



# Kristian from Czechia

Future Leaders Exchange (FLEX) Program

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| <b>GRADE:</b> 11 out of 13 completed | <b>ENGLISH LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY (ELTiS):</b> 218 (approx. 51 SLEP) | <b>GENDER:</b> Male                   |
| <b>GPA:</b> 3.6 (4.0 Scale)          | <b>LANGUAGES:</b> CZECH, English, Russian                          | <b>AGE (as of August 1, 2020):</b> 17 |
| <b>RELIGION:</b> None listed         | <b>NOTES:</b> Can swim, no dietary restrictions                    |                                       |

## HOME LIFE

Kristian lives with his mother in a large, historic city. His sister and her husband live nearby, and his family enjoys drinking tea and watching movies together. His responsibilities at home include cleaning and cooking. He also loves watching NBA games - after completing his homework, of course!

## INTERESTS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

**ACADEMICS / FUTURE:** Wants to start his own business  
**SPORTS / ARTS:** Basketball, obstacle courses, electric guitar  
**CLUBS / INTERESTS:** Foreign languages, watching adventure movies

## ALL ABOUT NAME

Kristian speaks Czech, English, and Russian, but he isn't planning on stopping there! His goal is to learn German and Spanish, in addition to improving his English through an exchange: **"When I have an opportunity to talk to people in English I feel inner confidence and joy because I can improve my speaking abilities and gain new perspective on things."** He is eager to participate in the daily routine in America and learn about its people and society. He adds that he will **"learn for the rest of my life and that is why I see this exchange experience as a brilliant opportunity."**

*Kristian's teacher says he is...*

- Cheerful
- Easy-going
- Mature

Kristian is also very entrepreneurial and interested in starting his own business one day. He has worked part-time at several companies and is eager to gain experience: **"A job is a benefit that can teach plenty of useful skills for life and make new bonds with people that may continue over a lifetime."** Being drawn to the U.S. economy and business world, he says **"this exchange would be the first step for my further development."**

Kristian loves to play electric guitar, citing Jimi Hendrix and Led Zeppelin as his main inspirations, and he hopes to continue learning during his exchange year. He also hopes to join a basketball team to **"enhance my game but also leadership and teamwork abilities."** He adds **"In my opinion, the key to satisfaction isn't expensive equipment but people who'll support and encourage me to better myself."** Kristian is excited to gain new friends who share these interests! As someone who believes in saying "yes" to new experiences and opportunities, Kristian can't wait to get to know his future host family, school, and community!

### INTERESTED IN HOSTING KRISTIAN?

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