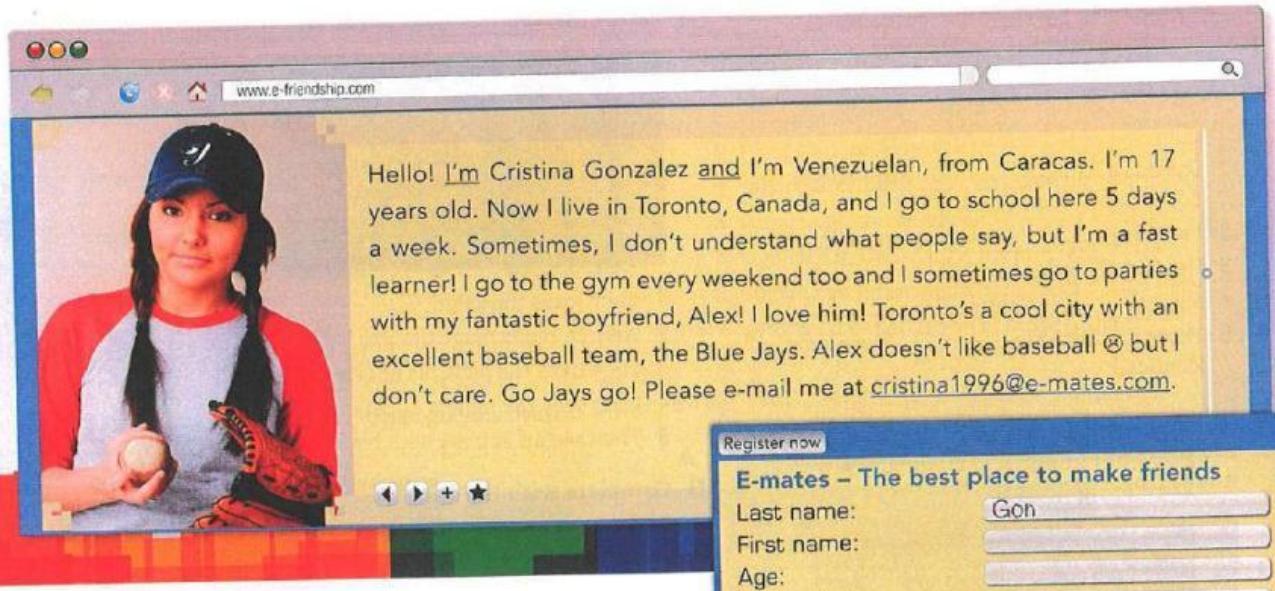


Writing

1 An Informal Profile

A Read Cristina's profile and complete her registration form.



B Read Write it Right!, then underline seven more contractions and five more connectors in A.

Write it Right!

In informal writing, use contractions: *I'm, I don't*.

Use a variety of connectors: *and, but, also*.

C Find and correct 10 more mistakes in this reply to Cristina.

LU_PORT: Hi, Cristina, my name is Luis, ~~I'm~~ ^Portuguese and I have 19 years. Wow! You live in Toronto —that is excellent. I live in Porto with my mother and father and I have a lot of parents here. I too study english, but its very dificult! My brother play baseball, maybe you can meet him, hahaha! Pleas e-mail me at luisporto94@e-mates.com and tell me mor about Toronto.

D From the texts in A and C, which questions can we answer about Cristina (C), Luis (L), or both (B)?

1 Where are you from?	<u>B</u>	7 Do you go to school?	<u> </u>
2 How old are you?	<u> </u>	8 How often do you exercise?	<u> </u>
3 What's your full name?	<u> </u>	9 Do you have any brothers or sisters?	<u> </u>
4 Where do you live?	<u> </u>	10 Do they play sports?	<u> </u>
5 Who do you live with?	<u> </u>	11 Do you have a boyfriend / girlfriend?	<u> </u>
6 What's your e-mail address?	<u> </u>		

E Your turn! Write your profile e-mail to Cristina (about 80 words).

Before

Answer questions 1-11 in D. Give extra information too, e.g., your opinion.

While

Use contractions and a variety of connectors.

After

Check it carefully and / or email it to a partner before giving it to your teacher.