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2016 Sports Day

Were our students so passionate?

“Tension over cheering during the game made it more interesting”

A bright and sunny morning has come and the students of KIS, wearing colorful clothes that they prepared for sports day, entered the school gate with their hearts full of excitement about how exciting and amusing today will be.

This year's sports day's theme was adopted by the TV show 'Teletubbies'. Each and every class was divided into

'Team Boradori', 'Team Ppo', 'Team Ddoobi', and 'Team Nana'. Each and every class prepared clothes for their class, which was such a long tradition of KIS sports day that even the student council had to greet the students wearing it. On July 12th, the Sports Day was held at KIS with passionate students from Grade 7 to Grade 11 participating in this event. The Sports Day was held all day and there were many games, such sports as basketball, volleyball, soccer to event games like the tug-of-war, fashion show and so on. Also tension over cheering during the game made it more interesting. Between the games and after lunch break, there were also dance performances given by two groups, one

from our school's dance club and the other from an individual group formed by students from Grade 10 that volunteered for the dance event. After all the games were over, all the students gathered in the gymnasium to hear the final results of the Sports Day. The winning team of the team games was 'Team Nana' among the four teams 'Team Boradori', 'Team Ddoobi', 'Team Nana' and 'Team Ppo'. Even though some students expressed their pity for losing in some games, and some students got injured during the games, most students enjoyed their time playing sports with their friends and making memories they will never forget.

Choi, Hyun Jung · Seo, Ha Eun



▲ Hwang, Su Bin and Shin, Jeong Hun of Grade 11 won the fashion show competition.



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A Dream of Making KIS the Best School Globally

Helping students to achieve their dreams and develop their talents



▲ Kim, Won Kyun, the principal of KIS

Q) As the first semester of the school is coming to an end, what is the most impressive and memorable event or competition of the year?

I always think it is the school's duty to educate the students to grow their talents and dreams and to make a happy school, so a school needs many memories. Of all the meaningful events, I believe the morning music concerts were the most memorable and meaningful events. In the future, when students think about their school days, they will remember themselves showing off their talents on their way to their classrooms from the bus. Students need to show off their talents for the school

to be lively. If a school only makes the students study, it is not a school, but an academy. I want to support students to find their individual talents and make a brighter school.

Q) Once the first semester ends, the second semester is coming not long after. Please briefly tell us about your plans to lead the school next semester.

The most important problem is that the students lack space to do their activities. As you know, the gym roof leaks whenever it rains. Also, it is too hot for the students to exercise in the gym, so we are going to remodel it, starting this September. There will be a cafeteria on the first floor, and a gym on the second floor. Moreover, by adding a complex building to our school, we will create a History and Culture Center, an art room, a science-lab and a music classroom, so the school is really busy right now.

Next, I am putting effort in enhancing the voluntary clubs to run well by closely connecting them to many enterprises. Last but not least, as an international school, I will put emphasis on foreign languages like English and Vietnamese. There's no point in being an international school if there's no English in the school. All students must have a good command of English and Vietnamese

as students of an international school.

Q) Is there anything you would like to say to the KIS students?

I am so proud of our students and they are all so lovely. I like our KIS students so much. I have worked many years as an educator and there are exactly three reasons why I like KIS students so much.

First, they have so many talents and dreams. Second, they are students who know how to love and have close friendships with each other. They know how to warmly welcome new students from Korea and look after the students.

Third, I am so proud to see the students working hard by themselves for their futures and dreams. I can see their development from their efforts. Neither more nor less, I want the students to continue to grow just like now in the three ways I mentioned. I want to do everything I can for our KIS students, so I am constantly in talks with the Korean Ministry of Education to let them know of our students' talents and capacities.

My dream is to support our students with all my effort to make our school, KIS, the best school above all the 32 Korean international schools globally.

Seo, Ha Eun

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STARTING AS A NEW TEACHER AT KIS

“My biggest goal is to coach students to improve their English Skills”

The new year of KIS has started and students are all excited about who is the teacher they would be learning from, greeting the new teachers cheerfully.



