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# NOTE FROM EDITOR

Student's time in English Language Centre is coming to an end. The progress they have made in English has been amazing to see. This magazine is a collection of articles which demonstrates their progress in English. Mrs. Novery

Many of the articles also detail experiences shared in the ELC, this magazine will serve as a memory of the fantastic semester students have shared in the ELC.

meet The Class



#### Nguyen Duc Thien

Hello every man and woman on the Earth. I'm Thien I just want to say that I am very handsome and clever!

#### Nguyen Duong Danh Dat

Look at my picture cute and handsome. In addition, I play football like Messi and Ronaldo's son haiphong city no long vong :)))





#### Vu Thai Son

Handsome , like to laugh, only Im62 but always says Im65.

#### Nguyen Hoang Khoi Nguyen

A skeleton, the most "mid" student in class. Got anger issues. >:(





Kexin Zheng

I'm kexin, i love cats ^.^

#### Le Thi Phuong Anh

Handsome guy. Side character lives in "doc la binh duong" :)





me

#### Zinia

Xin Chao, I'm Zinia who always being with a cat beige laptop sleeve and pink bottle 'o'

#### Ming

Super sunshine boy(a little bit silly). The tallest guy in class(I don't want to cause any trouble B)





my cutie brother

Bonjour! I am a family girl who wear shorts and try to be "normal".

# Stop! Move on to the main points!

#### Dear Teachers

Dear amazing teachers, ELC class of the year 2022 nearly come to the end, which means it the time we companion together is not much left. Just a few months, is not a very long time but it's enough for us to study and improve ourselves in a new place. Enough for us to understand how grateful you are. This is a letter from your "naughty" ELC students to thank you for being our teacher, and for your help, kindness and the beautiful lessons you bring to us, we will never forget it. It should be a solid first step in Australia, at a bottom of our heart we want to show our love and thanks to you, apologize if my English is not good enough to express all of it. Anyway, love you our first teacher in Australia

#### Dear Ms Davey

Hi Ms Davey, you are such a wonderful teacher, we so appreciate becoming one of your first students in Kew high school in particular and your teaching journey in general. As an international student, everything is very new from this country to this high school, such a difficult time for us when language is the biggest barrier that keeps us limited. However, we feel how lucky are we for having a kind companion like you. You are patient, ready for listening and helping us with any problems, you not only bring our knowledge about the subject but also kindness and sympathy. I still remember when we first meet on 12/8, it was an unforgettable impression, of a beautiful teacher in a floral yellow shirt. We introduced ourselves to each other, and at that moment we believe that you would be a great teacher and now you are!!



#### Dear Ms V



Bonjour Mademoiselle V, we want to give many thanks to you - one of my first teachers in Australia. You are a gentle teacher with a sense of humour, you always walk into class with a big smile and long hellooo....Moreover, we can feel positive energy from the way you walk, the way you talk, especially from your eyes that motivate . We also love the way you take care of us, some small conversations before class, ask about our weekends, how we feel, it means a lots to us that gives us more motivation to study harder... You are such a good listener who are ready to listen and give us the best advices when we difficulty, and also Thien's silly stories too. Your jokes and your bright smile after every sentence are our cup of tea it would be a pity not to hear it often as in an ELC class

#### Dear Mr Lucca

Ciao Signor Lucca, our interesting teacher at Kew high school. To be honest, the first time learning and interacted with you, we thought you were a strict teacher and a bit difficult to approach. However, the later the more we realize that you are such a close and friendly teacher. The way you teach is very attractive and we also appreciate the way you patiently explain everything to us, moreover, you not only bring us school lessons you also teach us about social life, useful information about Australian culture that help new international students like us to adapt and get used to with it. We are naughty students sometimes we talk in class, we forgot to do our homework, and we do the silly things in your class, but you are always generous to forgive those things. How lucky we are to be Mr Lucca's students



Zinia – 2022

# Our Zoo Excursion

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At the start of the day, we all met up at Kew High School. We met four of the Year 10 House Captains who were Scotia, Tyler, Henry and Tahlia, our international friends from the mainstream class and the two teachers who were going to guide us who are Miss Davey and Miss Luscombe. Everyone was so excited to go to the zoo.

