

Hosting Experience

Hello! My name is Kartika Kallianpur from class 9. I am part of the student exchange with Sweden.

Recently we had our two weeks of hosting.

The person I was hosting was Hanna Katarina Fristrom. She was a well behaved student. I personally learnt a lot from her. She had clear and strong ideas. She was happy with everything that she got. She would never ask for anything extra.

Hanna and I, together had a lot of fun. We watched movies, ate outside and goofed around. We both thoroughly enjoyed each minute together. The only thing I regret is that I only got a week with Hanna.

Through hosting a Swede I personally learnt a lot. I learned how to take care and take the responsibility of another person. I as well as all the others got to interact with the students from another country, Sweden. From this I gained a lot of knowledge. I learnt about the traditions and the culture in Sweden. I also learned about their education system.

Each student had their own way of thinking and behaving. Each one was unique. All of us, the TOS and the Gute Gymnasiet had a lot of fun when all met, be it at someone's house or an excursion.

This has just been the first step. The second step is going to Sweden which I am looking forward too.

I thoroughly enjoyed the hosting part of the exchange programme.