

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: SKIING
 - Other: _____
- (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)

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Dear Family,

My name is Àneu and I am 16 years old. I live in Alcarràs, a town close to the city of Lleida in Spain. I am a friendly, responsible and curious person. I like meeting new people, although at first I might be a bit shy. I'm also a cheerful person, I'm constantly laughing at everything and it's a part of my personality that I love because I think that I live my life with more enthusiasm.

In my free time I enjoy doing sports, like dancing or skiing, listening to music and spending time with my friends and family. I also love traveling when I have the opportunity and go shopping with my friends. I am an active person and I enjoy doing different activities.

My family is very important to me. I live with my parents and I don't have any siblings. We have a very close relationship and we like to spend time together. During the week we usually have dinner together and talk about our day. With my dad, I often watch football games, and with my mom we sometimes cook or talk about different things. I am also very close to my grandparents, uncles and cousins.

I study at a secondary school in Lleida. My school is quite small and we all get along really well. I've changed schools this year and luckily I've made a lot of friendships that I'm going to keep forever.

The community where I live is friendly and safe, we all know each other. Alcarràs is not as big as Lleida and it doesn't have many things to do, but during the weekends, with my friends, we go to the football field, to some bars or we just meet in the street. I have a good group of friends and we often meet to talk about everything and spend time together. It is a mixed group and each one of them is really special to me.

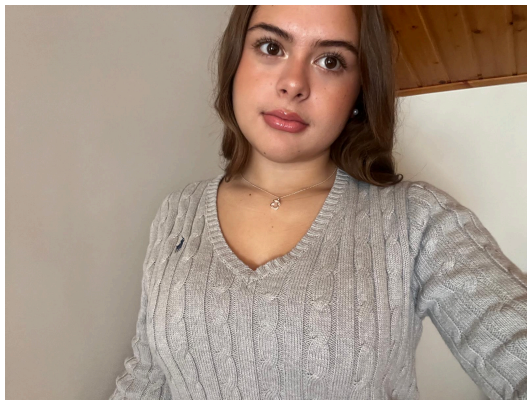
In the future I would like to study at university and become a teacher, because I love teaching kids and sharing my knowledge with them. I have always wanted to become a teacher and I don't think that will change.

At home I help with different responsibilities such as keeping my room clean, helping with meals and sometimes taking care of small tasks around the house. At school I try to be responsible with my homework and respectful with teachers and classmates.

I would really love to go to the United States because I want to improve my English, learn about American culture and experience everyday life in another country. Living with a host family is very important to me because I believe it is the best way to understand the culture and create meaningful relationships.

Thank you very much for giving me the opportunity to stay with you and become part of your family. I am very grateful and excited to meet you and share this experience together.

Àneu.



These are some pictures of myself. I love taking pictures at different places, especially when I travel, to keep the memory of me being at that place.

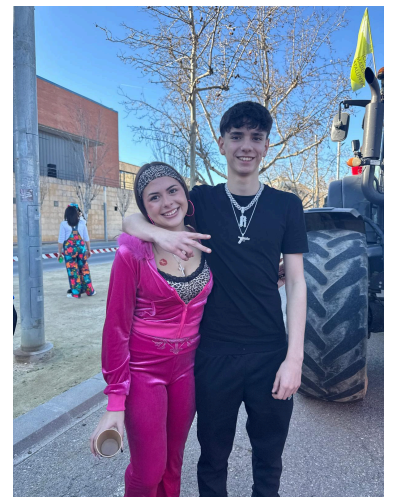




All of these pictures are photos of my friends. The photo of a big group is my closest friends, the ones I meet every week. The photo where I'm alone with a girl, was taken at my graduation, and that girl is my best friend, Tea. In the other photos, appear my dance friends and other friends that are really special for me.



These girls are also my friends, but are those friends that I've met this year at school, and we've built a really close relationship.



These are some photos of my family, in the first one I appear with my parents, in the other one with all my dad's family and in the last one I appear with my cousin.