▲ Mr. Lee wants to coach students to not only improve their English skills but also use those skills to find their dreams.

There were various teachers who were new to Vietnam and said that their first impression of this country was not bad, although it was really hot and humid when they first got off from the airplane. Mr. Lee, Seong Rak, one of our new English teachers, also mentioned that one of the most memorable thing was that it was really hard for him to walk around and cross the roads due to the incredible number of motorbikes.

The first impression of the KIS student teachers got was that the students here seemed really bright and passionate in all things compared to the students in Korea. In particular, Ms. Yoon, So Yeong, another new English teacher, said, “KIS students do things on their own and are much more initiative than students in Korea. I was really surprised

about the intimacy among the students, which I think is possible since they've been together for a long time.” During the interview, the teachers expressed great expectations about their lives in Vietnam and hopes that the teachers would make precious memories here at KIS. When we asked them about their goals during their stay in Vietnam, the teachers gladly shared their hopes and dreams. Speaking more concretely, Mr. Lee said, “Everyone here in KIS has great pressure about English because the tests that they have to take are harder than the ones in Korea, so it would be nice if I could give them some help. My biggest goal is to coach students to not only improve their English skills but also use those skills to find their dreams.”

Choi, Hyun Jung



▲ One of the new English teachers Yoon, So Yeong

As a Teacher and a Friend

Learning from my friend is more comfortable than learning from teachers!

Have you ever heard anything about “Peer Mentoring”? “Peer Mentoring” is a program of students becoming one's mentor or mentee and teaching each other. KIS adopted this system since last year in order to foster a



mind of share. It allows students not only to share their study method but also to feel a sense of accomplishment by teaching their own friends. Both the mentor and the mentee could learn many things from this program. Mentees could get a chance of improving their grades, and mentors could feel a sense of accomplishment

by teaching their friends. There were many students who applied for this with their friends. According to the teachers, it will be a great chance to understand the teachers' minds by teaching their own mentees, meaning it would be a wonderful experience for those who want to become a teacher.

We've interviewed one of the mentees named “Seo, Jun Hyeok”. He said “Learning from friends seemed awkward at first but I realized that it is more comfortable than learning from teachers. When the mood is comfortable for students, it helps students to focus and concentrate on studying.” For the mentors, when their mentees get high scores on test, they will feel a sense of accomplishment. So the mentor would be happy for their mentee as a teacher and a friend. Why don't you go for it?

Oh, Sae Hoon



11th Grade Singapore Field Trip

A trip that left students with memories they will never forget

11th grade went on a field trip to Singapore from April 26th to May 9th, for 3 nights and 4 days. A total of 114 students went with full excitement. As this trip was planned through many voting procedures from the beginning of the semester for over a month, it was a trip that many students awaited with great anticipation.

On the heart fluttering first day, students walked while sight-seeing from Merlion Park to Esplanade and touring through the URA development authority. Then, they watched a rhapsody show with fascination after visiting Gardens by the Bay.

Next day, students had a meaningful time, getting to know about one of the greatest colleges globally, the NUS (National University of Singapore) through campus tour with its Korean students' guides. After that, they visited the Jurong Bird Park and the Botanic Garden.



▲ The students all enjoyed their third day in Singapore in the Universal Studios.

After the second day's schedule, the students had a time to watch each other's talents and bond unity and harmony with classmates through a talent show with 8 teams' splendid performances and other students' enthusiastic cheers, and a recreation event with games

that all classmates participated in with excitement at the hotel (YWCA) where the school stayed for the trip.

The third day, which most students looked forward to the most, started off with a cable car ride to the Merlion Tower, enjoyed most of the day at the Universal Studio sweating with joy, visited the Aquarium, and then finished the day watching the Marina Bay Sands Laser show.



Last but not least, on the last day, after touring Little India and Arab Street, all schedules came to a period with free time at China town. Although students were tired from the busy scheduled trip, it left them with memories they will never

forget and came back home on the night of 29th with joy and sadness, wanting to stay longer.

It was a great chance for them to visit and learn about new places and experience closer friendship and cooperation through many group activities and the trip.

