

Writing Sample 

Greeting	Dear Amanda,
Opening paragraph	I'm sorry that I haven't written to you since I arrived in the UK. I've been having jet lag for a week. Luckily, I'm getting better now and having a great time these few days. Mr and Mrs Brown, the parents of my host family, took me to a very cool place yesterday. Let me tell you all about it.
Body	<p>Have you ever heard of Stonehenge? It's a mysterious collection of large stones located in the south of England. There are many different stories about how and why Stonehenge came to be. However, since nobody really knows for sure, it has remained a mystery throughout the ages.</p> <p>According to the tour guide, the stones themselves are very large. Some are up to five metres tall and weigh 25 tons. They are arranged quite close together in a circular pattern. One of Stonehenge's biggest mysteries is how people moved those stones without modern machinery. When I stood right in front of the stones, I was really surprised. They were much taller than me and I couldn't possibly imagine how people in the past could build such a thing. More importantly, why did they build it? I was thinking of aliens at that moment!</p>
Closing paragraph	How's your life in Hong Kong? Dull and boring? Do you miss me? I told you that you should have come with me. Tell me what you're doing these days.
Close	<p>Love,</p> <p><i>Sue</i></p>