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Learning English through Overseas visits & Exchange programmes

Being culturally sensitive is a key in our globalizing world. We believe that students are in their prime time to take advantage of their freedom and youth to travel overseas to gain life-long personal benefits as well as a leg up in the professional world. Getting out of their established comfort zone, students are able to expose themselves to unfamiliar situations so as to navigate foreign environments with confidence. Through participating in visits and exchange programmes overseas, we hope that students can embrace challenges and become smarter and more competent individuals.

2019-2020



Aiming at helping students find the roots of our school, the English Department organized a 10-day Norway Study Tour in January 2020 with the help of Ansgar University College and Oslo Covenant Church Bethlehem. The 50th Anniversary tour successfully engaged students in cultural exchange with the Norwegian students and improved students' English proficiency. With God's grace, our mission was completed before the outbreak of COVID-19.



Jansen and Donald with Family Haugland and Breistein



Marcus and Tony with Family Roppe



Inside the Oslo City Hall, where the Nobel Peace Prize is presented



Chapel service conducted by Daniel Braendeland, the junior pastor



What made them so happy?



Playing some games in Ansgar's kitchen



Students were too excited to get red packets from Norwegians



Inside Kilden Performance Hall



Having fun playing hockey



So much fun playing with snowballs



So close to the lions!



Receiving red packets from teachers on Chinese New Year Day

2018-2019

Canada

Seven students participated in a 15-day programme called Canada Culture & English Summer Camp organized by CCCEA. Students attended lessons at Thompson Rivers University and participated in various activities in Kamloops. They stayed in different host families experiencing the Canadian cultures, which made the trip fruitful and memorable.



A very spacious campus



Exciting horseback riding!

Kayaking at North Barriere Lake



Hiking with host families enjoying breathtaking view

8 students were offered an opportunity to organize an excursion to San Francisco, Las Vegas and Grand Canyon of United States with the help of 2 teachers. Inspired by the culture, history and development of America, they have become more confident and independent.

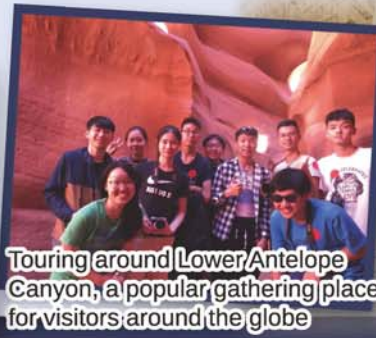
United States



A field trip to Golden Gate Bridge



Cheering at the South Rim of Grand Canyon



Touring around Lower Antelope Canyon, a popular gathering place for visitors around the globe

Interviewing students at Stanford University



Austria and Hungary were the destinations of 14 participants including 2 L.S. teachers and 10 students. They visited Vienna, which is the most populous city of Austria, was chosen as the most livable city in the world in 2018. Travelling in Budapest, the capital city of Hungary, students realized the reasons why it was ranked as the second fastest-developing urban economy in Europe.

Hungary Austria

A visit to Hofburg, the former principal imperial palace of the Habsburg dynasty rulers



On the beautiful Blue Danube

Participants were meeting at Liberty Square which was believed a mix of business and residential in Budapest



It was the third year our school offered opportunities for students to participate in a leadership programme called Handong Leadership School (HLS) which was organized by Handong Global University. 11 students learnt Korean Language and culture and attended different interest classes during the 7-day tour.

Korea



Students were excited to put on traditional Korean costumes - Hanbok

Show time! Students performed on the stage!



Attending an interest class, Samul nori which is a kind of percussion music originated in Korea



Attending one of the interest classes, K-pop dance

Students had lots of fun in the exchange programme



2017-2018



Canada Culture & English Summer Camp organized by CCCEA was a precious opportunity for 7 students to communicate with counterparts in other countries.



Cherries in U-Pick Orchard could be picked and eaten as much as students wanted



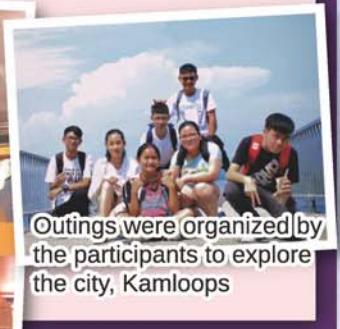
Students were having delicious lunch packed by their host families



Students enjoyed the time staying with the hospitable host family



Different levels of rock-climbing challenges were available for participants.



Outings were organized by the participants to explore the city, Kamloops

Four S.4 students were honourably invited to join a 8-day tour with the other award-winning schools to Kazakhstan under the sponsorship of Quality Education Fund. Students were encouraged to communicate with the local people and other participants in multi-languages which include English, Cantonese and Putonghua.



A day trip at Big Almaty Lake



Entertained by a local family with great hospitality



Central Mosque



sightseeing at Bayterek Tower



Students visited a local orphanage

2016-2017



Nine students participated in the 15-day programme that year.



The host families showed students great hospitality



Getting ready for an adventurous kayaking journey



It was the participants' first trip to travel outside Hong Kong



Indoor rock-climbing competition

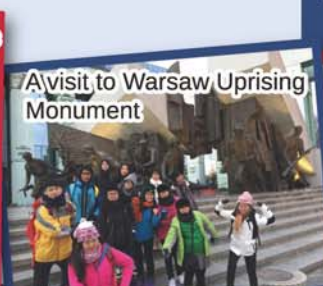
Despite the cold weather in the depths of winter, a team of fourteen students led by two Liberal Studies teachers made an expedition to three East European cities which were Warsaw, Kraków and Prague.



Teachers and students paid homage at Concentration Camp



Celebrating Christmas at Historic Centre of Warsaw



A visit to Warsaw Uprising Monument



Solidarity, Poland

2016-2017



The 10-day exchange programme in Handong Global University brought students not only joy and fun but also opportunities to meet new friends and enhance communication skills.

Young leaders visited Yeongildae Beach in Pohang



Participants learnt Korean cultures in Gyeongju



Participants learnt traditional Fan Dance and performed on the last day



Students from different countries developed friendship through team building/games



Men in Hanbok, a traditional costume of Korea

2015-2016



For many years, CCCEA has organized Canada Culture & English Summer Camp and it was the second year our students took part in the programme.

Learning Canadian culture through staying with host families



Beautiful campus



Students tried 5-pin bowling in Canada



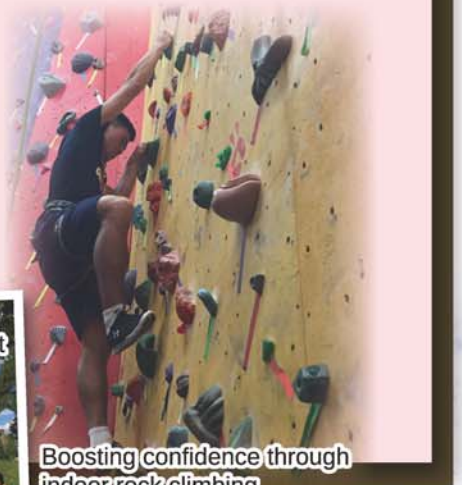
Engaging in group presentation



The campus was a place for the participants to meet new friends



Boosting confidence through indoor rock climbing



It was the first year our students participated in Global Leadership Programme organized by Handong Global University.



A trip to Jukdo market



Learning how to play the traditional Korean musical instruments



Attending a traditional Korean wedding



Practising Karate



Teenagers enjoyed playing team building activities

