

How children in Chile and Germany live

Reporter Sabrina has interviewed children from Santiago de Chile, the capital of Chile, and from Fischbachau, a small town in southern Germany. Here you can read the statements of Angie Noelia, Antonia Sofía, Juan Carlos, and Elian Iván from Chile and by Johanna, Julia, Jakob, and Andreas from Germany. You can read the interview aloud with assigned roles.

Sabrina: **Describe the place where you live.**

Antonia Sofía: We have a large two-story house with six bedrooms and a balcony.

Jakob: I live in a building with several apartments. There are a lot of trees and plants and I know a lot of people.

Juan Carlos: Our house has two bedrooms, one bathroom, and a tiny patio. It is a single-story house.

Johanna: I live on a farm. We also have a horse stable, a riding hall, and a large pasture.

Sabrina: **Do you sleep alone or with somebody else in the room?**

Andreas: I sleep alone in my room.

Juan Carlos: I sleep in the same room with my older sister, but in a separate bed.

Angie Noelia: I sleep with my brother in a bunk bed.

Sabrina: **Briefly describe the neighborhood where you live.**

Elian Iván: There are only houses, they're all different, most are one story, a few are two stories. There are no apartment buildings.

Andreas: There aren't any stores in our neighborhood, but there's a small bed-and-breakfast.

Julia: It's a small town with a bakery and a shoe store. We also have a preschool there.

Sabrina: **Is there a public playground near your home? Do you play there?**

Antonia Sofía: Yes, in my neighborhood there is a public playground that we call "los juegos". Sometimes I go there to play.

Jakob: Yes. I go there once every 2-3 weeks.

Juan Carlos: There aren't any playgrounds, just what we call a "cancha" (a field where people can play soccer or basketball, but that does not have any special equipment).

Sabrina: How many people live at home with you?

Juan Carlos: Five people live in our house, including my father and mother.

Angie Noelia: Five people live at home, including my grandfather.

Jakob: Three in our apartment: my parents and I. There are a total of nine people in the whole building.

Julia: Five. My parents, my big brother, and grandmother.

Sabrina: What do you normally eat for breakfast?

Elían Iván: Milk and bread with "cecinas" (cured beef) and butter.

Andreas: I eat granola.

Julia: I eat a bread roll with marmalade and drink cocoa.

Antonia Sofía: Tea with or without milk, but normally without because it makes me sick. Bread with butter and "cecina".

Sabrina: What do you do after school?

Antonia Sofía: I play with my dolls or on the computer.

Johanna: I help on the farm, for example, with feeding the animals, then I do my homework. Sometimes I have riding lessons.

Andreas: I feed the cats, eat something, then do my homework, ride my bike, or tinker in the workshop.

Juan Carlos: I play soccer or hide-and-seek outside with friends.

Sabrina: What do you do on the weekend?

Johanna: I go to the mountains, go swimming, or ride my bike.

Juan Carlos: I play video games. Sometimes I go shopping.

Jakob: I go shopping with my grandmother, visit a schoolmate, or play in the yard

Angie Noelia: TV!