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SINGAPORE STUDY TOUR



A group of 40 Primary 6 students from T.Y.C.Y. participated in an English study tour in Singapore from the 7th to the 11th of May, focusing on sustainability, culture, and community development. The trip was an incredible experience for the students, as they explored how Singapore has become a unique global city that emphasizes recycling and sustainability to enhance the quality of life for its citizens. During their visit, the students explored various cultural landmarks, attended educational workshops, and engaged in immersive experiences. They also enjoyed sampling Singapore's diverse culinary delights while learning about the elements that make the city an exceptional place to live and visit.

Merlion Attraction



The Merlion, a symbol of Singapore, is a mythical creature with a lion's head and a fish's body. It represents the city's origins as a fishing village and its early name, Singapura, meaning "Lion City." Located at Merlion Park, it's a key attraction, blending history, culture, and identity.

Gardens by the Bay



Gardens by the Bay is a world-class nature park in Singapore, featuring the Supertree Grove, solar-powered vertical gardens, and conservatories like the Flower Dome and Cloud Forest. It combines sustainability, innovation, and biodiversity to inspire awareness and appreciation.

Little India



Little India in Singapore is a vibrant cultural district showcasing Indian heritage and traditions. Visitors can explore colorful shops, taste authentic Indian cuisine, and visit landmarks like the Sri Veeramakaliamman Temple, immersing themselves in the rich history and lively atmosphere.



Chinatown



Chinatown in Singapore is a historic district showcasing Chinese culture and heritage. Visitors can explore traditional shophouses, vibrant markets, and landmarks like Buddha Tooth Relic Temple. It offers authentic Chinese cuisine, cultural festivals, and a glimpse into Singapore's multiculturalism.



Singapore Aquarium



The S.E.A. Aquarium in Singapore, located on Sentosa Island, is one of the world's largest aquariums. It houses over 100,000 marine animals from 1,000 species, offering visitors an educational journey through diverse ocean ecosystems and marine conservation efforts.



The Night Safari



The Night Safari in Singapore, the world's first nocturnal wildlife park, offers a unique experience to explore animal habitats after dark. Home to over 900 animals from 100 species, it promotes wildlife conservation through immersive tram rides and walking trails.



Singapore Workshop Experience

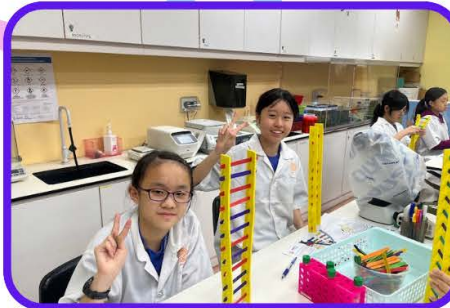
T.Y.C.Y. students recently attended educational workshops in Singapore, focusing on cutting-edge topics like water management, DNA research, and integrating AI into their studies. They explored sustainable water solutions, learned about DNA's role in modern science, and discovered how AI can enhance learning and problem-solving. Through hands-on activities and expert-led sessions, students gained valuable knowledge, practical skills, and global perspectives. These workshops inspired them to tackle real-world challenges, fostering innovation, curiosity, and a deeper understanding of technology and environmental sustainability.



Cheung Hiu Ki, Katie (6A)



On the Singapore tour, one of the most educational places we went to was the One World International School Digital Campus (Punggol). There, we interviewed students and asked around the school. We even learned how to create an effective prompt for artificial intelligence. Through this encounter, we not only improved our social communication skills but also met people from diverse cultural backgrounds. This school visit opened my eyes and my mind to see what is possible. I enjoyed it very much!



Lam Ching Yan, Chasta (6E)



In April, I joined the Singapore Study Tour and went to Singapore. During the trip, we went to one of Singapore's most famous places—the Science Museum. It was huge! We joined a DNA experiment class. I learnt about what DNA was and how important DNA is. Then the professor taught us to make DNA. I followed the instructions carefully. Therefore, I succeeded. Afterward, the professor also taught us to make a DNA model craft. I tried my best and finished it myself. It was such an interesting and educational day. I loved it.



Chan Ting Hei, Aiken (6D)



During the Singapore tour, the Sustainable Singapore Gallery at Marina Barrage was the most thought-provoking place, as I learned a great deal about how to protect our environment from the gallery. In Zone E: The Journey to Zero, we were amazed to see a recycling twist, a sculpture created by River Valley Primary School in Singapore from waste materials. Also, the interactive cycling station in Zone D: City of the Future interested me the most. We could cycle while absorbing knowledge on sustainable development.

CARTOON CHARACTERS ARE AMAZING!

