

"Clara is a highly accomplished figure skater. She works very hard and is dedicated to her goals."

Lär känna Clara

Clara är född 2008 och kommer från USA. Hon kommer i augusti 2024 och stannar under en termin. Intressen är bl. a konståkning, cykling, filmer och matlagning. Hennes favoritämnen i skolan är engelska och vetenskap.

Hello,

I'm Clara! I'm so happy to be able to have this opportunity to study abroad, I can't wait to go! I've lived in a small city in the northwest of the USA all my life. I live in an area full of small businesses and local restaurants. Something about me is that I love trying new foods, I'd consider myself a foodie. I also like seeing new places. I am all about learning about other countries around the world, along with the culture that comes with it. I'm really looking forward to finally being able to leave the U.S.

I have been figure skating since I was 7. I love the physical aspect of it, but also the art and gracefulness that comes with it. In my free time I enjoy watching a good movie or t.v show. I like hanging out with friends, whether it be shopping or getting boba tea. I often go on walks to the park with my 9 year old brother, Joe. I'm all for adventures and exploring too! I spend time cuddling with my cats, named Espen and Ame. They are considered blue and white, but most people think they're just gray and white. I also play with my dogs. I enjoy going shopping with my mom. Oh, and I bake from time to time too.

I feel like I'm always laughing with my friends and family. I love incorporating comedy into everyday life. I think that laughing with the people around me is one of my favorite things to do. I think I'd consider myself a pretty silly person. I'd also describe myself as empathetic, and caring.

Ever since I was little I've held an interest in different languages. I think I first heard Swedish on a t.v show, something about it was really fascinating to me. That's when I knew I wanted to learn Swedish. After that I started researching Sweden. I followed an instagram account that would show food, scenery, events, and all sorts of stuff around Sweden. I've also always wanted to know what life is like in another country, so when I heard that studying abroad was an option I absolutely fell in love with the idea of experiencing it firsthand. What I'm wanting to gain from my semester abroad is the experience of what it's like to live in Sweden, to immerse myself in the culture around me, and hopefully learn the language! (my Swedish isn't very good right now, but I know the basics).

I'm really looking forward to being able to get to know my host family. I'm hoping I could learn some Swedish food recipes, and I could make some recipes I know too. Maybe we could go out and do a fun activity, or stay in and watch a movie. Anything else that they enjoy doing and want to share with me sounds amazing.

Once again I'm really excited for the whole experience. I am so grateful to have this opportunity, and for a family to welcome me into their home. I'm so excited to see what the future holds!

Best,
Clara



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