



Linag-Chu (Brighten) aus Taiwan

Alter bei Ankunft: 16Jahre

Programmlänge: 10 Monate

Hobbies: Ferngesteuerte Autos, Photographien, Reisen, Klarinette, Klavier, Geschichte & Kultur, Wandern, Fahrradfahren, Badminton

Allergien: keine

Vegetarier: nein

Dear Host Family,

I am a student from Taiwan, and I have a strong curiosity about different cultures, especially German culture and lifestyle. I have always been interested in German car brands like Audi, Porsche, BMW, and Benz. That's why I once discussed planning a self-guided trip to Germany with my dad, including a visit to the Benz Museum to see these amazing cars in person.

My family consists of my father, grandparents, maternal grandparents and I. My mom passed away from cancer over three years ago.

Music and RC cars are two of my interests. I have been learning the piano for ten years and the clarinet for seven years. I also joined a music composition club because I enjoy playing music. As for RC cars, they are my favorite sport. Not only do I love racing them, but I also plan to participate in the TITC RC car competition in Thailand this February. Through this hobby, I've had the chance to meet people from all over the world and gain insight into different cultures.

I have experience planning and completing a self-guided trip to Japan, which taught me how to be independent and adapt to new environments. Additionally, I joined the Outward Bound Taiwan self-challenge program. During this one-week experience, I had to work with a group of strangers to complete rope climbing and other team activities. It was a great challenge, but I learned a lot about teamwork, trust, and pushing my limits.

Becoming an exchange student has always been a dream of mine. I hope to live with a host family in Germany, share Taiwanese culture with them—maybe even teach them how to make oyster omelets—and experience daily life in Germany. I also want to participate in local RC car competitions and challenge myself to pass the Goethe Institute German B1 exam. Although language might be a challenge at first, I believe that with effort and the help of English, I will gradually overcome it.

My family, teachers, and friends all support my decision to become an exchange student, which gives me even more confidence to take on this adventure. Through this experience, I hope to broaden my horizons, meet people from different backgrounds, and introduce



Taiwan's culture to others. In the future, I also want to take my family on a trip to Germany and maybe even travel around the world. This journey will help me become more independent and better prepared for my future university life!

Sincerely,

Brighten



