

Region: Southwest

ID: 730245

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| Name | Aini | Last Name | |
| Program | Academic Year | Year | 2011 |
| Nationality | Finnish | Home Country | Finland |
| Sex | F | Age | 17 |
| Height | 5' 4½" | Weight | 147.7 lb |
| Grade | 11 | GPA | B |



Family Background

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| Father's Name | Jukka | Occupation | Consultant |
| Mother's Name | Katariina | Occupation | Managing Director |
| Other Members | | | |

Individual Characteristics

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| Primary Interests | Basketball, Soccer, Skiing/Snowboarding | | |
| Secondary Interest | Photography, Playing cards, Swimming, Sailing, Windsurfing, Cooking, Music | | |
| Future Plans | Matilda wants to travel the world and become fluent in English. | | |
| Languages | English 7 years, French 5 years, Swedish 3 years | Allergies | No |
| Religion | Christian | Able To Live With Pets | Yes |
| Religious Dedication | Never | Dietary Restrictions | No |
| Comments | Matilda loves animals, and is willing to live with a family who has pets. | | |

English Teacher Rating

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| Reading Ability | Excellent | Comments Matilda is a hardworking and motivated student. She has had a native English speaker, as a teacher in subjects other than English. Matilda is nearly fluent and uses near-perfect sentence structures. She is able to understand and respond to intricate questions. Matilda is always involved in class discussions. |
| Writing Ability | Good | |
| Speaking Ability | 9 | |

Student Interviewer's Comments

Matilda's outgoing and positive nature makes it very easy for her to make new friends. Her energy is infectious, and when you are around her you can't help but smile. Matilda is flexible, and adjusting to her host family's lifestyle will not be difficult. She is eager to make new memories and experiences.

Additional Comments

Matilda is a warm, humorous girl, who loves trying new things. She is athletic, playing both basketball and soccer. Given the choice between the two, Matilda likes basketball the best. In the summer she enjoys swimming and sailing on her towns lake. Matilda is fond of cooking and is excited to try different foods.

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