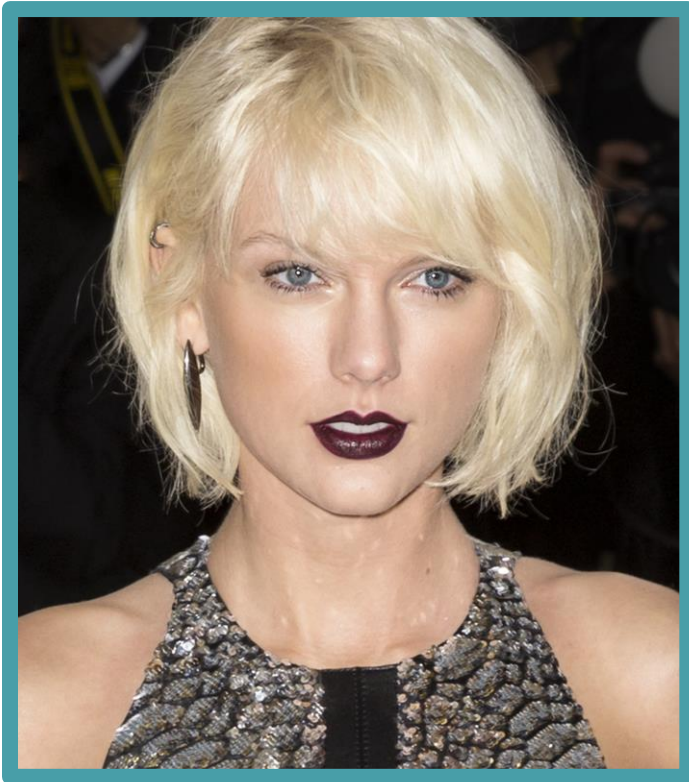




Let's Chat

Taylor Swift



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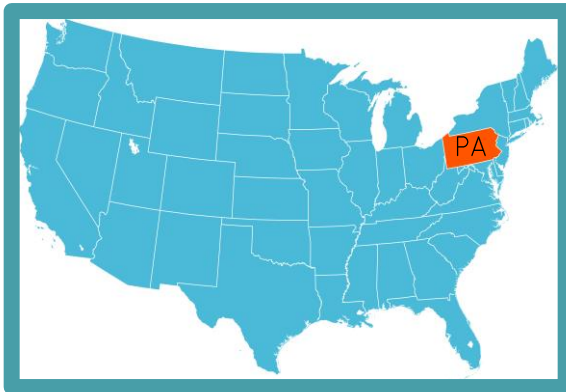


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Taylor Swift is a famous musician. She is a singer and songwriter. Her full name is Taylor Alison Swift. What is your full name?



Taylor's birthday is December 13th. What is the month of December like? What happens in December? What is the weather like?



Taylor grew up in **Pennsylvania**. It is PA for short. What two letters do you use for your state? What state are you from? Can you find it on the map?



Taylor's parents owned a **Christmas tree farm** in Pennsylvania. They grew pine trees. What type of trees grow in your state?



Do you like horses?

Taylor learned how to ride a **horse** when she was a kid. What did you like to do when you were a little kid?

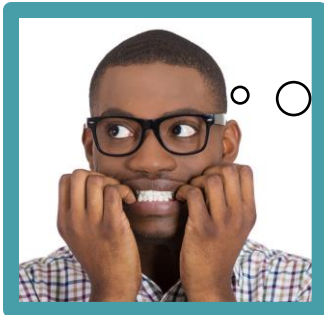


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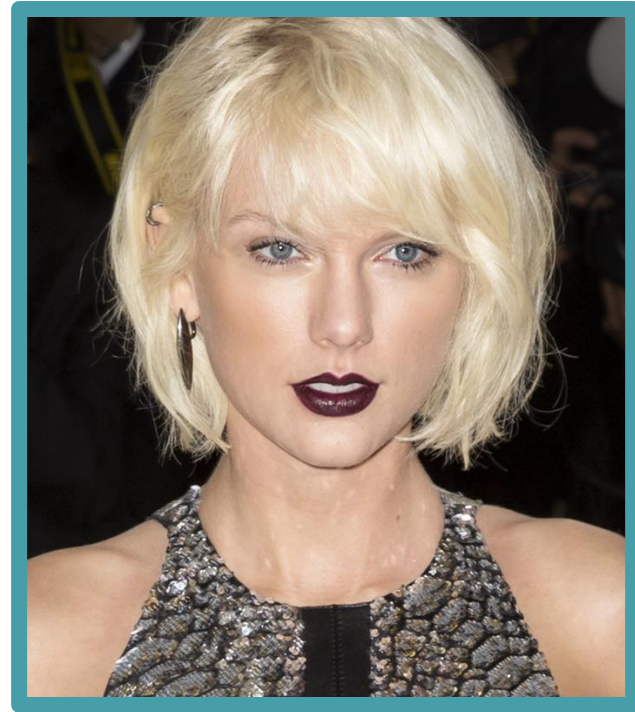
Which country songs do you like? Do you like country dancing?

Taylor moved to **Nashville, Tennessee** when she was 14 years old. She wanted to sing country music. Do you like country music?



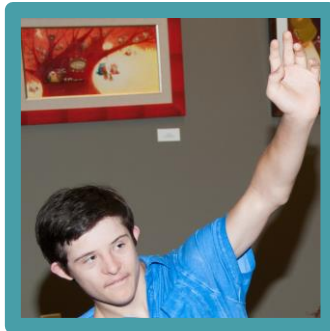
How do I
ask
someone
to dance
with me?

