



Host an international exchange student

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Meet Sebastian from Chile

Gender: Male
Age (at arrival): 16 years
Program length: Year

Sebastian is described as responsible, positive, optimistic and respectful. He has a strong relationship with his three older siblings that he really values. Sebastian is a friendly, curious, and hard-working student who loves learning about history and playing rugby. Because of his interest in important moments in history, Sebastian reads a lot of history books and watches documentaries. He considers himself a happy person. Sebastian is mature and adapts well to change having had to move many times because of his dad's business. His teacher describes him as cooperative and polite, too.

Service Ref : 16-00769



Meet Zhilin from China

Gender: Female
Age (at arrival): 16 years
Program length: Year

Zhilin is a warm-hearted, easy going and optimistic girl who loves listening to music, playing badminton and reading detective novels. She likes getting together with her friends, either to listen to music or to play a game of basketball. She adores her cute little brother and is very close to her family. Zhilin is active in the English club at school where they learn about new cultures. She has taken on the responsibilities as class representative which demonstrate her maturity and helpfulness. Zhilin likes cooking and is looking forward to cooking Chinese food with her AFS host family.

Service Ref : 16-01001



Meet August from Denmark

Gender: Male
Age (at arrival): 16 years
Program length: Year

Gymnastics and parkour make up August's world. He even trains at a specialized boarding school and performs on the weekends. In the summer, he goes on long hiking trips with his family. He met friends from all over the world on a ten day hike in Spain and he can't wait to take to the trail again! August is very active, practicing flips on a trampoline or heading to the city for parkour, but he also definitely enjoys some down time watching movies with friends or playing games with his family. August is looking forward to meeting his host family, learning about a new culture and sharing his!

Service Ref : 17-00228



Meet Vladislav from Russia

Gender: Male
Age (at arrival): 16
Program length: Year

Vlad is a bright outgoing and social guy who likes exploring ideas and studying with his friends and going to movies and the theater and art galleries with his family. His favorite subjects at school are history, economics, social sciences and law and he loves discussing philosophy with his father and his friends. He goes to extra courses at Moscow State University on Saturdays just to satisfy his curiosity and he and his friends compete to be best in the class! He is good fun and loves chess and roller skating with his friends but also settling in with a good book in a comfortable chair.

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Meet SIRATHEE from Thailand

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Age (at arrival): 16 years

Program length: Year

Sirathee is a kind, helpful, and generous person. He excels in school and enjoys playing basketball and badminton after class with his friends. One teacher notes that he joins every activity at school. During his free time, Sirathee likes to listen to American classic rock or classical music and read about Greek and Norse mythology as well as other folktale legends. He is also a big fan of Japanese Anime films because he loves the beautiful artwork of these movies. Sirathee, who is described as gentle, responsible, patient, hardworking and self-aware, hopes to become a pharmacist one day.

Service Ref : 16-03622

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