



## Host a student

ID: 190568

PAX ID: STE01817

First Name: **Louisa**  
Sex: **female**  
Age upon arrival: **16**  
Country of Residence/Nationality: **Germany / German**  
School Type/ GPA / School Grade While in U.S.: **Public School / B / 11**  
Graduated: **no**  
Program Year: **August 2017 - June 2018**  
Allergies:  
Native Language / Other Languages: **German / French, English**  
English Study: **ELTIS: 238**  
Requested Courses: **English Language, French Language, U.S. History**  
Religion/ Practicing: **-- none -- / never**



## Comments

## Hobbies, Interests, and Activities

Climbing, Gymnastics, Dance, Skiing (Downhill), Playing Musical Instrument(s), Pets, Surfing

## Family Background

Mother, 42, occupational therapist  
Father, 64, social pedagogue  
Other/Legal Guardian, 68, Retiree  
Brother (13)

## Student Letter

Dear host family,

First of all I am very grateful that I have the chance to live one year in America. I am looking forward to trying new things and to learn more about the american culture.

In this letter I want to tell you more about myself, my family and my hobbies.

I am Louisa and I am 16 years old. Since two years ago I live with my dad in a big city in northern Germany. I was born there but when I was 4 years old we moved to a small village. When I was 8 years old my dad moved out and I lived with my mom, my brother and our two cats in the village. When I was 14 years old I decided to live with my dad in the big city but I see my mother, my brother and my cats every second weekend. I don't know my dad's parents because they died before I was born but I am in close contact with the parents of my mom. We often visit each other and in the holidays we often drive away. Since I am 5 years old we drive every year to Austria for skiing and snowboarding. We also flew to Spain, Greece and Turkey to go on vacations. I love to travel and see the world. With my mother we went a few times to France and Denmark for surfing there. And with my father we go rock climbing every year since I was 3 years old. That's my passion and my biggest hobby.

Beside climbing, surfing and skiing I love to do gymnastics and dancing. Additionally I went horseback riding for a few years and I played the violin and the drums. I love to try out new things.

My friends and family say that I am an open-minded, friendly and honest person. I am patient and I always think positive.

I love animals so I am vegetarian and in the future I perhaps will become a veterinarian.

I attend the 10th grade of a school close to the place where I live. My favorite subjects in school are English and German. I like French too. I am generally interested in languages and that's also a reason why I want to do an exchange year, to improve my english. I also think this is a great opportunity to meet new people, get to know the "American way of life" and just to have a great experience that I will never forget.

I hope this letter shows you my life and I would be very happy to be a new member of your family.

Kind regards,

Louisa

**If you would like to host Louisa, please contact your Local Coordinator or our organization.**