

AN INTERVIEW WITH AMY

TRANSCRIPT

Where were you born?

I was born in a suburb about an hour outside of Chicago called Hoffman Estates.

Whereabouts in Chicago do you live?

So when I was 5 years old, my parents my sister and I moved to a suburb called Bensenville, which is about a half an hour outside of Chicago.

How far is it from Chicago?

My suburb is about 45 minutes by train or a half an hour by car outside of Chicago.

Which school did you go to?

I went to grade school in my suburb Bensenville until I was 14 years old. I went to high school called Immaculate Conception. My high school was about 15 minutes from my house and I was there until I was 18 and I attended College in Missouri, which is a state about 6 hours Southwest of Illinois.

What is your favourite attraction?

My favorite attraction in Chicago is *The Bean*. It's a large structure literally shaped like a bean and people really enjoy going there. It has a reflective

surface so you can take pictures in it or in front of it and it's a really popular attraction in Chicago.

Who is your favourite celebrity from Chicago?

My favorite celebrity in Chicago would have to be Barack Obama. I like Barack Obama because I think he was a great president for America. I enjoy his policy and I also think that he's a great personality.

What's your favourite building?

My favorite building in Chicago is called the Sears Tower. It's the second tallest tower in the country and the 16th tallest in the world and it offers a really beautiful view of the entire city.

What's your favourite place outside Chicago?

My favorite place outside of Chicago is a really fun theme park called Six Flags Great America. It's about an hour and a half north of Chicago and it has a lot of really fun roller coasters and different rides.

What's the best season to visit Chicago? Why? And the worst?

The best season to visit Chicago would probably be either the fall or the spring because the weather is a little bit more mild. The worst season to visit Chicago is probably the winter because it's extremely cold and very windy.

Where can you take the best picture in Chicago?

There are two really great spots to take a good picture in Chicago: the first is at the very top of the Sears Tower because of the view it offers of the entire city below and another really good spot is by the lake because you can see the entire Chicago skyline.

Things you like doing in the summer in Chicago

In the summer in Chicago I really enjoy going to the beach which is right by Lake Michigan and just kind of tanning or going swimming. I also enjoy attending baseball games or just sitting outside with a drink with some of my friends.

And in the winter?

In the winter in Chicago we have a really beautiful outdoor ice skating ring that I enjoy going to.

Invite people to come and visit the city

I think Chicago is a really great place to visit so if you have some time drop on by and I'll see you there