

EXPLORING 4-H AROUND THE WORLD



Exchange Program Overview

Come explore the world with us! You can experience the rich history and culture of **Belize or Ireland**. The International 4-H Exchange Program is designed to advance cultural understanding, spark an interest in learning about other cultures, and develop skills and abilities to live and work effectively in a global society.

Belize will be outbound trip focusing on exploring the history and culture of Belize. A short host family stay is being planned. The trip will be approximately 7 days Dec. 27 – Jan 3.

Ireland will be an outbound trip focused on exploring agriculture and livestock production in Ireland. The trip will be 10 days, July 9-18.

Selection Criteria?

The program is open to senior aged 4-H members (14-19) interested in traveling internationally and learning about different cultures. Students will be selected on the following criteria:

- Personal leadership skills
- Social skills - Openness and flexibility
- Interest in learning about different cultures and global issues

Important Dates

- Applications due: May 31, 2022
- Web video interviews – early June
- Pre-trip orientation via web conference – TBD
- Travel dates -
 - Belize (Tentative dates) - Dec. 27, 2022 – Jan. 3, 2023
 - Ireland – July 9-18, 2023

WYOMING 4-H INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE PROGRAM

**BELIZE (2022/2023)
IRELAND (2023)**

How much does it cost?

Belize - \$1,750 per person.

Ireland - \$4,150 per person

The following expenses will be included in the trip cost:

- Roundtrip airfare to host country
- Meals and lodging
- In country logistics (i.e. transportation, etc.)
- Travel insurance, Accident and sickness protection

A \$500 **deposit** will be required upon selection, the remaining balance can be made in monthly payments

Scholarships for 4-H members are available. Please contact for more information.

There will be some additional expenses for participants which include:

- Passport & passport photos
- Immunization fees (if required)
- Transportation to and from US outbound/inbound airport
- Spending money for souvenirs and in-country purchases

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