



## HOMESTAY & CUSTODIANSHIP SERVICES

**Students not living with a parent, family member or family friend while attending a YCDSB school must arrange homestay and custodianship with one of the two approved providers - Canada Homestay Network (CHN) or Muskoka Language International (MLI) below. All students, regardless of their age, must have an English-speaking custodian for as long as they are enrolled at a YCDSB school.**

Please visit their websites and arrange homestay & custodianship services directly with CHN or MLI, **prior to submitting an application to us:**

- [Canada Homestay Network](#)
- [MLI \(Muskoka Language International\)](#)

Homestay & Custodianship services must be arranged (application submitted and deposit paid) prior to submitting an online application to YCDSB. Notarized Custodianship Declarations must be uploaded within this application from both parties: (1) Parent(s) and (2) Custodian in order for your application to be deemed complete and eligible for review.

If a new custodian is appointed at any time while the student is registered in a YCDSB School, a new set of signed Custodianship documents (Parent & Custodian forms) must be submitted to the Admissions Office immediately for approval. A Custodianship change (arranged with CHN or MLI) will only be accepted at the school and Board office when both new Custodianship forms have been received by the Admissions Office for approval.

Students **living with a parent** while studying with YCDSB must upload a signed '**Waiver of Custodianship & Homestay Designation - Residing with Parent**'. Please download the waiver from our website at <https://ie.ycdsb.ca>. The form must be completed and uploaded within the TN application.

Students living with and under the custodianship of a **family member or family friend** while attending a YCDSB school must provide a '**Waiver of Custodianship & Homestay Designation - Residing with a Family Member/Family Friend**' form. The family member or family friend must be an English-speaking Canadian citizen or Permanent Resident, aged 19 years or older. Please download the waiver from our website at <https://ie.ycdsb.ca>. The form must be completed and uploaded within the TN application.