



Would describe yourself as:

- Timid
 Sociable
 Independent
 Athletic

- Intellectual
 Artistic
 Neat
 Studious

- Patient
 Energetic
 Affectionate
 Witty

- Talkative
 Quiet
 Mature
 Other: _____

Check one box for the activities you enjoy, and check two boxes for your favorite activities:

- Fishing
 Sailing
 Water Sports
 Jogging/Running
 Tennis
 Golf
 Horseback Riding
 Soccer
 Basketball
 Volleyball
 Musical Instrument (which do you play): _____

- Bicycling
 Hiking
 Camping
 Cooking
 Shopping
 Reading
 Photography
 Computers
 Video Games
 Museums

- Movies
 Theater
 Dance
 Painting/Drawing
 Baseball
 Swimming
 Skateboarding/Rollerblading
 Boy Scout/Girl Scout
 Other: _____
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(Beginner Intermediate Advanced)

What is your religious affiliation, if any: _____ = NON-PRACTICING CATHOLIC

Would you accept to go to religious service with your host family? Yes

In theory no, but I'm okay to try (*it will not be mandatory but it usually is an important part of the American family life*)

Dear family,

My name is Ander and I'm 16 years old. I live in a town near San Sebastian called Azpeitia. I'm a talkative, funny, friendly and happy guy that enjoys almost any activity. My favorite things are: playing soccer, hanging out with my friends, playing video games and going to the beach. I play on a soccer team that's called IKASBERRI K.E and last season we won the spring cup.

In my town we have a lot of stuff such as: gyms, pools, parks... But we also lack things that the big cities have, but that isn't a problem because San Sebastian (the nearest city) is 30 minutes away. I've lived here my whole life. My family, friends, school... are all here and I live very happily.

I live with my 2 parents and my sister. My father's called Iñigo and he's 55 years old, my mother's called Leire and she's 52 years old and my sister's called Miren, she's 21 and she has autism.

I spend a lot of time with my family. I eat with them, I watch movies and series with them, I watch soccer with them... I have a very good relationship with them. I also have a lot of friends. There are 15 people in my friend group and we do all sorts of things together. We hang out around the city together, we eat dinner together every Saturday, we watch soccer together, we play video games together...

I'm in "*Primero de Bachillerato*" which is the equivalent of Junior Year in the USA. I enjoy school and have a great relationship with people from my class. I plan on going to university and studying computer engineering. I have always liked things that are related to technology.

I do my fair share of work at home. I set the table, do my bed, take out the trash, help clean the house... But my main job is studying and getting good grades. At school, I'm the technology manager of my class. If there's a computer problem I'm the one that fixes it or if it's too difficult to fix, I'm the one in charge of telling the principal.

I've always wanted to go to the USA. I feel like the culture and lifestyle are very cool and different from mine, and I want to experience it with a local

family so I can enjoy it as much as I can. I also want to improve my English, so I believe living with a local family can help me a lot.

I also want to take the opportunity to thank you. It goes without saying that I'm very grateful for everything that you will do for me and I hope that we'll get along well and enjoy each other's company.

See you in summer!

Ander.



ME AND MY FAMILY ON VACATION IN CADIZ, SPAIN



ME AND MY TEAM WHEN WE WON THE SOCCER SPRING CUP



ME AND MY FRIENDS ON THE EIFFEL TOWER ON THE END OF SCHOOL-YEAR TRIP



ME AND MY FRIENDS DRESSED IN SUITS FOR CARNIVALS



ME AND MY FATHER SEEING OUR LOCAL SOCCER TEAM



ME AND MY MOTHER SPENDING THE DAY IN SAN SEBASTIAN,
SPAIN