

THE DAILY ROUTINE OF TEENAGE STUDENTS IN HUNGARY



We usually wake up at 6 o'clock and get up at half past 7. Firstly, we have a breakfast with our family. Secondly we go to the bathroom to wash our face and tooth, comb our hair and begin to get dressed. Similarly to other ordinary girls, we like putting a bit of makeup on. After that we go to school at around half past 8 depending on how far we live from the school.

The first lesson starts at 8 o'clock. Between the lessons there are ten-minute-long breaks. After the third lesson there is a 20-minute break. On Monday we have 6 or 8 lessons. On Tuesday we have 7 lessons. The hardest day is Wednesday when we have 7 or 9 lessons. On Thursday and Friday we have 'only' 6 lessons. We can have lunch at the school canteen if we want, but lots of students eat at home. We usually go home around 3 or 4 o'clock.

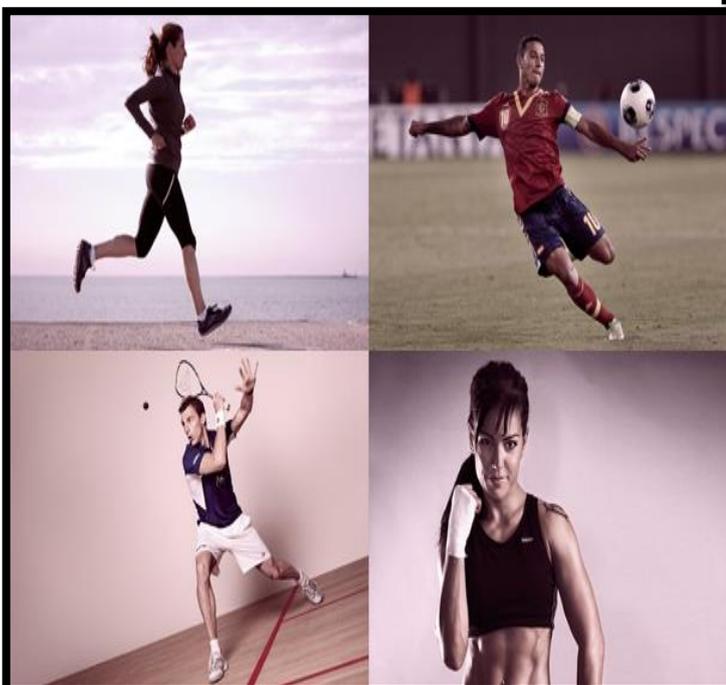




When we arrive at home, we spend some time for our hobbies such as listening to music, reading, going to the cinema, having a chat with friends and gaming with our family.

For us mobile phones, internet, social networking, music, movies, television and video games are very important. We always want to stay connected. Most students prefer watching TV and playing computer games to reading books and doing sports.

Besides playing computer games and chatting on the Net, we are also fond of meeting and talking with our friends in real life.



Some students go to training for example: football, handball, basketball, swimming, rugby, water-polo, hockey, squash, running, tennis, table tennis, judo and etc.

Girls and boys are different. While boys are interested in sports like football, basketball, basketball or combat sports, girls prefer dancing, singing and going out with friends. Some girls like sports too like running, playing volleyball, handball and swimming.



In the evening we have dinner with our family. After the dinner we start studying for the next day's lessons. We often watch the TV with friends or chat with relatives. Before going to bed, we have a shower or bath. Finally, we go to bed at 10 or 11 o'clock.

During the week, we have one thought in our minds: What will the weekend hold for us? Every day of the week is just one day closer to Friday. When Friday afternoon finally arrives, my friends and I meet up at one of our houses. We talk each other or watch film. Weekends usually we go to a party or a good concert with friends.



Best regards from Hungary,

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