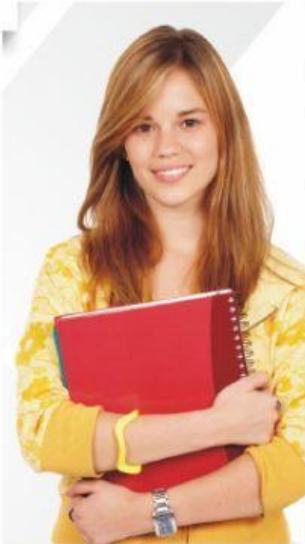


Read Amy's interview about her life in Ukraine.

Match the interview questions A-G with the texts 1-5. There are two choices you don't need to use.

### Living and teaching in Ukraine



1

Hi everyone, I'm Amy! I'm an English teacher from New York City, living and teaching in Ukraine at the moment. Travel has always been important to me. I went on my first trip to Europe with my aunt when I was fourteen. Then I moved to Los Angeles, but I didn't like it there. One day I realised that I wanted to live and work in Europe.

2

I was travelling with my boyfriend at the time. He was offered a job for three months in Kyiv and I went with him. I had no expectations of Ukraine but by the time the



three months were over I had fallen completely in love with the café culture, the warm people, and the food of course.



3.

I once bought a big bag of fruit for 6 Euros at the grocery store! And you can find ballet and opera tickets for 10-15 Euros. But, when I was shopping for clothes I realised that they were a bit pricey, so I don't do much shopping here. I live in a one-room apartment with a separate kitchen. I paid 270 Euros (\$310) for the rent this month. So all in all, it is not too expensive.

4

Yes, to live and work in Ukraine you need one. However, it isn't too difficult for Americans to get it in your passport. I got mine after I had arrived here. Americans can visit Ukraine visa-free for 90 days.



5.

Ukrainians can be a bit shy but in general they are friendly and open to foreigners. They also love a good party! In the summer I was visiting a lot of festivals and celebrations over the weekends and I have to say it was fantastic!