pay for all expenses associated with the return of my teenager if he or she is sent home by the CFP Executive Director for any reason, other than a health emergency.
	If parents/guardians or teenager insist on being returned home due to medical conditions that may arise, other than a medical emergency, such travel will be at the parents'/guardians' expense.
	The Programme insures the teenager for medical and dental coverage. However, the insurance does not cover any preexisting medical/dental problem or injuries received while participating in hazardous sports listed by our insurance carrier. THESE EXCLUSIONS APPLY IN ALL CASES.
	I/We the Parents/Guardians and the teenager understand the purpose of the Programme, and we agree to the teenager's spending four weeks in the United States with a partner of a different community.

PART G: FOR THOSE APPLYING FOR THE CAMP IN CYPRUS

Parent/Guardian initials	Teenager Initials	
		We understand that smoking and drinking are <u>not</u> permitted at the CFP camp in Cyprus.
Parent/Guardian initials		
		I/We the Parents/Guardians agree to the teenager's participation in the Cyprus Friendship Programme camp and in the activities during and after the camp in Cyprus.

**PART H: FOR THOSE APPLYING FOR THE US PROGRAMME AND
THE CAMP IN CYPRUS**

Full name of mother/guardian: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Full name of father/guardian: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Full name of teenager applying: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

By signing this application, we confirm and agree to the following:

- All information above is correct, to the best of our knowledge;
- We have read, understand, and agree to all the foregoing information; and
- We absolve CFP Inc., CFP in Cyprus, its volunteers, officers, directors, host families, and any support families of any liability associated with the participation of our child in the Programme.
- Once completed, this form may be shared with others in the programme.

PART I: LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION

Instructions to parents and the teacher making the recommendation:

- Pages 13 and 14 should be ***detached*** and given to be completed in English by a teacher from the school of the teenager.
- The **teacher** will then put the letter in an envelope and **seal it with his/her signature crossing the sealed part**. The **name of the teenager** should be written on the front of the envelope followed by the words **“Application for the 2016 Cyprus Friendship Programme”**.
- The **signed and sealed** envelope to be given to the **teenager’s parents** for submission to the Cypriot coordinators **together with the application form**.

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Name and position of teacher: _____

Telephone (optional): _____ Student's name: _____

School: _____

Has the student ever had any disciplinary problems? Please tick as appropriate and provide any necessary information.

Yes

No

Compared with other students you have taught how do you rate this student?

Please tick:

	1. Below Average	2. Average	3. Good	4. Very good	5. Excellent
Academic achievement					
Maturity					
Leadership Abilities					
Level of English					
Creative, original thought					
Conduct (behaviour)					

Briefly describe why this teenager is mature and responsible enough to:

(a) spend one month with a teen from the other community with a host family in the U.S. and/or

(b) spend one week in a bi-communal camp in Cyprus.

Note for teacher: If the teen is applying for US only, then answer part (a) only. If applying for camp only answer (b) only. If applying for both the US and the camp answer both (a) and (b).

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Name of teacher: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____