

Interview with Nick

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Transcript (written version of the audio track)

1. *How many students were at the school ?*

Over 1500 people were in the school.

2. *Do they really eat so much fast food there?*

Yes, in every corner you can find a fast food restaurant.

3. *Do you have to pay tip?*

It's a form of kindness. If you don't give tips to them they won't be kind.

4. *Can really all people have a weapon there?*

You just can buy weapons there when you have made a licence. They can see if you are possible to take the weapon. If you have a psychological background you won't get a weapon there. With 18 you can get some big guns, with 21 you can get some handguns.

5. *Was the school better than ours? And Why?*

No, it wasn't better because every student is in one school so the level is lower than in Germany. The school system is not so good like ours. The building in Macmillan was older and really big, going around is not so easy because you must know where you are and you can get lost very fast.

6. *What was your favourite freetime activity there?*

To play Playstation and watch American Football Games.

7. *Would you go to the US again?*

Yes, because it is a really nice country. It's nice to see the people and culture there.

8. *How does the exchange work and did you think it was a good experience for you?*

You get an exchange partner then you will write text messages with your partner and you get to know him at the Airport. Maybe you make sightseeing. After sightseeing you go to your exchange partner in his town. After that we go to the everyday life there. After our visit they came to Germany and they live with us. After that they go one week to Dresden and Berlin for sightseeing.

Thank you for the Interview

Reported version

- 1.He said that there had been around 1500 people in the school.
- 2.He said that there had been fastfood restaurants in every corner.
- 3.He said that they didnt had to pay tip but it's a form of Kind.
- 4.He said that you only can get a gun with a Licence. They can see if you are possible to take a weapon. He also said that you an't get a weapon with an psycological Background. With 18 years you can get some big guns and with 26 you can get some handguns.
5. He said that the School in The US is not so good like an German School because in The US all stundents at the same scholl so the „Level“ is lower and the schoolsystem is not so good like in our Schools. The Schools there also bigger than our Schools, go around in this scholls isn't easy because you must know where you are and you can get lost very fast.
6. He said that his favourite freetime activities there had been to Play at the Playstation and watch American Football games.
- 7.He said that he would go the US again because it´s a really nice country and it´s nice to see all the people and the culture there.
- 8.He said that you get a exchange partner and write messages with him. He said you get to know him at the airport. He said that you maybe make sightseeing and after sightseeing you will go to your exchange partner. He said that at the moment the each day life starts. he said that after the visit in america is finish, they came to germany and they life with us. he said that after the time they will go to Dresden and Berlin for sightseeing.