

# High School weltweit!



- Are you looking for a once in a lifetime experience?
- Are you looking for friends and family from all around the globe?
- Or do you simply want to learn a language and experience a new culture up close?

→ IN THAT CASE, A YEAR ABROAD IS JUST THE RIGHT THING FOR YOU!

My name is Kathi and I am 16 years old. This year was more than extraordinary for me and I would love to tell you a short summary of my experience. I travelled to the United States to spend a whole school year there. Most of you might think I am crazy (and maybe I am a little), but trust me; this insane decision was totally worth it. While in the U.S., I stayed with a host family, attended a high school and, seriously, I had the best time of my life. For my time in school I got to choose my own schedule and throughout the school year I did three different sports, representing my school. In fall I joined the Volleyball Team with my host sis, in winter I skied and in spring I joined the girls soccer team.

Besides having a lot of fun and making friends around the world, I probably had the best host family I could have imagined. They took me on road trips and introduced me to family and friends around the United States. But even more important: they accepted me as a family member from the beginning onwards and I know they will be in my heart forever. Also my friends (to some I refer as second or third host siblings) I will never forget.

If you are also thinking about maybe travelling abroad, don't hesitate! For any information you can contact me anytime, email me at [katharina.schnedl@gibs.at](mailto:katharina.schnedl@gibs.at)



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