E-PALS

A teacher in the UK wants her students to find e-pals to write who come from different countries. Below there are descriptions of five British students, followed by descriptions of eight e-pals. Decide which one would be the most suitable for the following students.

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Poppy enjoys writing stories and wants an e-pal who will exchange stories with her. Her e-pal should also enjoy playing team sports like she does.

2 ☐ 

Lewis recently moved to England and wants an e-pal who has lived in a different country, too. He loves drawing comic book stories and watching online video about drawing to help him improve.

3 ☐ 

Amelia has been in several shows at school and wants her e-pal to be involved in the theatre. She enjoys cooking new things and wants to learn how to make dishes from a different country.

4 ☐ 

Alistair loves winter sports and wants an e-pal with similar interests. He loves reading about sports and would like some advice on good blogs to read on his topic.

5 ☐ 

Rosie wants to write to someone who has also changed schools recently. She would like her e-pal to be interested in protecting the environment and enjoy doing extreme sports.

A I'm **Ava** and I live on the west coast of Canada. Windsurfing is very popular where I live, but I prefer writing about it. That's why I've got my own windsurfing blog where I post windsurfing photos and articles. I'd like to include posts about some other extreme sports, too.

B I'm **Elena** and I'm from a town in southern Italy. I'm pretty good at basketball and hockey, but I'm terrible at surfing! I enjoy reading fiction, especially anything written by people my age, and I love writing stories, too. In fact, I'll send you some if you want!

C I'm **Petra**. I've always lived in Prague, but my family has just moved to the opposite side of the city, so now I'm studying somewhere new. This term, I've joined a school club that encourages people in our local area to use less plastic. I'm keen on rock climbing and I have plans to learn how to snowboard this winter!

D My name's **Ryan**. I was born in New Zealand, but I've recently moved to Australia. At my new school, I joined the school theatre club and I'll be in my first play next month. I'd love some advice about how not to get nervous in front of an audience or any other tips about acting!

E My name is **Ana** and I'm from Mexico. At home, I love learning how to make traditional desserts and snacks. In fact, I've got some family recipes you should definitely try. I also really like performing in school plays.

F I'm **Martina** and I've always lived in the same house in San Antonio, Chile. My room is full of my drawings and paintings that are about nature and protecting the environment. I always post pictures of my art on my blog to share with other artists.

G I'm **Finn** and I live in France, but I was brought up in Germany. Lots of things are different since I've had to change schools, but not my favourite hobby – drawing cartoons that post short films to show how to draw cartoon characters.

H I'm **Karl** and I'm from Denmark. I enjoy reading about young athletes and the competitions they take part in. I know loads of great blogs about this topic. I like doing sport, too. I love surfing in the summer, and I like skiing and ice skating in the winter.

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