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When did you come to Melbourne?

I came to Melbourne last year, so I've been here for about 5 months now.

Why did you choose Australia?

The climate is good and the cost of living was very good when I compared it to the U.K., which is the other place that I was considering studying.

Why did you choose Melbourne?

I have relatives here, which was my first reason. I also thought that Sydney would be nice but I chose Melbourne because it is a similar size to Sydney but less crowded.

Where do you live?

I live close to the city in West Brunswick. I like it. When I first came to Melbourne I stayed with my relatives but I wanted to get my own place so that I would always speak English.

What are your plans for the future?

After I finish studying at GEOS I want to go to University. If I get a high enough score on the IELTS exam, I would like to do a Master's in Electronic Engineering.

What surprised you when you came to Melbourne?

I thought that Melbourne would be very crowded because it's a big city but actually it's very well organised and not too busy at all. Melbourne's weather is quite different with lots of variety.

What advice would you give to people in Turkey who are thinking about studying overseas?

Australia is a good place to live, it's not expensive and you can find a job quite easily. The people are friendly and it's easy to find people to talk to.