



# MAEL

FRANCE | MALE | 16 YEARS OLD

**Interests/Hobbies:** Listening to Music, Video Games, Photography, Programming, Science

**Sports:** Climbing, Handball, Judo, Skiing

**Languages:** French (Native), English (Good / 6 years studied), German (Poor / 6 years studied)

**Family:** Dad (CEO), mom (marketing director), sister (15), sister (13)

## PROGRAM

**Arrival:**

August 2021

**Age on Arrival:**

17

**Duration:**

Academic Year

**Student ID:**

AY21FR27-11

**Allergies/Special Diet:**

None / No

**Religion:**

Catholicism

## Student Letter

Hello! My name is Maël, and I am a 16-year-old French student. I really like discovering new stuff and trying out different things to do. I also like to read and play video games, mostly fantasy books, and MMORPGs for the games (Your character evolves in a persistent multiplayer world). I want to take it to the next step and have big changes in my life. So that is why we (my parents and I) wanted to do this year as an exchange student! I am a very curious but a bit introverted person. I love to share what I know with others as well as learn from them, but I have a hard time going toward people by myself, and this will be one of my hardest challenges, even though once the conversation has started it goes well.

I love to spend time with my friends and family. I play video games and study in my free time. When winter comes, we often go skiing with my sisters and parents, and when we have more time on the week-ends, we sometimes go on trips to discover new towns or regions that we haven't yet gone to. We also take advantage of being in a different environment to try out new activities, like climbing, or sand yachting, along with visiting the famous monuments and points of interest around us. All of that to say that I am really looking forward to discovering and enjoying this new country that I hope to call home for a year! In hopes of meeting you soon, have a wonderful day!



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