Country dancing is fun to do with friends. Some people like to dance with a partner. How would you ask someone to dance?



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Taylor has many nicknames. They are Tay, Swifty, and T-Sweezy! Do you have a **nickname**? Do you know anyone with a nickname? How do people get nicknames?



What do you know about cats?

Taylor has two cats. Their names are Meredith and Olivia. These cats are a special breed called **Scottish Folds**. Look at their ears. They are adorable!



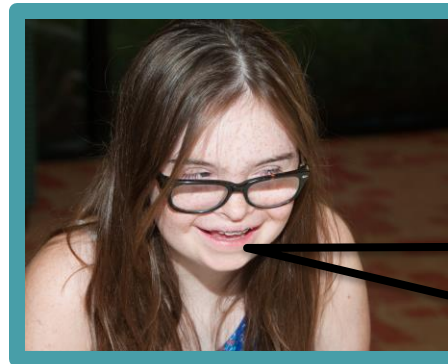
Do you like Blank Slate?

Taylor also has two dogs. They are Dobermans. A **Doberman** is a breed of dog. Taylor's pets are in her music video Blank Slate. Have you heard that song?



Soccer is hard for me. What is hard for you to do?

Taylor used to play **soccer**. She was not very good at it. She liked to play anyway. What is something that you need to practice doing?



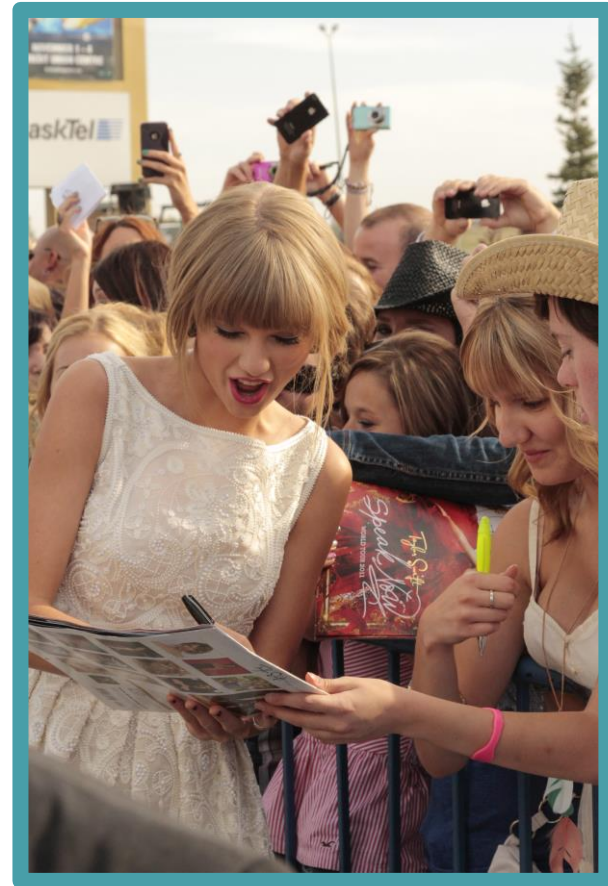
My grandma collected antique dolls.

Taylor has a **collection** of vintage baseballs. Vintage means old or antique. Do you collect anything?



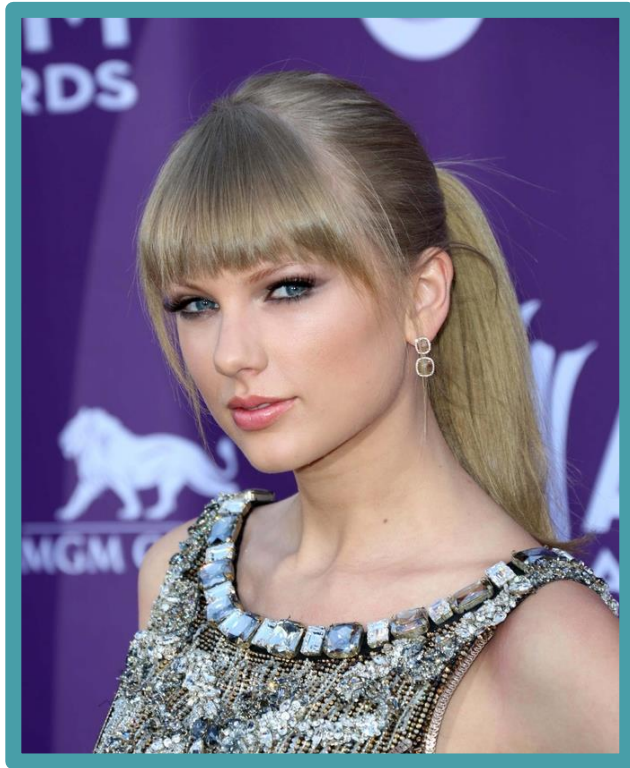
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Taylor has **friends**. One friend is Selena Gomez. They have something in common. They both like to sing and perform. What do you have in common with your friends?



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Taylor's fans want her **autograph**. Some people collect autographs of famous people. Do you have any autographs? Whose autograph would you like?



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Taylor has won a lot of **awards** for her singing. When she goes to the award ceremonies she always dresses up. When do you get dressed up?



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