After meeting up with everyone we all went ahead to the tram station to catch tram 48 to the city. The tram was super crowded and busy. All of us had to stand for 1 hour on the tram which was very tiring. We split into groups on the tram and spoke to each other so that everybody did not get bored. An hour has passed, and we finally arrived at the city of Melbourne. It was fairly crowded in the morning, we walked to another tram station to catch tram 58 straight to the entrance of the zoo. In total, the tram took us more than 1 hour to arrive at the zoo. We were all super tired, but we all regained our energy after seeing the entrance of the zoo.

Our eyes were filled with excitement as Miss Davey got us our tickets. As we entered the zoo, the wind and atmosphere of the zoo just took us away completely. We were divided into four groups of 5 by Miss Davey and Miss Luscombe. The first group included Tyler, Ming, Jolie, and Zinia. The second group consisting of Tahlia, Kexin, Thu, Jenny, and Minh. The third group is a combination of Scotia, Khoi, Miffy and Son. The last group containing Henry, Dat, Thien, Heather, Thanh and Quinn. The 4 groups were given out specific booklets containing tasks about the animals inside the zoo. But in the end, only some groups finished the booklet. The groups were split up to go to their own assigned task and area. Only group 2 and 4 stayed with each other throughout the zoo. We got 2 hours to wander around the zoo and met up at the place where Miss Davey told us to.

Most of the animal were not there, but those animals which were there were very active and stinky. After meeting up at the place, everyone talks about how there was no animals in the enclosures. Either all of them were asleep or were not released yet out into their enclosure. We were all exhausted because of the heat of the sun and for walking a lot in the zoo. Miss Davey and Miss Luscombe took us to the souvenir shop of zoo to enjoy some air conditioning. The stuff they sell inside was nice too. Some of us ended up buying something from the shop. Like Thien for example, he bought a very colourful hat and Jenny, she bought a stuffed animal that hangs around on her leg.

After visiting the souvenir shop, we all went to the train station to catch a train straight to Melbourne Central to have lunch. While we were waiting for the train, some of us took photos and recorded a tik tok to create memories of the trip. After a while the train arrived, everyone went on the train, some of us slept and some talked to each other. Ming fell asleep quickly on the train which was surprising. We sat on the train for 10 minutes until it arrived at Melbourne Central, Miss Davey and Miss Luscombe told us to meet up after lunch underneath the golden clock. We were given 45 minutes to enjoy our lunch, all of us spread into different groups. Thien, Quinn, Dat, Khoi, and Son went to a Japanese restaurant to have ramen and Japanese rice bowls. Zinia, Kexin and Miffy went to a sushi restaurant. Jolie and Thanh went to a crepe making restaurant. Heather went to a Mac Donalds on the second floor. Ming was invited by Tyler, Tahlia, Henry, and Scotia to have lunch in the food court. We all enjoyed our lunch, after that we met up underneath the clock and walked to the tram station to catch a tram back to school.

We walked for another 10 minutes to the tram station and nearly missed the tram. We all got on tram 48, it was not as crowed as it was in the morning. All of us were exhausted and sleepy, after 5 minutes everyone was either asleep or talking with each other. The tram took us 30 minutes to arrive at the school gate. We arrived earlier than we expected, so we all got free time and went home early. At the end of the day, the zoo trip was very tiring. But we all met and made new friends, it was truly a fun and entertaining experience. This trip will be a lifetime memory of ours. Thank you, Miss Davey and Miss Luscombe, for setting up a trip like this for us.

This story was written by Khoi. A student in the ELC



SENDING LOVE FROM ELC CLASS 2022



#### MELBOURNE FOOD REVIEW by THIEN DEP TRAI VCL

#### TAN THANH LOI

I want to introduce you to one of the most traditional dishes in Viet Nam: Com tam . Nonetheless, I have found one of the best Com tam restaurant in Melbourne: Tan Thanh Loi.

I have had a chance to try the food there and with whole my heart, I can say this food is similar to food I ate in Viet Nam. It had vegetables, rice, fish sauce, egg and ribs. Also, it was combined as well as I could think. It generated the feeling of sweet, spicy and salty, all in one bite. It was so delicious. If you want to feel something that has enough seasoning to bring you to the top of Everest, you must try this!

