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Class: \_\_\_\_\_



## **Introduce Yourself**

What is your age, weight and height?

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What is your date of birth, place of birth and nationality?

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What do you look like?

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What are your hobbies?

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### **1.2 Introduce Yourself**

What are your favorite things? (color, food, sport)

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What you like to do at the weekend?

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What you want to be when you grow up?

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### 1.3 Culture

American

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Taiwanese

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### 1.4 Writing your email

How to start the first email

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How to say good-bye

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Questions to ask your penpal

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Example:

My name is Mandy and I am 12 years old. I am Taiwanese. I am tall and thin. I have short, black hair and black eyes. My hobbies are collecting stamps and playing badminton. At the weekend I like chatting on the telephone with my friends and going to the shopping mall. Sometimes I watch a movie with my family. When I grow up I want to be a doctor.

## 2.1 Introduce your family

How many brothers and sisters you have?

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What schools do they go to?

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What are your parents' names and occupations?

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What are they like?

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## 2.2 Write about your house

How big is your house?

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Where do you live?

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How many people live in your house?

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How many floors does your house have?

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How many bedrooms are in your house?

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What does your bedroom look like?

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## 2.3 Culture

American

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Taiwanese

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## 2.4 Writing your email

How to start the second email

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How to say good-bye

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Possible questions to ask your pen pal

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Example:

There are five people in my family. My mother and father, two sisters and myself. One sister is older than me and one is younger. My parents are both doctors in our local hospital. I am very proud of them because they help people get better. I live in a small house on Chende Road.

Our house is next to the bus station and above a flower shop. We live in a 10 floor apartment. We live on the 3rd floor. In my bedroom, I have a teddy bear and a cd player. I also have a bookcase with many cartoon books on the shelves.

### 3.1 Write about your school

What is the name of your school?

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How many students are there in your school?

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What does your classroom look like?

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What are your favorite subjects?

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What are your school hours?

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### 3.2 Write about your school

How you go to and from school?

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Do you have a school uniform?

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What is your favorite school lunch?

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What do you do at break time?

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Who are your best friends?

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### **3.3 Culture**

American

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Taiwanese

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### **3.4 Writing your email**

How to start the third email

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How to say good-bye

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Possible questions to ask your pen pal

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Example:

I go to Jiantan Elementary School in Taipei. I go by car. My school is very big. We have 1741 students and two buildings. One building has 5 floors and the other has 6 floors. We have three computer rooms with 150 computers. We also have a big gym. My school uniform is blue skirt and white blouse. I wear a dark blue tie with stripes on it. I usually arrive at school at 7.30 a.m. My first lesson starts at 8.40 a.m. We have three breaks in one day. One small one after the first lesson, one at mid-day and one in the afternoon. My favorite subject is English and Math. At break time I usually play football. My last lesson finishes at 3.15 p.m. but I stay on for an extra lesson. I usually go home at 5 p.m. I go home by school bus.

#### 4.1 Write about your free time

What do you do at the weekend?

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#### 4.2 Write about your free time

What places you have been to?

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What did you do in your holidays?

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#### 4.3 Culture

American

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Taiwanese

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## 4.4 Writing your email

How to start the fourth email

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How to say good-bye

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Possible questions to ask your pen pal

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### Example:

I don't have much time to rest at the weekend as I have to study hard. I have private lessons on both Saturday and Sunday in Taipei. Afterwards, I usually go shopping in Q Square or watch a movie. Yesterday I went to Taipei with my father and younger brother. We visited Taipei Zoo. We walked around and saw many animals. My favorite animal was the giraffe. It has a very long neck. After lunch, we fed the fish. That was really fun. We stayed at the zoo for nearly 3 hours. When we went home we were tired so we slept on the bus.