T.Y.C.Y. students are full of energy and creativity, and they absolutely love fun and amazing cartoon characters! From colorful superheroes to adorable animated animals, these characters inspire their imaginations and bring endless joy. These characters often teach valuable lessons about friendship, teamwork, and kindness, making them even more meaningful to the students. T.Y.C.Y. kids truly embrace the magic of cartoons, turning every moment into a lively, imaginative adventure. Read the clues from our students and see if you can guess which cartoon characters are their favourite.

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Lam Wing Yan, Belle - 5A

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Tsang Wing Sum, Lily - 5A

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Leung Kei Tung, Abby - 3B

This is my favourite cartoon character. It is highly popular all over the world. There are some of the kinds that are only available in Thailand. It has sharp ears. It also has nine sharp teeth and big eyes. It was created in 2015 by Kasing Lung. You can always see its blind box, dolls and keychains selling in Pop Mart. **Who is it?**

This cute character is always crying but has a kind and loving heart. It gets upset easily but never gives up, showing that it's okay to feel sad sometimes. With big, shiny eyes full of tears, it teaches others to be strong, kind, and true to themselves. Who is this sweet and emotional character? **Who am I?**

This tiny, round character is irresistibly cute, with a soft colour design and emotional features. Often seen enjoying snacks and naps, it lives in a whimsical world filled with friends like Hachiware and Usagi. Despite its small size, it shows bravery and kindness in everyday adventures. Who is this lovable character? **Who am I?**

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Tang Ka Ki, Kay - 3C

This is a fluffy puppy with long ears that resemble a cinnamon roll. Known for its large, lovely eyes and cheerful demeanor, I live in a cartoon world where It spreads joy and kindness. With friends like Cappuccino and Milk, Cinnamoroll loves to explore and share delightful adventures! In real life, It is a yummy dessert. **Who am I?**

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Luk Pak Kiu, Kayton - 3C

He is a powerful Saiyan warrior from the "Dragon Ball" series. Known for his spiky black hair and iconic orange Gi, he possesses incredible strength and agility. He is fiercely determined, always seeking new challenges and enemies. His kind heart and unwavering spirit inspire friends and foes alike in epic battles. **Who is he?**

a Chiikawa

b Labubu

c Crybaby

d Cinnamoroll

e Goku



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Write your answers on the answer sheet and place it in the Smarties box outside the Reading Room.

Name: _____ Class: _____

Activities for your summer vacation

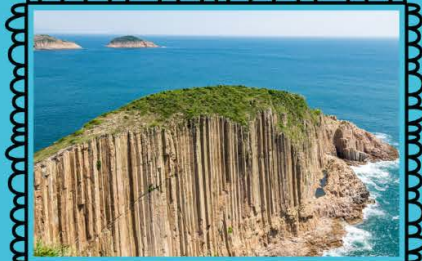
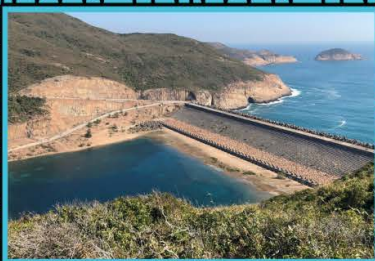
You have just finished an educational year at school, and it is now time for summer vacation. There are numerous fun summer activities to enjoy here in Hong Kong. Think about what you are interested in and do some research. Make a plan and go out and enjoy your summer holiday.



Discover the new Go Park in Hong Kong, a vibrant destination for outdoor fun and relaxation. Featuring lush green spaces, walking trails, playgrounds, and picnic spots, it's perfect for families, fitness enthusiasts, and nature lovers alike! Head over to Sai Sha, New Territories and enjoy!



Welcome to Hong Kong's iconic Kai Tak Stadium, a state-of-the-art venue blending sports, entertainment, and culture. Located in the vibrant Kai Tak Development Area, it features a world-class main arena, event spaces, and modern facilities, hosting thrilling matches, concerts, and international events. It's a landmark of innovation and excitement! Go have a look and have fun!



Explore the breathtaking Hong Kong UNESCO Global Geopark in Sai Kung, a natural wonder showcasing stunning volcanic rock formations, sea caves, and pristine waters. Ideal for hiking, kayaking, and photography, this geological marvel offers a unique glimpse into Earth's history, blending nature, adventure, and scenic beauty in one unforgettable experience.



Discover the serene beauty of Bride's Pool and Tai Mei Tuk Tsuen in Hong Kong. Bride's Pool enchants with its peaceful waterfall and lush surroundings, perfect for nature lovers. Nearby, Tai Mei Tuk offers cycling trails, scenic reservoirs, and water activities, making it a favorite destination for relaxation and adventure. This is a day for family fun!