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Student Sneak Preview



**Luise from Germany (Female, age 15)
2019-2020 Academic Year Program**

Current Grade Level: 9th grade

Intended grade in U.S.: 10th grade

English Score:

Religious Affiliation: Lutheran

Profession of Parent(s): Father: Engineer

Mother: Housewife

Favorite Sports: Swimming and rollerblading

Favorite Activities: Playing piano, singing, listening to music, church youth group, reading, swimming

Age as of August 15th: 15 **Willing to live with pets:** OK

Able to live with smokers: Yes, but only if they smoke outside

Allergies: No

Special Dietary Restrictions: No

What makes you unique:

Student's Letter (Excerpt):

Dear host family,

My name is Luise, I'm 14 years old and I'm from Germany. I'm in the ninth grade of a high school with a music profile. I do not have much free time during the week because of the additional music lessons (five hours of course a week). Even at the weekend we sometimes have choir practice and concerts especially during the Christmas season. Once a week I have piano and singing lessons, which are compulsory subject at my school.

I go to the youth group of our church where we talk and have fun with a few other teenagers and the pastor. Every Sunday I go to church together with my family. I have four sisters, two are younger and two are older than me. I usually get on well with them. On the free weekends, my family sometimes does something together, for example we go to the cinema, we go swimming, skiing, skating, bouldering or something like that.

I often do something together with my friends, like watching a movie, going rollerblading, hanging out together and talking, going shopping, jumping on the trampoline or playing games. Other interest of mine are reading books (because it's exciting and I love interesting stories), cooking and baking (because it's fun and it's nice to make other people happy), and singing in a choir and playing piano.

I don't know yet what I want to become when I'm older, but my plan is to go onto a trip around the world with my best friend after graduating from high school and then study. I also could imagine living in the USA then. I chose the USA as my host country because I love English, I want to go to a country that is not in Europe and I'm very interested in American culture and history. But I also hope that I can bring people closer to my culture.

I'm really looking forward to exchange my exchanger especially to my host family. I would like to take this opportunity to thank you that you were willing to give a student a chance for year in the United States. I hope that we will get on well together and that it will be a most unforgettable year both for me and you.

Luise

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