

# Let's get ready For Summer Holidays!!!!



Have you ever dived before? I had my first diving experience at Tung Ping Chau last summer. The rocks of the island were strange. They looked like brown leaves! Our guide told us that they were called "finely laminated siltstone". After that, a coach taught me how to wear a diving mask properly and how to swim underwater with the mask. If you want to learn more about the geology or history of Hong Kong, why don't you join a geo-tour at Tung Ping Chau in the summer?

**Wom Suet Kiu, 4A**



In the hot summer, I like to eat ice cream to cool down. In these past few years, I have been obsessed with the ice cream in Sushiro. I always order their ice cream when I visit there. Their ice cream comes from Japan. Also, when I put the ice cream into my mouth, it not only exudes a strong smell of milk, but it also melts in my mouth. The most unforgettable thing is the ice cream with Oreo. I break the Oreo into small pieces, and it changes to a crushed cookie ice cream! I enjoyed doing this very much! What do you do in summer to cool down when it is extremely hot?

**Lee Cheuk Him, Him 6D**



Hello, I am Denise from Class 6A! It's summer here, so different ways to stay cool were invented by our classmates. I truly enjoy turning on the air conditioner as the cold air cools down my body temperature. Also, I love drinking cold beverages in summer. Bubble tea, iced tea, lemonade, juice, and smoothies are all smashingly delicious. I have a favourite bubble tea shop close to my home that I visit all the time in the hot summer months. Which one is your favourite? I like smoothies the most, especially chocolate smoothies. Let's enjoy summer together!

**Leung Ting Yi, Denise (6A)**



Hello everyone! I'm Yumi from Class 6A. In summer, We always feel very hot, especially in Hong Kong. How can we stay cool this summer? Today I'm going to introduce two ways to stay cool in summer. I hope it can help you! First, we can play water sports. In Hong Kong, many people will choose to go to the water land next to Ocean Park. Especially the rainbow slide! It was very exciting! Next, we can eat some fresh fruit. For example, we can eat watermelon or iced pineapple! They are very delicious! Hope you can stay cool this summer in these two ways. Enjoy the summer!

**Wong Suet Ching, Yumi 6A**



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# Smarties



## T.Y.C.Y. Singapore Study Tour

On the 12th of April, 40 Primary 6 students travelled to Singapore with 4 teachers to take part in a study tour that focused on the sustainability plan that Singapore has for its future. We visited all the famous sites that Singapore has to offer and many sustainability projects that Singapore has developed and implemented on their small island country. We learned about how Singapore tries to recycle most of its natural resources, most importantly water. Let's not forget about all the yummy food we ate along the way. Delicious! Below are just a few great places we visited on our trip.



### Gardens by the Bay



Gardens by the Bay is located on the coast of Singapore's tourist area. It is a world class garden destination. It offers a scenic paradise for flora, fauna and photography lovers. The climate is controlled by recycled water and it truly is a marvel that must be visited when in Singapore.

### Singapore Night Safari



The Night Safari, Singapore is the world's first nocturnal zoo located in Mandai, Singapore. One of the most popular tourist attractions in the country, it forms a part of the Mandai Wildlife Reserve, consisting of the Singapore Zoo, the Singapore Bird park and the upcoming Rainforest world.

### Singapore Science Centre



Singapore Science Centre is a scientific institution in Jurong East, Singapore, specialising in the promotion of scientific and technology education for the general public. It houses over 850 exhibits, over eight exhibition galleries and receives over a million visitors every year. Its an amazing day out!

### Singapore Aquarium



Come see the beauty of the underworld at the Aquarium. Home to more than 100,000 marine animals of over 1,000 species, across 45 different habitats, this marine aquarium will bring you up close to sharks, jellyfish, sting rays and many other exotic marine creatures.



# Singapore Study Tour- Student Experience

The T.Y.C.Y. students who went on the Singapore study tour had the most amazing time. They visited many interesting places, from tourist attractions, to educational exhibitions and Singapore's world famous self sustainability attractions. It was a very rich and rewarding experience for the students. Below, some students have shared their favourite places and experiences and why they enjoyed them.



