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**ERBUNGSFORMULAR 2024
APPLICATION FORM 2024**

**PLEASE (Bitte nicht handschriftlich ausfüllen)
PDF-Reader benutzen und auf Englisch ausfüllen)**

First name (Vorname)

Middle name (2. Vorname)

Nele

(bei mehr als einem Vornamen auch den zweiten Vornamen angeben, weitere Vornamen entfallen)



More Host Families Needed!!!!

We are still seeking a host family for this German student! If you would like to host him/her, please check with your parents first, then **call/text/WhatsApp message Krista Winzer-Lee at 330-618-6127 AS SOON AS POSSIBLE!!**

Those Germans who are not paired off by **Saturday, February 10th** will not be able to come to America this spring!!

1. Students who do not take German are also allowed to host Germans.
2. If you are flying somewhere over spring break, the German parents are usually more than willing to pay the airfare. (We would contact them to confirm this.)
3. You can print a "Host Only" or "Full" application form off our website: www.friendshipconnection.org (Under the link "Forms.")

The Germans will be visiting from:
March 19th – April 9th, 2024

Important medical and dietary information (Wichtige gesundheitliche Angaben, die die Gastgeber wissen sollten, z.B. Allergien, Medikamente, Körperbehinderungen etc. Nur wenn akute Erkrankung vorliegt angeben!! 75% der amerikanischen Familien haben Haustiere! Bitte hier auch Ernährungsbesonderheiten angeben, wie z.B. Veganer, Laktoseunverträglichkeit etc.):

The "Friendship Connection" is a genuine "home and home" exchange program and we assume that the majority of participants will travel in the spring and be able to host their US partner in the summer! Please check the type of participant below. (Die Friendship Connection ist ein Schüleraustausch, der auf Gegenseitigkeit angelegt ist und wir gehen davon aus, dass die überwiegende Mehrheit der deutschen TeilnehmerInnen im Frühjahr ihren PartnerInnen im Sommer aufnimmt. Bitte wählen Sie die gewünschte Art des Austausches und den Status durch Ankreuzen aus. Bitte beachten Sie unbedingt, dass sich bei Nichtaufnahme des Partners/der Partnerin im Sommer die Vermittlungschance extrem reduziert):

- Traveling in spring and hosting in summer. (Reise im Frühjahr und Aufnahme im Sommer)
 Traveling in spring not hosting in summer. (Teilnahme im Frühjahr, keine Aufnahme im Sommer)
 Erstmalige Teilnahme am Programm der FC oder "Wiederholer" mit Wunsch nach neuer Partnerschaft (First time signing up for FC program)
 Erneute Bewerbung, da beim letzten Mal kein Partner/keine Partnerin gefunden werden konnte (pair with priority)
 "Wiederholer" am FC oder Virtual FC Programm mit gleichem Partner/Partnerin. Name amerik. Partner/Partnerin: _____

Student Biography – to be exchanged with your partner (Schülerbiographie – zum Austausch mit dem Partner/der Partnerin)

NO HANDWRITING PLEASE (Bitte nicht handschriftlich ausfüllen: Adobe® PDF-Reader benutzen und auf Englisch ausfüllen)

Write thoroughly and do not attach extra pages or pictures! (Bitte sorgfältig ausfüllen und keine zusätzlichen Seiten oder Bilder hinzufügen!)

First names and ages of siblings (Vorname u. Alter der Geschwister – keine Nachnamen!)

Religious Affiliation
protestant

(optional/freiwillig)

1. Have you ever lived or travelled outside your country? Yes No If yes, describe where!
(Warst du schon einmal im Ausland?)
(Wenn ja, beschreibe wo!)

I've never lived outside of Germany, but I've visited many other countries before. So far I've been to Austria, Croatia, Spain, Greece and the Netherlands. In Spain I mainly visited the islands of Mallorca and Tenerife. In Greece I visited the Islands of Kos, Rhodes and Crete.

2. Describe your community and surrounding area, including sightseeing possibilities, museums etc. which might interest a visitor.
(Beschreibe deinen Wohnort und Umgebung, Ausflugsmöglichkeiten, Museen usw., die einen Besucher interessieren könnten.)

I live in Holzhausen, a village about 20 minutes from Kassel. There's not really much you can do here other than meeting with your friends, walking through the fields or forest, picnicking or watching the sunset from the fields. But there's a lot you can do in the surrounding areas such as Kassel. In Kassel there is a natural history museum, a state theater, two cinemas and many beautiful parks such as the Bergpark where the Hercules statue is located or the Karlsaue State Park where the Orangerie (a small castle) is located. You can also go shopping in Kassel, there are many different stores and two shopping centers. In the surrounding area there is also the Sababurg and the Sababurg Zoo with many different animals. There are many swimming pools and outdoor pools throughout the area.

3. What subjects do you like in school? For what reasons? What profession or occupation are you considering? For what reasons?
(Welche Fächer gefallen dir in der Schule? Aus welchen Gründen? Welchen Beruf möchtest du ergreifen oder in welchem Bereich möchtest du arbeiten? - Bitte diese Frage auf jeden Fall beantworten!!)

My favorite subjects are English, Biology and History. I really enjoy learning and speaking English. History in my opinion is just very interesting. And I also really like Biology, I think it's such an interesting and fascinating subject. I particularly like the topics that concern the human body, which is why I would most likely consider a medical career as a surgeon. I'm still open minded about the specific specialty. I personally think that being a surgeon is a fascinating and amazing job. I watched a lot of documentaries and shows and I'm always so mesmerized by their work.

4. List your favorite activities, hobbies, and ways you occupy your free time.
(Nenne deine Lieblingsbeschäftigungen, Hobbys und bevorzugte Freizeitaktivitäten. Welche Musikhörst du? Welche Sportart/en betreibst du?
Bitte sehr ausführlich beantworten!!)

I occupy my free time by hanging out with my friends, reading, dancing and listening to music. Most of the time me and my friends are hanging out outside, we mainly just walk around or search a place where we can sit down and hang out. We listen to music, talk and just have fun. Sometimes we also go out for dinner or go shopping. I also love to dance, I dance a specific dance style here in Germany called "Garde", but I also really like hip hop. At home I sometimes learn little choreographies that I've seen on TikTok or YouTube for example. When I'm reading I mostly read some kind of romance or crime novels. I read a lot of recommendations from people on social media. I don't really have a specific taste in music, I would say it's a mix of everything because I listen to many different genres and artists. But pop, rap and hip hop are probably the ones I listen to the most. My favorite artists are Harry Styles and Taylor Swift, but I also listen to a lot of 50 Cent, Jay-Z, Eminem and many more. I'm really open minded about music and don't commit myself to one kind of music.

5. Do you have pets in your home? Yes No
(Haben Sie Haustiere in Ihrem Haus/Ihrer Wohnung?) How many and
what kind of pets?
(Wie viele und
was für welche?)

Die deutschen Schüler leiten dieses Formular über Ihre Kontaktlehrkraft weiter an THE FRIENDSHIP CONNECTION INC.