

Dear host, dear family

My name is Victor Dessombs, I will be 17 years old in July, and I live in the city of Mamers with my parents.

My brother and sister are older and each live in their own house. I became an uncle just 3 months ago, my brother has just become a father, and my niece is named Hortense.

I am currently in high school, in the first year, and will be taking my French baccalaureate exams at the end of the school year, so I have a lot of homework.

I am a sociable person and have a good group of friends with whom I get along very well. In my small town, I play handball, a sport that is dear to me and that I started when I was 10 years old. I love sports; I go to the gym 3 times a week, and I have practiced tennis, table tennis, volleyball, and football. I also play the guitar, which I have been doing for 3 years at a music school.

During my free time, I love hanging out with my friends; we have parties and go on vacations together. We often go to Le Mans, where the legendary 24 Hours of Le Mans race takes place. The city is located 30 minutes from Mamers, which is convenient. We attend this race every year, and last year, there was Le Mans Classic, a trip back in time with vintage cars.

For the past 2 years, I have been going on language trips to improve my language skills.

Two years ago, I spent 3 weeks in England during the summer, staying with a family; the experience was great! I then went to Germany for 2 months, staying with a family and attending a German high school. My German correspondent later came to live with us for 2 months. We are still in touch, and we try to see each other during the holidays.

I would love to go on this trip because it would be an incredible experience for me to go to the United States; discovering the West Coast of this country would be a dream. Being welcomed into your family will allow me to discover the American way of life by immersing myself in your daily life. I really want to discover your country, your traditions; that's all I want. As I said, I have already been on a language trip, so I am not afraid to explore new horizons. I am sociable, curious, and easy to live with. We just have to live together a wonderful human adventure.

Hope to see you soon.

Victor