



ALVARO

SPAIN | MALE | 14 YEARS OLD

Interests/Hobbies: Viola, piano, drums, watching NBA games

Sports: Basketball, tennis, sailing and ski

Languages: Spanish (Native), French (Poor / 3 years studied), Catalan (Excellent / 11 years studied), German (Poor / 4 years studied), English (Excellent / 12 years studied)

Family: mom (Agricultural Engineer), Dad (Military)

PROGRAM

Arrival:

August 2023

Age on Arrival:

15

Duration:

Academic Year

Student ID:

AY23ES13-10

Allergies/Special Diet:

No

Religion:

Catholic

Student Letter

My name is Alvaro and I'm from Spain. I live with my parents, I don't have brothers or sisters and I don't have pets. I love animals, but we can't have a dog because most of the time we are not home.

We live far from the rest of my family so for Christmas holidays we always travel to see them. We spend both Christmas and New Year with them and then, when we return home, we have the Three Magic Kings which is something similar to Santa Claus and is the biggest celebration for kids in Spain, bigger than Christmas.

Me and my parents practice sports every day. My favorite sport is basketball but I also do sailing and play tennis, and my parents' favorite sport is paddle tennis.

For me, having the chance to go to the USA is great because I've never been outside of Spain and most of my friends have, I also have some American friends and they have told me about differences between Spain and the USA. I also watch videos on the internet about different characteristics of different countries and I would like to see them in real life.

In this experience, I expect to have fun, learn about American life, speak English more fluently, and play basketball on the school team.



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