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The European Connection

Our readers' announcements for pen friends

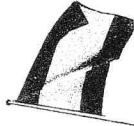
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Ref 11-12

I am a 17-year-old vocational college student. I study commerce. I am interested in photography, nature and music. I like reading comics a little. I am looking for a pen friend who can speak English, from anywhere in the world (except* Scandinavia).

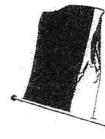
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Ref 11 – 16

I am 17 and I am an apprentice in a garage in Königswinter near Bonn. I love mechanics and sports cars. In my spare time I like playing football and rugby with my club. I like hard rock music too. I am looking for a pen friend with the same interests.

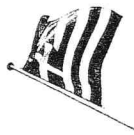
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Ref 11-14

I love writing letters and I would like pen friends from all over Europe. I like music, all types of music except opera. I like playing ball games and I am in my school basketball team. I don't mind helping my father in his shop sometimes. I am 17 and I am a high school student. I am looking for an English-speaking pen friend.

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Ref 11 – 18

I am 16 and I am a student at secondary school. I love animals and I have one dog, two cats and a nice guinea pig*. I like outdoor sports and I am interested in music. I play the guitar (beginner). I don't mind watching TV but I hate reading books. Magazines are OK.

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*except à part, sauf, a guinea pig un cochon d'Inde

1 This document comes from:

- a. a website
- b. a magazine
- c. a newspaper

2 Read the document and find out:

- a. who likes writing letters or cards
- b. who likes animals
- c. who likes sports

3 What's the English for:

- a. "je recherche"
- b. "j'aime un peu lire"
- c. "mon temps libre"

4 Answer the questions in French.

- a. De quelles nationalités sont Paiwi, Elena, Dieter et Nicos ?
- b. Pourquoi ont-ils écrit ces annonces ?
- c. Que déteste Nikos ? Quels animaux a-t-il ?
- d. Elena, aime-t-elle l'opéra ? Choisira-t-elle d'écrire par mail ou par courrier traditionnel ?
- e. Quels sont les passe-temps de Paiwi ?

5 Answer the questions in English.

- a. Is Dieter a student?
- b. What does he do in his spare time?

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Hello Emma,

My English teacher has given me your name and address because she said you wanted a pen friend too. I am 17 and live right in the city centre of Milan in Italy. I like collecting stamps about sports, playing on the games console and watching sports on TV. I enjoy playing the guitar but I am a beginner and I have just started music lessons. But I hate lessons because they are tiring and boring. I prefer practising in my room! At home, I don't mind helping my mother in the kitchen with pasta and pizza because my sister hates cooking. She is only 14.... I love fighting with her for fun. What about you? Have you got brothers and sisters? What do you like? If you are still interested in having a pen friend, please write back soon.

Giovanni FERRERO

Thanks

6 Answer the questions.

- a. Who is writing the email?
- b. Why is he writing it?
- c. Where does he come from exactly?
- d. What does he like?

- e. Do Giovanni and his sister dislike the same things?
- f. What does he think about music lessons?
- g. Would you like to have Giovanni as a pen friend? Explain your answer.



7 Choose who (Paiwi, Elena, Dieter or Nikos) can become your pen friend. Reply to him/her by email or a letter. Say who you are and where you come from. Mention your studies (or occupation), your age and your interests and any other information you think useful.