## Wellington Primary School

On the fourth day of the trip, we went to Wellington Primary School in the morning. It was a huge school. I was so surprised that there were seven tuck shops in the playground. The local teachers assigned a buddy for each of us. My buddy is called Sarah. When I entered her classroom, her classmates welcomed me warmly and prepared a seat for me. Then I attended three lessons with her happily. We had PE, English and Maths. After that, it was the time for exchanging gifts. We prepared something to thank them for their hospitality. Sarah wrote me a letter and gave me a lovely key ring. It was an unforgettable day. I was glad to meet a new friend too. I hope I can introduce my school, TYCY, to Sarah when she comes to Hong Kong.

Tong Tsz Ying, Aliza, 6E



## Night Safari

It was my first time visiting the Night Safari. Upon our arrival, we were led to an outdoor theatre. There was a live show featuring a hedgehog, a wolf, and an owl. Then I realized that they were all endangered animals. The host, who was an animal keeper, told us about how we could protect them. Next, we hopped on a truck which led us to travel around the safari. First, we came to a lion enclosure. I saw the lion stretch and it was the cutest thing ever! Next, I saw some hippos swimming. It seemed as if they were playing with each other. The animals were so cute. It reminded me of the importance of protecting them. From this visit, I have learned that humans should not harm the wildlife. I hope all people will treasure our Mother Nature.

Yiu Sum Yee, Chloe, 6E



## Gardens by the Bay

As I stepped into the lush greenery of Gardens by the Bay, I felt a sense of serenity wash over me. The sounds of the city faded away, replaced by the gentle rustling of leaves and the sweet fragrance of blooming flowers. The towering super tree with its futuristic design, stood like a sentinel, guarding the secrets of the forest. The air was alive with the buzzing of insects and the chirping of birds, creating a symphony that harmonised with the hum of human chatter. As I wandered through the gardens, I felt a sense of awe and wonder at the beauty that surrounded me. The diversity of all the plant species and artistic installations left me in awe of human creativity and ingenuity. It was absolutely one of the most amazing places in our trip.

Mak Paddy, 6E



# Can you solve these Singapore Food riddles?

Cola, Lo Hoi Lok, 6A

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In Singapore, there were lots of delicious food to eat. My favourite one was a pork rib dish cooked in broth popularly served in Malaysia and Singapore where there is a predominantly Hoklo and Teochew community. The name literally translates from the Hokkien dialect as "meat bone tea", and it usually consists of pork ribs simmered in a broth of herbs and spices for hours. However, it can also be made with seafood, chicken, and other meat. Do you know what dish it is?

Jack, Kong Chak Hei, 6E

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There are lots of famous foods in Singapore. As the weather is always hot, the Singaporean like eating spicy food a lot. On our trip, we tried this dish for lunch. This dish is served in seafood restaurants. The main ingredients are deep-fried and mixed in a hot sauce that incorporates lemon juice, vinegar, sambal, tomato paste, and egg white. It is very delicious. I will always remember how good this tasted and I will try find it in Hong Kong. Do you know what dish it is?

Samuel, Chan Yeung Yi, 6A

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This dish is a Singaporean delicacy widely known around the world. It contains some chicken and rice that is cooked in chicken oil. It was invented by Chinese immigrants from Singapore from the province of Hainan in the early 20th century. The chicken was tender and the rice was also flavourful. There are different versions of this dish all over city. It is a must-try for tourists visiting Singapore. Would you happen to know what dish it is?

4 Wong Suet Ching, Yumi, 6A



In Singapore, there are many local specialty foods. This food is a classic souvenir in Singapore. It's a dessert for all ages. It is fluffy and not too sweet. It's made from the juice of plant leaves. The texture is dense. Each bite of it has a light and elegant aroma. The original juice taste is strong, and the flavor of coconut milk is nice. When you are in Singapore you can buy it everywhere. You need to try it. It's amazing! What is this dessert?

Ho Lok Him, Jarvis, 6A

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It is a famous snack in Singapore. It always uses lean pork and is made by following these simple steps such as pickling, cooking, and drying. It is loved by the people of Singapore but also by many travellers. Many travellers say it is one of the things that they must buy when they are there. The soft, and chewy texture and the aroma of this sweet are my favourite things about this dish. Do have any idea of what this dish could be?



Pandan Cake

Bak Kut Teh

Hainan Chicken

Pork Jerky

Spicy Seafood

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