Although their body might have been tired, students came back home safely and proudly with much in them, and were satisfied that they could fully rest on the term-vacation scheduled right after the field trip. It was a meaningful and satisfying trip thanks to all students' participation with joy and enthusiasm in all activities even in the Singapore's hot steaming weather and the busy schedule. Also, we thank all the teachers and tour guides that safely guided the students, and 11th graders thank our school vice principal for having a great time with the students in this meaningful event.

Seo, Ha Eun

English Speech Contest 2016

A Path to becoming a strong speaker

On May 18th, the English Speech Contest was held during 1~4 periods. Unlike last time, only the students who were selected and the MCs were able to take part in the contest.

For the 10th grade, the MCs were Lee, Ha Young and Choi, Rin. It seemed like the two MCs had put a lot of effort into this contest. They prepared a quiz during the contest and rewarded the winner of the quiz with a lollipop. Thanks to the MCs, this year's English Speech Contest was very enjoyable.

The winner of the 10th grade English Speech Contest this year was Park, Jin Seo. Ms. Liz, who was one of the judges, said she appreciated that Park, Jin Seo was a strong speaker, her speech was organized and, most impressively, her presenting was wonderful. Another speech was delivered by Chun, Won Jun.



▲ This is Chun, Won Jun from 10th grade delivering his speech.

His speech was about comedy. He talked about different forms of comedy, such as language comedy, slapstick comedy and screwball comedy. Ms. Kate, another one of the judges, said she enjoyed his use of very clever puns and she was impressed with how the whole audience was engaged.

All of the students, MCs and judges did a great job preparing for the English Speech Contest!

Noh, Jee Yoon · Jung, Hye Jin



There is nothing to fear from AI

We should not be afraid of AI. Instead, we should hope for the amazing good it will bring to the world

Technology has been developing since the appearance of the human race and is still going on in present days. The industrial revolution took place in the 18th century, where it brought huge convenience to the entire world. Today, developments made in the 21st century are considered as "The digital revolution". Diverse kinds of machines and technologies have appeared which turned out to be quite useful and helpful to us. However, out of all developments made in digital area, AI (an acronym of Artificial Intelligence) is certainly the most interesting development made by humans. Although it might have benefits and harm, benefits definitely seem to shine.



▲ Picture of a person playing chess with AI

Artificial Intelligence will make our lives much more convenient and easier. For example, AI robots will be designed for various purposes. They may help clean up the room, cook, guard, and even do homework for students! People will be less tired due to unlimited amount of works and will be able to enjoy their spare time more. Additionally, AI would develop internet systems as well. Facebook, Google, Twitter and more other companies will adopt this AI and

Kim, Han Sung

Free Semester Program, does it really give dreams?

Recently, many things are changing in Korea about education. Especially, the government is emphasizing the importance of students finding their dreams and future aspirations. Consequently, the government and the Education Ministry of Korea have made a new system called the 'Free Semester Program'(FPS). This system was made to give students in Korea opportunities to develop their talents, creativity, problem-solving abilities, self-directive learning skills and social skills instead of taking the middle and final term test during the first semester. FPS was first introduced in 2013 and was implemented in 2016.

However, I personally disagree the way FPS is being conducted as a student currently studying under



the Korean educational system. There are a few reasons but the biggest reason is because of the pressure that the students will have in the second semester. According to the Korean educational system, the students take four tests each year; two in the first semester and the other two in the second semester. Even now, students get stressed because of the numerous subjects that they must study for each test. I do not even want to think about the horrible situation that will happen when all of this gets crammed into the second semester. Another reason is because the parents will send their children to more academies during the free semester and if that happens, the implementation of FSP becomes meaningless. Parents



Choi, Hyun Jung

The movie 'Terminator' might become reality

Artificial Intelligence(AI) was made to be better than humanity

In March 2016, Alpha Go, the computer program developed to play the board game 'Go' beat Lee, Se Dol 9 Dan. It was the first time ever for a computer program to beat a 9 Dan professional without handicaps. Go is considered a much more difficult game for computers to win than games such as chess. There are many more branching factors in 'Go', and it makes traditional AI methods such as Alpha Go difficult to win. However Alpha Go achieved four wins over Lee Se Dol 9-Dan.

