It's me box- Mariana Reis



My name is Mariana Reis, I'm 15 years old and today I'm here to talk about 10 objects that are important to me and somehow define me.

I hope you appreciate my presentation. Thank you.

1 - Family photo:

So, this is my first object. But why have I chosen a photo? This photo was taken on my first birthday. Around me are my mother, my father and my sister. It represents my love and affection for them. I'm very grateful for all they have done for me, they always help and love me. They are the best family I could ever ask for. We have a beautiful relationship, and I hope it continues like that.

2 - Little box:

The second object is this little box. But, what is the importance of a box? Every year I have a little box like this, where I keep some memories. Most of them are related to friends.

In the box I put things like tickets, bracelets, papers that make me remember the good times we spent together. To me, friends are very important! They help me when I need it, and then we have a lot of fun together. I met most of my friends at school, but I also have a group of friends who practise the same sport as me.

3 - Judo belt:

This third object is related to it. It is my judo belt. I use it almost every day so I already consider it part of my closet! Judo has helped me meet new people, to make me believe in my abilities, and to realise that this is my sport. One of my dreams is to compete is the Olympics.

4 - Dog collar:

This object is a little bit different. It is a dog collar. But why did I decide to bring it? This dog collar belongs to my sister's dog. Her name is Saphira. Despite being an animal, I consider her a friend. I really love animals and I would like to be a vet in the future.

5 - Planner:

Another object is my planner. Why did I choose this object? I'm a little bit disorganised, so I need a planner in order not to forget tests, tasks, birthdays, and other important things. I keep it always in my backpack.

6 - Luck coin:

The next object is very small, usually in our wallets and we use it to buy stuff. Can you guess what is it? Exactly/Okay, it's a coin. But this is a special coin! It is my lucky coin! I keep it always in my wallet, and I believe it brings me luck, so that means I'm a little bit superstitious.

7/8 - Paper sheet/pen:

The next two objects are a paper sheet and a pen. That's the most normal thing, right? How do these two objects have importance? With a paper sheet and a pen I can register moments, write everything I'm thinking of, and draw, which is my favourite hobby!

9 - Portuguese flag:

Another object is the Portuguese flag! I love Portugal! I think it is the most beautiful country! I'm proud to be Portuguese. Despite being a small country, Portugal has so much to give! But that doesn't mean I don't like the other countries. In fact, I love travelling!

10 - Identification card:

The best experience I've ever had outside the country, was a school exchange to Warsaw, Poland. This object was given to me when I arrived. It is an identification card. This trip made me more responsible and independent, and I would really like to repeat it.