

"Mathis is responsible, reliable and motivated. He has been on an exchange with a partner school in China."

Lär känna Mathis

Mathis är född 2009 och kommer från Tyskland. Han kommer i augusti 2026 och stannar under ett läsår. Intressen är bl. a videospel, historia och språk.

Hej jeg heter Mathis.

I am sixteen years old and I live in Germany with my family. I have a mother, a father, and two siblings. My older brother's name is Moritz, he is eighteen years old, and my younger sister Marlene is twelve years old. We also have a dog called Mari.

The reason I want to do a gap year is that I think it is a memory for the whole life and I can learn many new things. On the other side, I want to experience how it feels to live in another part of the world, and I want to know how it feels to be away from home for such a long while. The reason I picked Sweden for my gap year is that I think it is a beautiful country with kind people, and I also heard that the people feel very lucky there.

For my time in Sweden, I hope I can find some friends and learn things for my whole life and at all to have a great time there.

In my free time, I like to see friends of mine or to play video games together with them or alone. I also am a member in a sports shooting club with one of my friends and a lot of old people.

Last June, I went on a school trip to China which was all in all phenomenal. We were there for just two weeks but it felt like eternity, because I experienced so many things. It is a really cool feeling to be in a totally different society and still to feel that you are on earth. I also traveled a lot inside Europe. I visited already Spain, Italy, France, Belgium, Austria, Switzerland, Norway, and Denmark.

I would say about myself that I am a picky eater, I don't like eating vegetables excluding potatoes and I also don't like eating fruit. In my opinion, my English is pretty good, probably over average level compared to the average German. Actually, I am learning Swedish on Duolingo and till then I can say a few things, ideally even have basic conversations.

I would be very glad to stay at a nice family which fits me. Optimally a family with kids like I am used to it. I am already very excited.

Yours,
Mathis

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