Virtually all of Stanford's undergraduates live on campus. Write a note to your future roommate that reveals something about you or that will help your roommate—and us—know you better. (250 words limit)

Dear roommate,

I bet you must have heard of dishes like Kung Pao Chicken or Mapo Tofu. Yes, I was born and grew up with Szechuan cuisine, which is often known as dream for spicy lovers. If you enjoy it, we would definitely get along more than just well! I enjoy cooking as well as eating, and have been influenced by my grandpa, a previous chef in the army, after he lost hope on passing his techniques to my incorrigible father. I can carry out some Szechuan dishes to hold a mini party for us on holidays or to celebrate passing another dreadful exam. Never worry about my cooking skill! I assure you it's edible.

In some way, my disposition is a bit “spicy”. Don't worry, I won't sing hysterically all night long to call police. I just have a hot strong passion for everything I do, and can easily lose myself. I love all genres of video games. Apart from playing games, I've also established an independent game studio and worked on 3D role-play games with traditional Chinese elements as a programmer. I believe you'll be interested in, and can give me constant inspiration in the following year. I'm also a hardcore fan of fantasy novels, so not be surprised to see intricate maps of Middle-earth or Westeros hanging in our dorm. Sometimes I might go astray in the virtual worlds and forget to eat or sleep, so it is your responsibility to punch me in face to bring me back. Don't be scared if I seem to be geeky – I love to explore new interests, and would be glad to step into your world if invited.

I cannot wait to start our journey at Stanford, full of uncertainties and adventures!