

Wednesday, 16th November 2019.

L.O. Write a letter in first person as Maia to the twins.
~~I.O. We are learning to use what we have read to support our writing.~~

Dear Beatrice and Gwendolyn,

I am ~~excited~~ astonished at your invitation into your household. Although I was at first hesitant to a sudden burst of hope, I have decided to accompany you in the Amazon. As you already know, my name is Maia. Presently, I live in a girls academy stationed in London. Have you been to school? ^{Two} years ago, my parents died in a train crash, ^{meaning it was} instantly ^{put} ~~put~~ into ~~full~~ time the academy full time.

In my life span, I have gained varied interests. The first I will state is my love for reading. Ever since I could flick my fingertips through the pages, I ^{was} ~~was~~ sucked in. ~~The second hobby I will list is~~ Luckily, my school has a job-smacking library. Secondly, I enjoy gaining knowledge. Though people would disagree this is a hobby, I have fun letting new knowledge enter my head. I will not state this as a fun activity, but I ~~have~~ ^{am} particularly good at needlework. Do you have a hobby?

When hearing about my invitation, I immediately started studying the Amazon. I have heard about the varied species of animals that roam through the trees. Knowing this, I made sure I knew every detail of these magnificent creatures. The lush forest gives ~~an~~ a lasting effect. What is your favourite thing about it? I have heard of the river and trees that wind through.

I am thoroughly looking forward to entering your household.
As I am happy for my education to halt ~~to~~ so I
can visit a positive atmosphere.

Sincerely, your best cousin, Maia