



Cale Santee

The trip was life changing. I gained a lot of confidence interacting with unfamiliar people. At first I was afraid of the language barrier, but it was actually really easy to communicate.

这次旅行改变了我的生活。在与不熟悉的人打交道时，我获得了更多自信。起初我担心语言障碍，但实际上沟通是很容易的。

Abigail Pease

The best part was when we were split up from the whole group and got to enjoy some alone time with Chinese students. It forced us to interact and was less intimidating.

最棒的是，我们从整个集体中分离出来，独自与中国学生相处了一会儿。这迫使我们进行互动，而且也并不那么可怕。

My advice: sleep whenever you get a chance!

我的建议：抓紧一切机会补瞌睡！





Mahlia Parsons

Helping to teach an English class was surprising and really got me out of my comfort zone.

帮助教授英语课非常新奇，真的让我跨出了我的舒适区。

Advice: Don't oversleep! You don't want to be late or miss anything.

提醒：千万别睡过头！你不会想迟到或错过任何事儿的。

Ling Bushey

Everything about the trip was amazing and it made me feel happy. I wish I knew how to speak some Chinese!

此次旅行全程都很棒，让我感到很高兴。我希望自己能说一些中文！

It would have been nice to shadow a student for an entire day and into the evening.

如果能跟随一名（中国）学生从早到晚有完整的一天的体验将会很有意思。



Laurel Samson

I didn't realize how monumental the trip was until we got back to normal life. I still wake up every day and wish I were getting ready to go to school in China.

直到我们回到正常的生活中，我才意识到这次旅行的意义有多大。我仍然每天醒来，希望自己已经准备好去中国的学校上课。



Nathan Langlois

The highlight was visiting schools and the time we spent with students that was unstructured. We were treated like rockstars and it never got old.

最精彩的部分是参观学校，我们和学生在一起的时间是自由的、没有经过预先设定和安排。我们被视为大明星，这感觉可永远不会厌倦。

Reconnecting with friends in Chongqing from our summer program was amazing.

能与夏令营时重庆来的小伙伴重聚，真是棒棒哒。



Sage DeCell

I have new career goals. I knew I wanted to go in to the medical field but I didn't think I could ever travel that far. Now I know I want to be a traveling nurse because of this trip.

我有了新的职业目标。我知道我想进入医学领域，但我不认为我能走得那么远。因为这次旅行，我现在知道我想成为一名旅行护士。



Emma Rainville

The advice I would give is to be adventurous and try everything, especially the food. You should just try something first, and then ask what it is.

我的建议是要敢于冒险，尝试一切，尤其是食物。你应该先尝一尝，然后再问是什么。

I didn't realize I could teach English in China, that would be an exciting way to start my career after college.

我之前没有意识到我可以在中国教授英语，但这将是我在大学毕业后以一个令人兴奋的方式开始我的职业生涯。



Sara Villeneuve

Our experience really seems surreal. Words just can't seem to adequately express the energy and excitement I continue to feel as a result of this amazing opportunity. I have a new appreciation for our students who travel to Vermont from China each year and the mental and physical demands they experience from immersing themselves in a completely new culture.

我们的经历真的很离奇。语言似乎无法充分表达我因为这个令人惊讶的机会而持续感到的能量与兴奋。我对每年从中国到佛蒙特州旅行的学生，以及他们将自己的身心沉浸在一种全新的文化中所得到的体验，有了新的认识。

My favorite memory is reuniting with a student we hosted 4 years ago. I never thought I'd have the opportunity to see her again!

我最喜欢的回忆是和四年前我们接待过的一个学生重聚。我从没想过还有机会再见到她!



Emily Cogan Nieckarz

The highlight for me was watching our BFA students try new things. They were resilient, enthusiastic, and really embraced being on the other side of the world and getting to know a new culture.

对我来说，最精彩的部分是能观察我们BFA的学生尝试新事物。他们很有弹性，很热情，真的很喜欢在世界的另一边了解一种新的文化。

I also loved when we found Starbucks. If you can't sleep you might as well caffeinate!

找到星巴克很让人开心。睡不着的时候能靠咖啡因续命！

