

The Letter

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The Letter

Parts of a letter

- The sender's address
- The date
- An opening greeting
- The main body of the letter
- A closing salutation
- The signature

The Letter

- The sender's address
In alto a destra del foglio
- Via Mazzini 27
37100 Verona
- 43 Westhill Road,
Canterbury CAI 2DB
What differences do you notice?

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- **The date**

In alto a destra – sotto l'indirizzo

- January 23rd 2014
- 14th June 2014

The Letter

- An opening greeting

Thanks very much for the photos of your family and your house in....

It's great to have a new penfriend!

Thanks for the photo of you and your friends...

Thank you for your letter. It was really interesting to read about...

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The main body of the letter

Dedica un paragrafo ad ogni argomento ed usa la prima frase del paragrafo per introdurre l'argomento.

Ricordati di terminare ogni paragrafo con una domanda per il tuo amico di penna.

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A closing salutation

Nell'ultimo paragrafo:

dì il motivo per cui concludi la lettera.

Scrivi una frase conclusiva.

- Well, I have to do my homework now.

Write soon and tell me about your school!

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A closing salutation

I have to finish this letter now because my mum wants to take me shopping.

Anyway, I have to go now. It's late, and we've got a school trip tomorrow.

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introduce yourself (name, age, physical description);

talk about your family- parents, brothers and sisters, pets;

talk about your hobbies, interests and afterschool activities;

talk about your school and your favourite subjects;

talk about the place you live in;

talk about your future plans.

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talk about the place you live in;

talk about your last school trip or your last summer holiday;

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Talk about the place you live in

In which part of Italy is your town or city?

What kind of countryside is nearby?

(mountains, sea?)

Has it got a famous monument? What is it?

Can you describe it?

Do you like living there?

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Are there many things for young people to do?

What is your favourite place or thing to do in your town or city?

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talk about your best friend

Think of your best friend. Then answer the questions.

What's your best friend's name?

Where is he/she from?

How old were you when you met?

Where did you meet?

How long have you been friends?

Physical description and personality

Why is He/She my best friend?

A special moment I spent with my friend

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talk about your last school trip or your last summer holiday

My school trip: Where I went to/who I went with/how I travelled (by plane? Was it the first time?) What I did/what I visited.

Where I went to/ Who I went with/How I travelled/What I did

A special moment with my family or with my friends.

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talk about your hobbies, interests and afterschool activities

Internet

How often do you use the Internet?

Where do you usually go online-at home, at school, at the library?

How do you access the Internet (PC, laptop, smartphone?)

Do you use social network sites?

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My favourite hobby

Music: kinds of music I like

I started to play the drums when I ...

What I feel when I play the drums

A special moment/concert

Some facts about my favourite singer or band.

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Cinema: Why I like going to the cinema

My favourite film (plot and characters)

My favourite actor/actress

Reading: Why I like reading/favourite kinds of book

My favourite book (plot and characters)

My favourite author

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My favourite hobby is dancing: Clothes (ballet shoes-leotard)- lessons

My favourite kind of dance - My first dancing lesson

My next performance- My favourite ballet dancer

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My favourite sport is football

A special match I had/a special event

My favourite football team and player.

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Checking your work

E' importante controllare attentamente il tuo lavoro dopo aver scritto la prima stesura.

- Hai trattato tutti i punti della traccia?
- L'ortografia, la punteggiatura, i vocaboli e le strutture grammaticali sono corrette?

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- Il linguaggio è appropriato (formale o informale)?
- Il testo è diviso in paragrafi logici?
- I saluti di apertura e chiusura sono appropriati?