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BEWERBUNGSFORMULAR 2026
APPLICATION FORM 2026

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First name (Vorname)

Middle name (2. Vorname)

Lilly

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

Grade (Klasse):

11WT

Date of Birth:

30.July.2008

month / day / year (Monat als Wort schreiben)



More Host Families Needed!

We are still seeking a host family for this German applicant!

If you would like to host him/her, first check with your parents,
then **call/text/WhatsApp message Krista Winzer-Lee**
at 330-618-6127 as soon as possible!

Those Germans who do not have an American partner by **Monday, February 16th**
will not be able to come to America this spring!

- ✓ There is still time to sign up as a "Full" participant if you are in German II! Meaning you can host in the spring and go to Germany in the summer.
- ✓ Students who are not taking German are also allowed to host in the spring!
- ✓ If you are going on a spring break trip during this time, the German parents are usually willing to pay for their child to join you! (We would call them to confirm.)
- ✓ If you don't see a good match online (similar age, interests and hobbies) please call! We have other profiles that are not online!
- ✓ You can print a "Host Only" or a "Full" participant application form off our website: www.friendshipconnection.org under the link "Forms."

The German guests will be visiting from:
March 23rd – April 15th, 2026!

Important medical and dietary information (Wichtige gesundheitliche Angaben, die die Gastgeber wissen sollten, z.B. Allergien, Medikamente, Körperbehinderungen etc. Nur wenn eine 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 to 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 participation 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 Partner/ihre Partnerin 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)

- ☐ Erneute Bewerbung, da beim letzten Mal kein Partner/keine Partnerin gefunden werden konnte (pair with priority)
☐ "Wiederholer" am FC Programm (nur möglich mit gleichem Partner/Partnerin) Name amerik, Partner/Partnerin: _____

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

I have a twin brother called Tom
who is seventeen aswell

(optional/freiwilling)

1. Have you ever lived or travelled outside your country? Yes ☒ No ☐ If yes, describe where! (Wenn ja, beschreibe wo!)

Me and my family have been travelling to Spain every summer since 2016. I love swimming in the ocean and I enjoy the warm weather. We often go on vacation to other countries aswell like Italy, France, Poland, Austria, Turkey and Czechia since my parents are czech. I really like getting to know different cultures and getting to see new places all around the world.

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 a village called Kombach between two towns Marburg and Biedenkopf. My village is surrounded by nature and I live close to a small forest. My family and my aunt, uncle, cousins and grandparents live right next to each other. My dad is really into gardening and therefore we have a big, beautiful garden. My parents are into decorating aswell, so we always have a lot of seasonal decorations. In Marburg there are a lot of sights like the castle, the Phillips university, the old and new botanical garden, the river Lahn and the Marburg art&culture history museum. In Biedenkopf, which is a bit closer to me, my school is located. There's a castle in Biedenkopf aswell and a beautiful old town. There are a lot of traditional festivities where im from, which a lot of young people attend aswell. Every 7 years theres a festival called „Grenzgang“ where almost everyone in the region walks the town borde of Biedenkopf, eat delicious food and spend time together. This festival is next year again actually, when you will be here.

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!!)

I'm in the Fachoberschule right now which will enable me to go to college in two years. This includes an internship at a company called „Pracht“ which produces lights for other big firms and sells charging devices for electric cars. At my internship I get a real experience in the job market. I help organise company celebrations, designing marketing products and at the moment I'm in the data management department. I translate data for our online website. In school I enjoy subjects like P.E, Physics, Art and English. Im a very athletic person. I play handball in a team, I enjoy snowboarding and ice skating and in my free time I go to the gym a lot. Im also very interested in space and therefore in astro-physics. English is a very important language to me since I watch almost every show and read a lot of books in English. I would like to work in a company in the future where I get to live out all my interests and have a varied job.

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

As I already mentioned I'm into sports. In the winter time I go snowboarding and ice skating every weekend. My parents are very sporty aswell and therefore I've grown up being very active and always trying new sports. I've been ice skating since I turned three. I often hang out with my close friends. We do activities like going to the cinema, to nice restaurants or just spending time together outside. With my handball team I have matches almost every weekend. I'm the goalkeeper but sometimes I also play on the field. This year I got my motorcycle drivers license. I enjoy the feeling of riding on my own motorcycle which my friends call „oreo“ (because its black and white). My dad motivated me to start riding a motorcycle since we have a lot of motorcycles and he drives one since he's been 16. Since I got my license me and my dad go on biking trips every other weekend, which is a lot of fun. One thing I also enjoy is cooking with my bestfriend. We often meet up and cook new recipes together like tacos, cinnamon rolls or halloween themed pizza.

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 Kontaktelehrkraft weiter an THE FRIENDSHIP CONNECTION INC.
Bei Fragen wenden Sie sich immer zuerst an Ihre Schulkontaktelehrkraft. Weitergehende Fragen können Sie an Olaf Mann (Kontaktelehrkraft der deutschen Schulen)