After the match of Alpha Go VS Lee, Se Dol, people started to get interested in artificial intelligence. Artificial intelligence is the intelligence exhibited by machines or software. Nowadays people are starting to think that artificial intelligence would one day pose an existential threat to humanity. Some big names in science such as Stephen Hawking seem to think so, and they have issued grave warnings about the looming threat of artificial intelligence. Other experts are less concerned, saying all we have to do to prevent a robot apocalypse is unplug them. I personally believe that artificial intelligence could threaten us one day.

Artificial intelligence was made to do things that humanity has difficulty doing or can't do. Then how easy would it be for them to do things that humanity could do without any difficulty? Humans think that they can control artificial intelligence because they were the ones who made them, but I don't think so. I believe many of you would have watched the movie 'Terminator' where robots attack

humanity and try to control us. Who knows? The movie 'Terminator' might



▲ One scene from the movie "Terminator"

become reality. To prevent this, humanity should always be aware of the fact that artificial intelligence keeps on developing and its abilities are expanding. Also, I personally believe humanity should stop developing artificial intelligence. I know it may be uncomfortable, but I believe that if we choose between being uncomfortable and being controlled by artificial intelligence, being a little uncomfortable would be better.

What do you think about this? Do



Jung, Hye Jin

you think that developing artificial intelligence such as Alpha Go is a good idea?

SAIMUN 2016

Bridging the Gap to a Sustainable Future

On March 18th, the colorful curtains of the MUN went up. The 2016 MUN, hosted by AIS, took place in Sheraton Hotel. Sheraton hotel is one of the best hotels in Ho Chi Minh City. MUN, standing for Model United Nations, proceeds its conference by following UN's rules and formation. It deals with actual agenda from UN and each of the students becomes the delegates of each country.

The topic of SAIMUN 2016 was "Bridging the Gap to a Sustainable Future". All the meetings were proceeded in English, so it was a great chance for students to show their English skills. Including KIS, 11 different schools attended MUN. Each of the students spoke English fluently.

Students looked passionate and were ready to have meetings.

The MUN continued until March 20th which was its last day. It was well organized, since it followed the rules from the UN. One student from KIS said, "3 days seems like a long time but I personally felt it was so short. It is really disappointing that it already finished."

The MUN was successfully held with help from many assistants, the staff and students. The MUN also helped the schools in HCMC to get together in harmony.

Oh, Sae Hoon

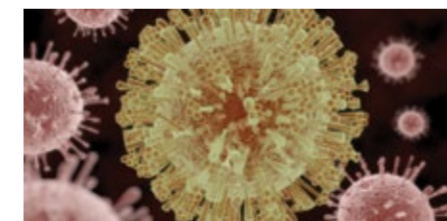


▲ Delegate of Republic of Chad, Shim, Min Cheul

ZIKA virus alert, Is Vietnam Okay?

Vietnam: The country who got ZIKA virus alert

On February 1, the World Health Organization (WHO) has declared ZIKA virus a Public Health Emergency of International Concern(PHEIC). This is a disease caused by the ZIKA virus, which is spread to people primarily through the bite of an infected Aedes species mosquito.



▲ Electron Micrograph of the Zika virus

Nowadays, some countries have ZIKA virus alerts, and sadly Vietnam is one of those countries.

The common symptoms of ZIKA are fever, rash, joint pain, and conjunctivitis (Red Eye). The illness is usually mild with symptoms lasting for about a week after getting infected by the mosquito. Also people usually don't get sick enough to go to the hospital and they rarely die. For these reasons, people don't know

that they've got infected. However, the ones who are especially at risk are the pregnant women and babies (especially the newborns). When pregnant women get bitten by this mosquito, their babies would have a disease called 'microcephaly'. The babies are born with a really small head which makes them die both earlier and easier than others. Unfortunately right now, there is no cure for ZIKA virus.

Health experts recommend to always wash hands after you've been outdoors and be careful of the mosquitos by wearing long clothes that can cover your skin.

