Growing up in Portsmouth and then in Chesterfield in Derbyshire, Daisy never dreamed that starting to learn German in Year Seven would open up a world of adventures for her.

Taking part in school exchanges, welcoming languages students to her family home, working as a chamber maid in a cool château in the French Pyrenees, helping out in summer camps in Germany, travelling with new friends across Europe and enjoying breaks in Barcelona have all given her the motivation and the confidence to learn new languages and 'give them a go'.

As well as studying French and German at school and college and learning Spanish with friends, Daisy started on her journey to learning Chinese when, still at school, she worked at weekends in a local restaurant. Ever curious and keen to communicate and make more friends, Daisy soon learned to take orders from Mandarin-speaking customers and even wrote down orders using Chinese characters.

After several trips travelling across China and spending an amazing year in Shanghai, Daisy is about to complete the final year of her studies at Lancaster University.

Learning languages and enjoying meeting new people and visiting new places has given Daisy unforgettable memories.

Who knows where languages will take her next?