

## It's me box - Ana Rita José



1. My ballet pointe shoes. Why have I chosen the shoes? I have been practising ballet since I was 3 years old, so I have a connection with this sport and it represents the hardworking person that I am. Also, to me dancing is the best way to express what I'm feeling.
2. My earphones. And the question related to this object is: What kind of music do I often listen to? I'm a music fan and I believe that the kind of music we listen to defines us. I like different styles of music - pop, pop rock and indie pop.
3. The 3rd object is a picture of me and some of my friends. Why have I chosen it? My friends are really important to me, they are the ones who can make me smile and laugh and I know that I can count on them.
4. Then, I have this photo of my cat. And to my cat's picture I relate the question "Was this cat my first pet ever?". Yes, Isabel is the cat's name, and she is my first and only pet and she has been in the family for 6 years.
5. I have chosen a book to represent me, the book is "The book thief"; you have probably seen the movie, it's about the second world war and the suffering of the Germans and the Jews. This is probably my favourite book because it represents a historical event and I am a person who likes history.
6. The sixth object is this little bracelet. Once again, this bracelet is a symbol of friendship, it was given to me by a friend who isn't in my class any more, and I wear it since he left our class.
7. I also think that the Portuguese flag defines me, or at least being Portuguese has an impact on me. The flag of Portugal reminds me of the victory over France in the Euro 2016 and how happy I and all the other people were. It just felt amazing seeing our nation united, even if it was just for football.

- 8.** The next thing is chocolate. I admit that I'm an unhealthy person and I love almost all types of sweets, but chocolate is for sure my favourite, I eat it all the time!
- 9.** I have also brought a pen as an object that defines me. I really like to write, when we are writing we're actually expressing what we are thinking or feeling, we basically transform our thoughts in words and paper becomes our confidant.
- 10.** And the final object is a notebook. Is it an ordinary book? No, actually it's my travel diary! There are only 2 travels that I have made so far. The first one was to London and Edinburgh last year with my schoolmates and the second one was to Rome with my family. Travelling is something that I really enjoy even if don't travel that much. To get to know new places, to learn about different cultures and to interact with people of different countries are the highlights of travelling.