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## Hello Everyone!

I'm Maya Frish, and I'm going to be one of the shinshinim for 2018-2019 in Cleveland! I want you to know me better before we meet, so here are a few things about me!

I'm 18 years old and I live in a small town (a Moshava) in the south-center of Israel called "Gedera". Gedera has founded in 1884 and it's one of the oldest towns in the Jewish settlement. It was founded even before Israel was born!

I study in "Darca Begin" high school and I am a student in two major subjects: the first is diplomacy and international communication in English, and the second is sociology and physiology.

I live with my parents - my mother, Moran and my father, Yarden. My mother is a cosmetician, and my father owns a gadgets and outdoors company called "Inspire". I have two brothers. My older brother's name is Lee, he is 22 years old and he got released from the army recently. He likes to play basketball, and hang out with family and



friends. My younger brother's name is Tal, he is 14 years old and he is a student in 8th grade. He is a very good painter, and a student in the "Maccabi Tzair" youth movement.

Speaking of "Maccabi Tzair", I am also a part of this youth movement. I've been a student in Maccabi since 3rd grade and I became a counselor in 9th grade. Now I'm a manager of a group of counselors in Maccabi. I also really like dancing - I have been a dancer since I was 3 years old and I was a part of a dancing troupe until 9th grade. I really like to listen to music and I'm a big fan of jazz! I love hanging out with my family, and with my friends.

I also love to participate in our community activities such as basketball tournaments, where my mother, my little brother Tal and I come to cheer my father and older brother while they play. We have community special ceremonies like in Independence Day, and memorial days, that the community teens participate in. I have had the honor to be a part of them in the last three years, as a representative of my school and my youth movement.

So that's it for now, we will know much more about each other when I'll see you in a few months!

Very excited to see you soon!

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