Jung, Hye Jin

K-SPEECH 2016

Talking about My Country, My Home



On May 28th 2016, K-SPEECH was held in the University of Social Science and Humanities, HCMC. A tremendous number of both Korean and Vietnamese students volunteered to take the stage and proved their speech talents. The topic of the speech was "patriotism". Each student made speeches for about 5 minutes about their passion towards their country. Even though the stage was huge and lots of audiences were there to frighten the students, all of the students made their speeches confidently and successfully. Not only speeches were made on this day but there were also many dance performances to entertain guests. Although it was a long and tiring day, it was good to see passionate students making their speeches confidently. Furthermore, it was a great chance for Vietnamese students to show how much passion they have in learning Korean, which was very impressive. K-SPEECH will be held once more next year so if you're interested in it, get ready for it now!

Kim, Han Sung

Korean Drama Descendants of the Sun Should I apologize or should I confess?

If somebody asks me what is the most impressive, my answer would be 'Descendants of the Sun'. This drama reached a rating of 39% which is a very high number. It began airing on February 24th and it finished on the last 14th of April.

The script was written by Kim, Eun Suk who has written a lot of hit dramas like Secret Garden, Gentlemen's Dignity, The Heirs, and many more.



The main actors were Song, Joon Ki (who took the role of Yoo, Si Jin) Song, Hye Kyo (Kang, Mo Yeon) Jin, Gu (Seo, Dae Young) and finally Kim, Ji Won(Yun, Myeong Ju). Among the lead roles except for Kang, Mo Yeon (who is a doctor) the other characters are all



soldiers. Here, they overcome diseases and wars. Despite these hardships, the drama shows how the main characters fall in love with each other and also it shows the comradeship between people. Like Kim, Eun Suk's other hits, this drama has become popular among people of all ages.

I have watched almost all of the dramas Kim, Eun Suk wrote but personally I believe this drama was the most entertaining of all and I'm looking forward to the next drama Kim, Eun Suk writer is working on.

Noh, Jee Yoon

Hidden Talent

Bac Han All, the Future Artist of KIS

While we were looking for hidden talented people at KIS, we found Bac, Han All who is in grade 10. She found that she is talented in art. So we interviewed her to ask how and when she started drawing.



What's your name?

I'm Bac, Han All from grade 10.

Do you go to academies? If you do, can you tell us what you learn there?

Yes I do. I learn sketching and a lot of things like how to paint with watercolor, acrylic, oil color, etc.

When did you start drawing and what are your favorite things to draw?

I started drawing since I was young and I usually draw animals. They are my favorite things to draw because they are both cute and easy to draw.

Where do you get inspiration from?

Usually I get my inspiration from cartoons or animation. Like I said before, I started drawing when I was young. I saw a lot of

cartoons and animated movies and I thought they were cool so I started drawing.

What kind of materials do you use?

I usually use pencil, but sometimes I use watercolor. Using pencil is very easy and familiar and using water color makes your work fancy and colorful.

How do you feel when you draw?

Happy and excited. Although it's very hard and difficult when I'm drawing it, once I finish drawing I feel very proud.

What are your dreams for the future?

First, I want to draw a book cover. Second, I want to be a cartoonist or have a job that is related to art. I think this career might be difficult but I'm going to try hard as I can, and who knows? I might become famous in the future.

Hyun, Se Bin · Noh, Jee Yoon · Hong, Yu Kyung

Creative Writing Club



Kim, Ye Wan

Shame of the School Subjects

By Chun, Won Jun

History, whether it's Eastern or Western,
All the kings and wars, they make my head churn.
Social Studies, why is it even taught?
All its theories do is leave us distraught!
Korean and English are equally bad,
Those tricky, vague choices drive me mad.
Math floods my brain with symbols and functions,
The sheer difficulty crashes my brain junctions!
Science, Space, I don't care as well,
Kepler and Hubble can rot in a cell!
But we have more subjects in the Final Term,
Vietnamese can go chew a worm.
You do not have to remind me,
On how terrible I am in PE.
Sure, I do enjoy Music and Art,
But when I take the test, they're not in my heart.

