



## Oscar aus Mexiko

**Alter bei Ankunft:** 17 Jahre

**Programmlänge:** 10 Monate

**Hobbies:** Fußball, Musik, Reisen, Gitarre

**Allergien:** keine

**Vegetarier:** nein

Liebe Gastfamilie,

Mein Name ist Oscar.

Der Großteil dieses Briefes wird auf Englisch sein, da mein Deutsch nicht perfekt ist.

I am truly grateful for the opportunity to be a part of your family for some time and I hope you feel the same way. It means a lot to me to be welcomed into a new environment, surrounded by kind and generous people who will play a significant role in this chapter of my life.

I am incredibly excited about all the new experiences that await me; the moments that will challenge me, the places that will shape me and the memories that will stay with me long after this journey ends. I look forward to meeting new people, forming friendships that will last, visiting new places.

Above all, I hope that this year will be one of growth and maturity. I aspire to learn not just in an academic sense but also about life itself; to broaden my perspectives, strengthen my values and become more adaptable and resilient. This journey is an opportunity for self-improvement and I intend to embrace it wholeheartedly.

Ever since I was a child, my grandfather has been a source of endless inspiration. His story, one of perseverance and rising against the odds, planted in me the belief that success isn't given, it's earned through hard work and character. He built a life and career that my father proudly continued, both of them shaping the family engineering business that I hope to carry forward in the future. Their legacy isn't just something I admire; it's a guiding force behind everything I do.

I'm currently a high school student entering 11th grade, with the ambition to study engineering abroad in Germany. I'm drawn not only to the academic excellence Germany is known for but also to the culture, language, and values that resonate with my own curiosity and discipline. I hope that my time in Köln will give me a glimpse of what the future might hold while also helping me form lasting friendships and unforgettable experiences.

That doesn't mean my journey has been easy. Like anyone chasing big goals, I've faced my fair share of failures. And I'll be honest, failure has never been easy for me. But with every setback, I've learned more about persistence and about myself. That drive to grow and improve, even when things are tough, comes from the example my family set.

Outside of school, I'm passionate about football. I love playing it, watching matches, and talking about the sport with friends. Music is another big part of my life. I enjoy listening to different genres and playing the guitar whenever I get the chance. I also like cooking, even though I am not excellent at it. Traveling and visiting cities excite me, and I'd really like to get into more outdoorsy activities like mountaineering, camping, and fishing. When it comes to food, I'm open to trying new things and exploring different tastes, but I tend to stick with the familiar—especially comfort foods from home.



I enjoy meeting new people, learning from other cultures, and building strong connections. That's exactly why I'm so excited about this exchange program. I look forward to sharing who I am, learning about you, and becoming not just a guest in your home but hopefully a small part of your family during my stay.

Vielen Dank, dass ihr mich in euer Leben aufnehmt.

Ich freue mich darauf diese Zeit zu genießen und unvergessliche Erinnerungen mit euch zu schaffen.

Liebe Grüße

Oscar

