

## Motivationsschreiben für Farmstay Kanada

Auf der nächsten Seite ist ein **Muster für den Vorstellungsbrief**. Das Muster soll lediglich Anregungen geben. Sie sollten auf jeden Fall betonen, dass Sie flexibel sind und in allen Bereichen Farm arbeiten können und wollen. Bitte gehen Sie außerdem auf die folgenden Punkte ein.

- Was machen Sie derzeit? Abitur, Studium, Arbeitserfahrung, Wohnsituation, Auslandserfahrung, landwirtschaftliche Kenntnisse, selbstständige Persönlichkeit?
- Warum möchten Sie einen Farmstay in Kanada machen?
- Welche Fähigkeiten und Kenntnisse können und möchten Sie in die Tätigkeit einbringen? Wenn
- Sie spezielle, für die Farmarbeit relevante Kenntnisse mitbringen, z. B. Reiten können, sollten Sie auch darauf ausführlich eingehen.
- Warum halten Sie sich für einen guten Bewerber?

Von unserem Partner Internex noch zusätzliche Anregungen für einen

## Ranchstay Motivation Letter

Please include the following points in your motivation letter if you are interested in staying on a horse ranch:

- What are your reasons for a stay on our ranch?
- Do you ride English or Western?
- Your level of riding/horse experience
- Do you have the Rider Levels/Reiterpass/Reiterbrevet/Reiterabzeichen/Kleines Hufeisen, or anything similar? Or do you ride at that level?
- Do you have your own horse, or have you ever owned a horse?
- For how long have you been riding horses?
- How often do you ride (daily/weekly/etc.)?
- Have you ever taken any riding lessons? If yes, for how long and how often?
- Do you have experience with young horses?
- Do you have experience with problem horses?
- Do you have experience with stallions?
- Are you comfortable around any type of horse?
- Do you know how to lunge a horse?
- Are you willing to learn new methods?
  
- Please attach a picture of you riding a horse.

## Muster für Cover Letter (Vorstellungsbrief)

Name  
Straße  
PLZ, Stadt  
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Telefon  
Email  
Skype

Datum

Dear farm owners,

My name is Claudia, I am a 20 years old and I come from Germany. I am living in Neuenheim together with my parents and my sister. Neuenheim is a nice and little town in Southern Germany. Since autumn 2012, I have studied Accounting at the university in Munich. I like it to work with numbers and the law and I am interested in economical questions for example how a company works. It is really fun to learn and work together with other people. But of course I do not learn all the time! In my leisure time I prefer outdoor activities: cycling and hiking are my favourite sports. But in summer I also love it to go swimming in our local swimming pool.

Behind our house we have a vegetable garden and I am helping my mother with the work there. This year we will grow potatoes, salad, tomatoes, onions, herbs, strawberries and lots more. We also have four apple and cherry trees. I think it is fantastic if you can see how the fruit grows and then picking it in summer. My father has a small forest and I like to lend him a hand with the work there. We need the wood because of the tile stove in our living room which is our heating in winter. Sadly we have no animals. About ten years ago I had a rabbit and on holidays the cat of our neighbours is living with us. We buy our milk on a little farm with about 20 cattle in our neighbour town and I like these animals as they are so calm but also so strong. I am really interested in farm life because my grandparents have had a farm and I would like to learn so much about working and living there.

Another big hobby of mine is the music. I have played the trumpet since ten years and I also played piano. I am an active member of our urban music club and I love it to play modern compositions and also folk songs. In our music club I am also working with the children and teens. Then we organise activities like a kayak tour or the visit of an adventure park or we are watching some movies together. The work with children is nice and funny and sometimes it is hard, too but if they are laughing and smiling you must be happy as well!

Hopefully you see that I like it to make conversation in English. When I was 12 I did a language course in the south of England. With school I travelled to London twice. But what I loved most was Ireland. I was there when I was 16. The "Green Island" is beautiful, the landscape with the areas full of green grass and of course lots of sheep. I liked the silence and the small towns with only a few houses. And nearly the same is told about Canada: wonderful nature with plants and animals, mountains and lakes.

I would like to work and learn there on a farm, because I would like to know about your culture and your daily life. I am interested in your work and your problems, too. I think I am a person who can work and learn and so I hope I will be part of your family for those weeks in summer. I am looking forward to seeing you soon.

Best regards,

Claudia