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Student Information and Letters

Student's FIRST (GIVEN)

Name:

Henriette

What is the name of your

Home Country Representative?

Germany

Home Country:

Germany

Gender:

Female

Age upon Arrival in the United

States:

15

Preferred Grade of

Enrollment:

10th Grade (Sophomore)

*Student is NOT guaranteed enrollment in the grade of his/her choice. This decision is at the sole discretion of the school.

Program Length:

Academic Year (August-June)

Do you have any brothers and/or sisters?

Yes

Please list the number of siblings and their ages.

	How Many?	Ages
Brothers	0	
Sisters	2	17,19

Do you have a religious affiliation?

Yes

Please list your religious affiliation below.

protestant

How often do you participate in religious activities?

Once a week

What subjects would be interested in enrolling in at your American high school? Please note that OCEAN cannot guarantee your enrollment in a particular class. This will be decided by the high school and depend on availability.)

Band Biology English Geometry U.S. History Choir World History spanish

Do you have any professional/career goals?

Not yet

Please list 3 reasons why you would like to become an international exchange student:

Reason #1:	want to visit America and get to know a new culture
Reason #2:	want to meet new people in America
Reason #3:	want to improve my English
Have you ever participated in a student exchange program before?	Yes
If yes, please explain:	I have been in France for 6 month in the 4th grade.

SPORTING/ATHLETIC ACTIVITIES: Please select any sporting activities in which you participate by choosing how often you participate in this activity from the dropdown list.

Dance/Other	Often (Once or Twice a Week)
Tennis	Occasionally (Once or Twice a Month)

OTHER ACTIVITIES: Please select any of the following activities in which you participate by choosing how often you participate in this activity from the dropdown list.

Baking	Occasionally (Once or Twice a Month)
Cooking	Occasionally (Once or Twice a Month)
Singing/Choir	Often (Once or Twice a Week)
Do you play a musical instrument?	Yes
Which instrument(s) do you play?	Flute Piano

Do you have any pets at home?

No

Are you allergic to any pets?

No

Do you have any other allergies (food, pollen, medications, etc.)?

No

Do you have any special dietary practices or needs? (For example, vegetarian, gluten-free, no pork, etc.)

No

Can you adjust to a home where one or more members of your family smoke?

Only if they smoke outdoors

Are you willing to be placed in a single parent home where there are no other host siblings? No

How long have you been studying English?

5 years

Please type a letter to your potential host family providing detailed information about your hobbies, interests and favorite activities. Be sure to explain what you hope to gain by participating in the exchange program and what you would like to share with your host family. Please do NOT include your last name, city of residence, address, contact information, date of birth, etc.

Dear hostfamily,

my name is Henriette and I'm 14 years old. I'm going into 9th grade of a highschool. In my freetime I love to do music. I've been playing the flute for 4 years and the piano for 6 years. Also I'm joining our school-choir. Around the year we have several concerts. Always a lot of fun. Besides music I love to do sport. I'm part of a danceteam. Especially in the carneval-season (for us the 5th season) we have a lot of performances with big ordiances. It's always exciting getting ready for those peformances with all the costumes, make up and lots of glitter. Also I'm part of a canuing club. Althoug I used to do it much more last year, I still enjoy going on to the water. As you can see I'm a good teamplayer and get along with a lot of people. In my freetime I like to hang out with friends or just stay at home and have a day to relax. I really looking forward to my year abroad because I always wanted to go to America and visit the life of a high school. I would hope to have an unforgattable time in America and I would love to meet a new family from another country.

I hope to see you soon! Henriette Please type a letter to your child's potential host family, describing his/her personality, interests, daily activities, etc. Please do NOT include your last name or your child's last name, city of residence, address, contact information, date of birth, etc.

Dear family,

our daughter Henriette is a young joyfull and open minded girl. She goes into 9th grade and likes to meet up with her friends. In her free time Henriette likes doing music. She plays the flute and the piano, sings in a school choir and is also very interested in modern music. Besides music she also does different kinds of sports like dancing, canuing, sometimes tennis or going for a run. In the household Henriette is very activ in the kitchen. She likes to cook and to make cakes, although we sometimes disagree on who has to clean it up;-). As you can see Henriette is interested in multiple kinds of activities. She is a helpfull person and always cares about the well being of others. Although Henriette is a selfconfident girl she has a sentimental side and sometimes struggles with herself because the opion of others about herself has a high meaning for her.

I hope that Henriette fits into your family and that you will have a joyfull year together.

Do you certify that the information included in this application is true and correct to the best of your ability?

Yes

Date

09-09-2019