# Dear Sebestian,

Hi Sebestian, this is Calee! I enjoyed reading your letter. Badminton sounds like an awesome sport! I also really like to draw in my free time. Thank you for answering me back! Here are the answers to your questions: I am not a huge reader but my favorite book I have ever read is the Outsiders! I also went and saw the Broadway Play of Outsiders with my class. We have great food options in our food cafeteria. My favorite is tacos. They are so good!! I love living in Wilmington, Delaware. Although it can sometimes be boring, we have many beaches to get to and thighs to do! In the summer I go to the New Jersey beaches, but many people at school go to the Delaware beaches. Do you live near any beaches or go to a certain beach? I love going into nature. I like walking in my neighborhood with my Mom, playing soccer on the fields with my Dad, and swimming in the ocean and bay with my cousins!! Last friday we went to our Cotillion dance with our class and other schools. It was a formal dance. We wore dresses and heels and danced the night away! Do you have any dances at your school? We have our Spring break very soon! I am going to Florida to visit my sister and my grandparents for a week! Did you already have spring break? If so, where did you go? Before we go on spring break we will have Minimesters which are field trips we go on. You can sign up for anyone you want. I signed up for Homestead. In Homestead you go to a farm and do farm work. You also make candles and bread! Do you have any fun field trips? I hope you have a great day!!

Hi Sebestian, this is Georgia! Thank you for answering our questions and writing us back. Badminton seems like a lot of fun! I don't really like to read but I enjoyed reading the Outsiders in ELA. Yes, I am happy living in Delaware. It is small but I do enjoy living here. This weekend my family and I are going to Boston to visit family and watch a basketball game! Then, during spring break I'm going back up to Boston for Easter. This summer I'm going to Greece for a few months with my family. I'm really excited! Yes, our school has very good food! Some of my favorites are tacos, nachos, and pasta! This year for 8th grade we will take a big trip to Williamsburg with our class. Williamsburg is a historic place we will visit. We also will go to a Amusement park while we are there. We will stay in Williamburg, Virginia for 2 nights and 3 days. We will take the trip in may! Do you have any classovernight trips planned? Do you and your family have any vacations planned? What are you doing for summer break? How long is your Summer break? It was nice talking to you!! Have a good day.

From: Calee & Georgia



Calee

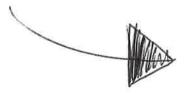
Georgia

Clare McGhee and Emma Chidembo 8th grade 4/7/25

Clare- Hi Luisa, it has been so nice writing to you! I have watched Outer Banks, and I love that show! I also listen to Olivia Rodrigo sometimes. I like to read and listen to music as well. However, my favorite music artist is Zach Bryan. This picture is of me and my friend, Christina.



Emma- Hi Luisa, I have watched Outer Banks and I loved it! I don't read much, but I do love to watch movies and documentaries. I also love to listen to music. I don't like Olivia Rodrigo, but I



Hi Karolina,

I'm excited to write back to you! Your dog Lojziča is really cute. I really like biology and marine biology, but I don't have the option to take biology until next year, when I go to high school. I enjoy reading and writing too, though I don't have a lot of time to do it. My favorite book is called "All the Bright Places." What's your favorite book? I am learning two languages at the moment. I take Spanish class in school, but I also take French lessons online on Duolingo. There are some new activities I'm starting in the Spring and Summer. I am doing horseback-riding more often, and I am going to start doing more shows. I have one at the end of April I am very excited for. I will also be traveling around Pennsylvania to do horse shows. I am very excited! This Summer, I am getting my first job! I am most likely going to work at a store called Playa Bowls, where they make smoothie bowls and açai bowls. I have my interview today. That's pretty much all there is to say right now. Also, if you have Snapchat and want to add me I'm @tayzayyy. Can't wait to hear back from you!

Your friend,

Taza

Me and my friends (below)

Me on another one of the horses I ride, Benito (below)





### To: Ignac Karczub

### Dear Ignac

Thank you so much for responding to my letter. I used to play the ukulele in elementary school, but I quit in 6th grade. I don't necessarily watch NBA or NHL, but I do watch college basketball. We are currently in the middle of March Madness. My older brother goes to University of Kentucky so we watch when they play. Sadly they got out in the sweet 16. Last spring I traveled to Europe with my parents. We went to London and Paris which was the most amazing trip I had ever been on. My dream job is to be a pediatric nurse.

What is your Dream Job?
Do you watch March madness?



Have you ever been to America?