My lifetime struggle still continues,
They say, "If you're not in first place, then you lose!"
But remember what the Science Teacher said,
Enjoy life to its fullest before you drop dead!

Dancing Between the Trees

By Park, Jin Seo

When the clock turns
And water flows upward
Birds fly low and clouds turn pink

There is a time when I believe
That trees could sing and dance

Weaving through the leaves, the bark, the sun
There I smell a scent of cookies
Baked from the oven
Out in the open

Say, thee who pass on by
How these cookies came to be?
Would it be pointless to ask thee why?

Rain of thought
Don't let it rot

For I go a dancing between the trees

Frame

By Kim, Kang Ho

Frame,
Hurts you heart, hurts your soul
Shatters one's dream
Into no more than dust

Frame,
Traps your dreams,
Keeps you behind a fence,
No hope for you indeed

But

Frame,
A place where you lie your memories,
Long last will your memories indeed

Chin up, stay strong
Continue dreaming and frame your future



MOVIE REVIEW

Zootopia



Movie : Zootopia

Genre : Animated, Action, Crime

Director : Byron Howard, Rich Moore, Jared Bush

Cast : Ginnifer Goodwin, Jason Bateman, Shakira

The new animated movie by Disney called 'Zootopia' features various animals which make this movie cute, warm, and touching. The characters in the movie are unique and this showed Disney's imaginative idea. This movie brings joy to both children and adults. 'Zootopia' features a background of animal characters who live the way human beings do. The main character, Judy Hopps, becomes a cop. She breaks the stereotype that only strong animals can be a cop, even though she is a weak rabbit. She is the first rabbit to become a cop and works very hard for the movie 'Zootopia'. In my opinion, this movie has a strong message about existing prejudices and breaking stereotypes.

Kim, Ye Wan

Captain America: Civil War



Movie : Captain America: Civil War

Genre : Action, Hero

Director : Joe Russo, Anthony Russo

Cast : Chris Evans, Robert Downey Jr., Scarlett Johansson, Sebastian Stan

Captain America: Civil War was officially released in Vietnam on 27th April 2016. There was a lot of excitement revolving around the release of the movie. Like every Marvel movie, there were more than enough action scenes and drama to keep viewers from all around the world on the edge of their seats. People were also excited about the emergence of new super heroes from the Marvel universe like Spider-man and Black Panther. This movie was especially interesting because, unlike other super hero movies, there was no true villain. It mainly showed the disagreement between Captain American and Iron Man. They both fought for what they believed was right. I think the director's choice of not making a true villain was a success in that the movie lets the viewers join the fight by choosing one side. As far as I'm concerned, Captain America: Civil War was probably one of the best films ever made by the Marvel Studio.

Lee, Jee Hoon



BOOK REVIEW

Bird on a Hot Tin Roof



Title : Bird on a Hot Tin Roof

Author : Kim, Han Soo

Publisher : Munhak Dongnae

The Book 'Bird on a Hot Tin Roof' written by Kim, Han Soo is a good book for middle and high school students. The content of this book is similar to that of the Korean novel 'A Lucky Day.' The story starts with a poor man who needs to earn money but his wife has a problem with her kidney. The doctor tells her to go to a big hospital but the poor man doesn't have money, so they couldn't go to big hospital. The man thinks 'it will be okay' and continues to earn money obsessively. As a result, his wife dies. The man comes to regret his decisions. The story tells the moral that the excessive obsession of money will influence a person's life in a negative way. In my opinion, if you enjoy tragic stories, I recommend this book for you.

Choi, You Jin

Reading Newspapers Properly: Look at Things in a Different Angle

Title : Reading Newspapers Properly: Look at Things in a Different Angle

Author : Son, Seok Chun

Publisher : Gaema Gowon



Newspapers are being read all over the world, every day by many people ranging from students to the elderly. However, even from those people who read newspapers, there are a majority of people who do not know how to read the newspapers properly. In this book, the author tells the readers about the structure of newspaper companies specifically and explains why many newspapers are biased even though they are not supposed to. As I read the book, I was able to solve my curiosity why some reporters, especially in Korea always write articles that tell wrong facts and take their life upon writing articles as fast as possible. Also, the book suggests methods that help to read the articles with a judicial viewpoint and how to develop critical thinking. Since I read newspapers every day, this book really helped me to improve the skills of reading articles with a sharp perspective. For the students who are hoping to get a job related to reporting and journalism, this book is a recommended reading.

