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Love Island reveals cast of series 8

Name: Gemma Owen

Age: 19

From: Chester

Occupation: International Dressage Rider and Business Owner

Why Love Island and why now?

I am open to finding love, I'm wanting to have a really fun summer. I was seeing someone and then that didn't work out so I thought, "Why not?"

What do you think you'll bring to the Villa?

I would say I'm fun, flirty and fiery. I think I'm good at giving advice, I'm a good person to talk to, I'm very honest. If I want the same guy, I'd do it but in a nice respectful way.

How competitive are you?

Sport has always been a big thing for me and my family. My dad was a professional football player. I've competed for Great Britain in dressage since I was 11-years-old. I've travelled all across Europe competing in big arenas in big competitions. I would say I'm very competitive. [When it comes to relationships] I will always go for what I want. But at the same time, I'm not going to mess up something for someone who is in a proper relationship or get in the way of a couple if they have a genuine connection. I wouldn't do anything to another girl that I wouldn't be happy with them doing to me.

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