

"Gray is a lovely, polite, well spoken student. He is very down to earth and has a genuine interest in learning more about Swedish culture and nature."

## Lär känna Gray

Gray är född 2008 och kommer från Nya Zeeland. Han kommer i augusti 2024 och stannar under höstterminen. Intressen är bl. a volleyboll, teckna/måla, djur och musik. Hans favoritämnen i skolan är geografi, digital teknologi och biologi.

Hi, My name is Gray. I am 16 years old. My main hobbies are drawing and other art related activities. I spend most of my free time drawing, either digitally or traditionally. I have a lot of fun trying new crafts, like sewing, crocheting, and painting. I am also very interested in designing things, especially characters or creatures. I have a big interest in fossils, and also pokemon. I enjoy playing the pokemon games and collecting the cards. I find the design part of pokemon super interesting. I have also hunted for and collected fossils for quite a few years and have been interested in dinosaurs and prehistoric creatures since I was young. I enjoy being out in nature too, and like most bugs and lots of animals.

At school my favourite subjects are Geography, Digital technologies and Science. I especially like Biology, as I am a big fan of animals and I find the genetics and behaviour of animals fascinating. I really enjoy Geography as its interesting to see how different things affect others. Digi Tech is fun because we get to work on our own projects, and i'm making a game this year for it. This year I have started Volleyball which I really enjoy doing. I would love to continue Volleyball in Sweden, as it is something im really interested and engaged in. I have wanted to do it for a while so I am glad I got to start this year. I have also participated in a few other sports, like Underwater Hockey and Orienteering. I enjoy casual bike rides as I get to see lots of things, and have gone on a few roadtrips around NZ with my family.

I have an older sister who is 21, and doesnt live at home, so I am used to having an older sibling, but also used to being an only child. We have a black cat, whose name is Loki. We have owned lots of pets before, like chickens, fish, and other cats. We still have one fish, an angelfish called Iso. I am very creative, and I also like making jokes. I know lots of things about New Zealand and different animals, and I love to talk about my interests.

I would like to go to Sweden because I have always been interested in learning a new language, and I learn best through immersion. I am also very interested in the Swedish wildlife, and I have loved wolves since I was a little kid.

Looking forward to meeting you,

From Gray