Choi, Hyun Jung



GAME REVIEW

Friends Pop



A new game named 'Friends Pop' has been released from Kakao talk, using their characters. It is very straightforward to play this game. It is similar to the other game 'Candy Rush'.

Players must line the characters in three to six lines to break them. When the lines break, characters' faces

appear on the screen. This game is simple but it's easy to get addicted to it. Also, there are lots of people who play the game to see the characters' cute faces. Therefore, I recommend this game to everyone!

Hyun, Se Bin

RECOMMENDATION

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Please Protect My Skin!

Sun Cream recommendation

In Vietnam people use sun cream a lot since it is important in hot weather. There are many kinds of sun creams, which makes it hard to choose what to use. These are some recommendations of the best sun creams among Korea's road shop products with good qualities and many options for the people to think about when choosing products that are suitable with their skin types.

Hyun, Se Bin · Hong, Yu Kyoung · Kim, Ye Won



Innisfree Eco Safety No Sebum Sun Block

Innisfree Eco Safety No Sebum Sun Block controls oil, so it is suitable for people with oily skin. Also it makes your skin color natural. Therefore, this sun block is good for students who are not familiar with doing makeup. Also, you can use this sun cream for the base makeup.

The Face Shop Ice Air Puff Sun Block

The Face Shop Ice Air Puff Sun Block is especially popular in Vietnam. It has gas inside that people could use to cool down their skin. If you put this on your skin, this sun cream cools your skin down about 5 degrees than it used to be. However, this sun puff is bad for dry skin types, so when a person that has dry skin wants to use this sun puff, they will have to search the chemicals in this product thoroughly before they use it.



Misha All Around Safe Sebum Zero Sun Block (Sally Ver.)

This sun cream is a collaboration cosmetic with LINE characters. This makes a barrier to UV-rays when we sweat. Among the many versions of this sun block, many people use the Sally version sun cream. It controls the oil of the skin and helps to moisten your skin so it is a good product for a person with dry skin.



Hyun, Se Bin · Hong, Yu Kyoung · Kim, Ye Won

WHERE SHOULD I GO THIS VACATION?

Danang

★★★★☆



Danang is one of the popular vacation places in Vietnam. Many foreigners visit this place, because this place is suitable for taking a rest and is full of exotic flavors. Moreover, several resorts are luxurious and beautiful to spend time with your family. Plus, Hoi An is the Vietnam's most atmospheric and delightful town. Once a major port, it boasts the grand architecture and beguiling riverside setting that befits its heritage. However, the 21st-century curses of traffic and pollution are almost entirely absent. Moreover, Hoi An keeps a lot of cultural properties and exotic building. Hence, you can experience not only western style but also eastern style.

Pattaya

★★★★☆



Pattaya is located in Thailand. This city is near Bangkok and you can enjoy sightseeing and recreation. Additionally, Pattaya is a suitable place for enjoying water sports and activities. However, their food has a strong scent so you might not be familiar with some dishes.

Yang, Hae Jung

CONTEST

The 2nd "Class shirt photogenic" Event

Pizza for winners - making memories with classmates



▲ The winner of 2016th Photogenic 8-1's Photo

To celebrate the Sports Day, many classes started to get class shirts that would help them stand out more than any other on that day. Like last year, we 'The Link' held the second 'Class Shirt Photogenic' event. This event took place in order to make KIS students take photos with their classmates, leaving the students not only a picture of them but also good memories. This year, class 1 of Grade 8 took first place due to their flowing creativity and strong unity that was shown in their class photo and got their prize of ten pizzas and five bottles of cola on the Sports Day for lunch for the whole class. We thank all of the classes who took unique photos and sent them to us. Oh and Congratulations to 8-1!

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