



Association for Teen-Age Diplomats

Rochester, New York



International Student --- 2024-2025 School Year

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Name: Marc
From: Spain
Birthday: 2/1/2008
Mother: Rheumatologist
Father: Pilot
Siblings: 1 Brother
English: Ten years
French: Two years
Academic interests: Math, Physics, Chemistry, Computers
Othis interests: Basketball, Tennis, Swimming, Fishing, Judo

Marc is a 16-year-old boy from Palma de Mallorca, Spain. He describes living in the city as challenging, but fun. He loves the different festivals every year and activities that he can participate in. Marc walks to school every day. He loves to spend time outdoors with his friends playing basketball. He is on a small local basketball team and loves it. He feels that basketball helps him concentrate on his studies and he loves getting to meet new people. After high school, Marc would like to attend engineering school. He loves machines, computers and math. He also finds aviation fascinating.

Marc enjoys spending time with his family. They often go to the mountains and other fun excursions. Marc also enjoys visiting his grandparents and eating lunch at their house with the rest of his family. He has a very strong relationship with his parents and brother. They have always taught him to have an open mind and be respectful of others. He attributes his growth to the lessons they have taught him. His younger brother often teaches him new sports and he describes him as an amazing person.

Marc's teachers describe him as hard working, extremely organized, self-sufficient and respectful. He displays respect towards authority figures by attentively listening to instructions and following guidelines. He approaches schoolwork with dedication, consistently producing high-quality work and seeking opportunities for improvement. Marc interacts with his peers in a kind and empathetic manner, fostering a positive learning environment. He is a popular member of the class and has a good group of friends.

Marc has heard that in American high schools strong friendships are created in sports clubs and activities. He is excited for the opportunity to experience this. Mac wants to explore the world and this exchange opportunity will give him the chance to do this. He wants to learn about the American people and their culture. Marc also wants to share his Spanish customs and cook some typical dishes with his new host family and new friends.