

I enjoyed this Canadian trip quite a lot. Before I went to Saskatoon, I partly didn't know what we would be doing during the trip. But after we studied there for three weeks and did different activities there, I thought it helped me to know more about the Canadian culture and the Canadian school life.

Then I stayed with my host-family for three weeks, it gave me a lot of opportunity to talk with them and I learnt more vocabulary during that time. I also learnt some of their local mannerisms too. For example: They seldom finish their supper quickly like us. They always finish a dinner within forty-five minutes. They said that this is the way to enjoy the dishes. Then, I also learnt how to use the western-style tableware correctly. Therefore, I can handle using this tableware without chopsticks quite easily. It made me learn a lot.

Now I will talk about my feelings about studying there. We had school from Mondays to Fridays at 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. During the lessons, we learnt different English skills and wordings, and wrote a lot of passages. In addition, we presented our own passages during the lessons, and therefore I learnt more English skills. After the lessons, we had different activities from 2 to 4pm. So, we have learnt the local Canadian sports.

Also, I know the dragon boat competition is not just held in China and HK. In Saskatoon, they also have dragon boat competitions every summer. This widened my sight.

Altogether, this trip made me gain more knowledge outside the books. Thus, I learnt more about the Canadian mannerisms and sports. It's really widened my horizons.