Hey there :D

I thought a lot of how to begin this letter. The first sentence should make the perfect first impression… so I know in which way I should star but it’s still not easy to find the right words. Anyway, THANK YOU for reading this!

My name is Lisa and I’m 21 years old. I’m living in a small village in beautiful Austria approximately 60 kilometers away from Vienna, the city in which I enjoy my studies.

Since I was a little child I have been living on a small farm with my parents, my little brother and my grandparents. In my childhood I really enjoyed playing outside with my brother and exploring the ‘wilderness’, meaning our garden. I enjoyed training at a local elementary school and finally in 2018 I graduated from grammar school. After graduating I took a gap year and I volunteered to work for a charitable institution. Since October 2019 I am studying at the University of Natural Resources and Life Sciences in Vienna. The course of study for landscape planning and landscape architecture takes at least three years and I am looking forward to many new memories and of course my bachelor degree, which I will hopefully get in summer. ;)

Since I was a little child, I enjoyed sketching and crafting. Later I learned different instruments but sadly I am not as talented as W.A. Mozart, which is why I just play for fun. Besides my studies I work at a garden planning office to improve my skills and earn some money. This money I mostly spend on food when going out with my friends or on traveling across the country. Sadly the last 2 years the pandemic put a spanner in the works… When I was around 10 years old I got addicted to reading books, sadly as I got older I didn’t find much time for reading…so my New Year’s resolution for 2022 is to read more books!

For sure you want wo know why I want enjoy a IFYE, don’t you? Of course, I want to travel abroad a new country and experience new cultures and I think this way it’s way more authentic and exciting than ‘normal’ holidays. Second of all, I want to get to know new and interesting people as possible. Also, I want to improve my language skills and I think there is no better way. And what’s most important is that I want to create wonderful memories which I’ll never ever forget.

I hope with this little letter you got to know me a little bit better! I’m very excited and I hope we’ll hear from each other! Thank you for reading this letter ;)

Lots of greetings,

Lisa ☺