

Living with a Host Family

4. **Task** Write a short story about a student who has to live with a host family. Use the words in the box to help you. You can use the words more than once. Write about 100 words.

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This is my third month as a student in Denver, Colorado. I learn a lot of English every day and I usually write in my journal.

I live with a host family. My host mother is Patricia she is very nice. Patricia is divorced. She has two children. James, the son, is 17 years old. Chelsea, the daughter, is 12. Patricia's apartment is very large. I have a private room. It has a bed, a desk and a small closet. The apartment has a bathroom and a computer.

It's interesting to live with an American family. Patricia always says, Make yourself at home. She wants me to feel like I'm in my own house. She is a good friend but she has some rules. I do my laundry. I clean my room. It's okay for my friends to visit on weekends, but they can't visit on weekdays. My friends from school sometimes come to my house for dinner, and James sometimes invites me to play video games with him.