Dear Theresa, Kylie and I had our school dance, a cotillion. Lots of schools were invited, and we all danced. We also just picked out our minimesters. There are lots of fun things like world culture and homesteads. Minimesters are kind of like a field trip: You go off campus and do different activities based on your interests. There are 49 more days until were done school! How many more days do you guys have? What do you and your friends do for fun?



From Kylie and Kailynn

# Dear Jane,

Hey it's nice to write to you again. Last week was a pretty fun week, we had a dance called cotillion. Cotillion is where a bunch of schools come together and have a big party! We also have this thing called Minimesters coming up, it's where there's a bunch of activities the whole middle school does and it's a different topic. For example there's a minimester I'm in called world flavors and for 2 days we learn about different cultures and their foods! Do you have any cool things coming up? Or any dances? It's been raining a lot here lately, but may flowers are coming soon! What's fun to do down there where you live? What's your favorite thing to do?



From Emily + sky

Bonjour! Ahoj Klara. How long have you been playing violin? What Kind of Books are you wto? Doyou have social media?

Upcoming things for us is our 8th grade trip!

Were headed to williams burg. were staying

for I days its gonna be a 10t of fun we are very excited.

We get to share a room with 4 of our freinds. And go to

really fun places during the day. We also get to go to

minimesters which are 2 day trips where we pick

Something to do for example my minimester is

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make food and hand out with animals During the day.

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Crandma. Also swimming and parting out with freinds.

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cotillion is a big dance with many schools this happened last friday this was a picture from it . Fallon's instagram: fallon Yorston 3

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#### Dear Tadeas,

This is Lucy, I loved getting your letter! It's April 8th today and and we have one more week till Spring Break and Easter. Do you have a Spring Break and if so when is it and are you doing anything fun. Im going and staying with my grandparents at the beach and going to some Phillies Baseball games. To answer your question, I love living in the USA because there is so much fun and diverse things to do, but I also love traveling and discovering new places. I have some questions for you, you said that you had 2 aquariums in your home, is that with fish and animals, and how big are they. Also, in the picture was your little sister with you, How old is she? We had our formal dance last Friday and it was really fun! I put a picture of me and heaven from it down below. We have a school trip coming up to Williamsburg, Virginia where the whole 8th grade goes for 3 days. We do ghost tours, historical tours, go bowling, and spend a day at Busch Gardens, which is an amusement park. In the last few weeks me and my dad won a school pickleball tournament which was fun and I went to puppy yoga with my mom, sister, and friend. When does your school end, mine ends on June 1st! I hope you have a great week Thanks. Lucy M



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Pickleball tournament

#### Dear Tadeas,

Hi it's heaven, your letter was very interesting! I loved getting to know more about you. Today is April 8th and we are in second period which is social studies right now. This class starts at 10:10 and it ends at 11:20. We only have one week left of school until spring break which is very exciting! Our spring break is a week and a half long. What about you are guys going on spring break? On my spring break I'm gonna go to Ocean City Maryland which is 2hr away from where I live. Some exciting things that are coming up for 8th grade is williamsburg. Every year at my middle school the 8th grade goes on a weekend trip, Do you guys go on trips like that? On the trip we are gonna go bowling at an amusement park called Busch gardens! I hope you have a good day. Thank you for reading!

Heaven Hawkins

#### Dear, Johana Darexlerova

Hi! Nice talking to you again! You seem like an amazing and interesting person. To answer your question, I have never watched Deadpool movies before, but my brother likes them a lot. I also read a lot because I find it calming. Some genres that I enjoy are mystery and investigative books

A lot has been going on recently. For example, we just had a big dance called a cotillion. We usually have one every year, but we have two this year since we are in 8th grade. They are hosted in a ballroom at Wilmington Country Club, and they include snacks, dancing, and fun. Before the dance, we have pictures at someone's house, and drive to the dance together. We also have spring break coming up, where I am going to Florida with my friends Tessa, Clare, and Ava. There is always a big 8th-grade trip that we take to Williamsburg for three days. We go to the amusement park, have fun dinners, and learn about the history. Do you have any fun dances or trips coming up? If so, I would love to hear about them!

P.S. I love the drawing that you made for me! I'm the one on the left.





#### Hi Anežka

I was so happy to receive your letter. I haven't talked to you in a hot minute so let's recap on what happened. First I had a dance with boys and girls from different schools. It was so much fun and I gotta dress up and look all cute. I have spring break in a week and i'm doing a lot of stuff. First I'm going to my brother's college spring game then I'm going to Florida with 3 of my friends from school and their families. After that I'm going on a big road trip back up to Delaware so my sister can look at colleges because she is in 10th grade and starting to look already. After spring break I'm going to Williamsburg, VA with my class for a school trip. We stayed there for 3 days and 2 nights. We are going to Busch Gardens (it's an amusement park), bowling, a ghost tour and so much more. We only have 36 days left of school until summer!!!!! I'm about to have my last club volleyball tournament in a couple days and I'm so sad because I loved this season so much. I'm excited for my next letter from you.



