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Elkins, WV 26241  
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Dear class,

Hi I'm Jake Taylor, and I live in Elkins, West Virginia. We are doing the GAMR for a class project, which is where I will be sending multiple letters to two states of my choice. I'm a 6ft, 8<sup>th</sup> grade, 13 year old boy. I attend Elkins Middle School, but I don't live in town. I actually live in Beverly, a town just outside of Elkins. In Elkins Middle School we have three grades(6th 7th 8th). This is my first year in West Virginia. I'm originally from Cincinnati, Ohio, so I'm hoping one of these letters will go to one of my old friends. When I lived there, I attended Sherwood Elementary School and later on went to Nagel Middle School. But, the first school I ever attended was Bethel-Tate Primary School. I play baseball, and basketball and I excel in both and especially academics.

Is your food as nasty as ours? And I'm not kidding. Our food could kill you. It gives you heart burn, tastes like doo-doo, and they act like it's healthy for you. The best tasting food we have is our Caesar salad, chicken nuggets, and mac and cheese.

Once again, I live in Beverly, West Virginia. We only have one elementary school. And there's nothing to do here, AT ALL. So most of the time I wait till walkers are dismissed and hang out with my friends after school. The only time that I'm home is early in the morning and late evenings. In my opinion to fit in here, you have to have a truck, chew tobacco, and have a curved hat, but I'm not like that. I'm more of a save up for shoes and find a court type of guy.

I appreciate you all taking the time to read my letter and I hope you write back, thanks.

Sincerely,

Jake Taylor