That's me in the pink

From, Olygy Hay Hey Aneta!!! I have two sisters and two brothers, all older than me. My favorite color is pink, my favorite show is Gossip Girl, and my favorite math class. I love Delaware but am also interested in traveling and exploring new places. I recently had a cotillion, a school dance with other schools in the area. These are some pictures.



Hey Anežka!,

I hope you are doing well! I recently had a school dance with my friends. I had lots of fun. My dress was light purple. I wore pearl earrings and a pearl necklace. There is a picture of me and my friends below. My school year is almost over. I have about a month and a half left. My spring break is coming up. I have a week and a half off. I am sadly not traveling during my spring break. After my break, my class is going on a 3 day trip. We are going to Williamsburgs, Virginia where we will go on a ghost tour, go to Bush gardens, and have a bowling party! I am so excited! Are you going on any trips soon?

Stay safe! Carolina



This is me!-

And Ava is on my left.

### Dear Veronica,

Of course! During spring this year, I'm going to Puerto Rico for my grandma's birthday, due to it being one of her wishes. Just last Friday (As I am writing this, it's April 8th on a Tuesday), we had a dance called 'Cotillion'. It was very chaotic to prepare for it, but everyone had some sort of fun. The DJ there did suck though, due to no one actually liking most of the songs he played, but other than that, it was fun enough.

I continue to draw and listen to music, oh! And our school year is almost up, with around 30 or 28 days left of learning. Currently, in science we have a science project about the periodic table, and we design a tile surrounded around Marc Chagall's stained glass pieces

(https://www.dailyartmagazine.com/chagalls-stained-windows/ if you want to read the article), and I got the element 53, Iodine!

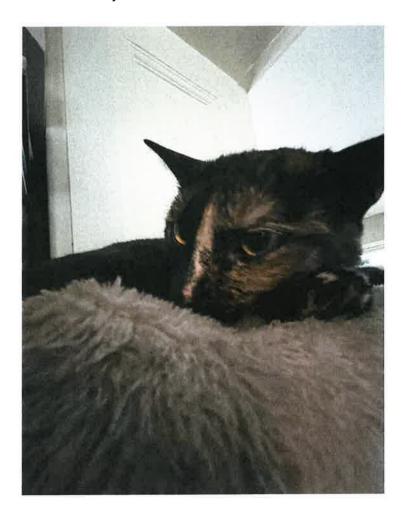
Anyway, enough of my rambling, I'll cut this letter short, I'm looking forward to your next letter!!

America to Czech On April 8th

# Dear veronika,

Hello! I'm now fourteen, since my birthday was a week ago. Our spring break is coming up soon, aswell as our minimesters. Minimesters are two-day breaks from school where we learn something fun. Me and my friends are in the food minimester. We're going to make food from different countries. I'm also going to a volleyball tournament over the weekend. I'm hoping to get a medal. Are you doing anything over spring break? Has yours already passed?

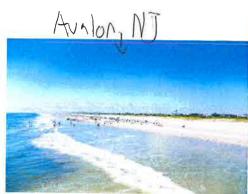
# Have a nice day!



Hey Tonya! I loved your letter, it's so cool how you travel for dance! It is now spring so the weather's getting warmer. The 8th grade just had our cotillion dance. That dance is a very formal dance that the country club puts on for all of the private schools in Delaware. It was so fun and the whole class had a great time. It is almost time for spring break, and we are off for almost two weeks!c During spring break I am first going to Maryland for a volleyball tournament. It is my last one of the season and it is a three day tournament. After that I am driving to Myrtle Beach in South Carolina. My sister is in college so we are going to go see her. I haven't seen her in 4 months so I really miss her. My Birthday is in two days and I am turning 14, for my birthday I am going shopping and having a party with my friends! When spring break is over it's time for my class trip. We are taking a bus to Williamsburg, Virginia! When we were there we were going to do a ghost tour, swimming, and going to an amusement park. I am so glad it's almost summer and I can go to Avalon, New Jersey! Do you go anywhere in the summer? What's your favorite season? What's a day in the life of Czechia? I hope you are well and I can't wait to get another letter from you! from Julia tanunto

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