#### HOT STAR LARGE FRIED CHICKEN 豪大大雞排

Another restaurant, I would like to suggest you to go to is Hot Star Large Fried Chicken 豪大大雞排

This restaurant is better than Mcdonalds because it is simple and so delicious. My favourite food from there is chicken face, it is big, and it is very crunchy. Moreover, you can choose some sauce to add. For example: cheese, chicken, salt, etc. I strongly believe this fried chicken is suitable for teenagers.





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#### **PHO HUNG VUONG SAI GON**

Last but not least, I'm Vietnamese, so I always miss the most traditional dish in Viet Nam: Pho. However, I have found the best Pho restaurant in Melbourne by accident. Last week, when I was in the salon in Footscray, I asked my barber which is the best pho restaurant in Melbourne. He suggested me a Pho restaurant. Unfortunately, when I went there the restaurant was closed. Thus, I needed to find another place. Then, I found Pho Hung Vuong Sai Gon. It was so incredible that the chef here has brought the sense of Viet Nam along with her to Melbourne. Banh Pho is so good, I could feel that the chef has made it carefully. The broth was created with beef bone broth simmered for 8 hours. The beef is cooked medium rare, so it is really tasty. All these ingredients mixed with lemon, chill and bean sprouts, created the feeling of success and meditation. It was too good to put into words. I have been back two times since my amazing discovery.

#### **BOOK REVIEW**



#### **Overview**

Nobody's Boy, written by Hector Malot, and published in 1878, is one of the most well-known works of this French literature. The story was about a 9-yearold child with all the temperament of the main character: energetic, fearless, and ready to move forward even in the most difficult circumstances.

The main characters who appear the most throughout the story in Nobody's Boy are a young boy including an old man with his two loyal dogs and a monkey. This novel is about the journey of an orphaned boy, Remi, who roams the streets of France working as a busker. Besides working to ensure daily food, he also learns numerous lessons about friendship and love. The book ends with a happy ending in which Remi finds his family and enjoys a merry life with his wife, Lise.

#### My Comment

The book has high humanistic values including upholding the spirit of perseverance and hard work. Moreover, the author also encourages genuine friendship, kindness, and the will to go beyond ceaselessly. I would love to recommend this to teenagers and adults, especially those who are having conflicts in their family.

#### The lesson

After reading this book, I have recognized the importance of personality, as well as learned how to love and cherish precious time with my family. In addition, it arouses my desire to be independent and to take charge of my own life. Nobody's Boy also teaches me how to treat people with kindness. Advice for students studying abroad in Australia

## The Highs and Lows of Studying Abroad



## Highlights of Studying Abroad

I think one of the highlights of my study abroad is that there are so many activities. In Australia, there is less homework than in China, so there is a lot of free time here. In my free time, I often go to various places with my cousin, and here I experience many things that I don't have time to do in China, such as camping in the forest, hunting, skiing, skydiving. The school also organizes many activities, such as golfing, skating, and going to the zoo.

> Kexin Zheng ELC Class of 2022

#### Challenges when Studying Abroad

I think the biggest challenge for international students studying here is the difference in English and the way of education here. First of all, the classroom is an all-English environment. If your English is not good, it will be extremely difficult to listen to the class. If you do not understand the content of the lecture, you will be unable to complete your homework after class. In terms of communicating with classmates, if your English is not good, you will not be able to communicate with your classmates normally because others cannot understand what you want to express. Secondly, there will be a lot of tasks that need to be presented in front of the class. This is very difficult for someone who is more introverted like me.

#### FTX'S SAM BANKMAN-FRIED LOST LIONS AND THE COMPANY FILED R BANKRUPTCY—IT COULD SIGNAL OF , YPTO

SAM BANKMAN-FRIED

HIS LIFE

HE IS THE FOUNDER AND FORMER **CEO OF FTX** 

At its peak, FTX was valued at \$32 billion. The company filed for bankruptcy on Nov. 11 after competing for offshore crypto exchange, Binance, backed out of a deal to acquire it and users withdrew around \$6 billion in funds.

FTX's Sam Bankman-Fried, who often goes by SBF, stepped down as CEO on Friday. He saw his estimated net worth drop by billions virtually overnight as his cryptocurrency exchange platform teeters on the brink of collapse.

Between Nov. 8-9, Bankman-Fried's net worth plummeted to \$991.5 million. That's around a 94% drop from his estimated \$15.2 billion previously, according to a Bloomberg analysis.



HE IS ONE OF THE YOUNGEST **BILLIONAIRES IN** THE WORLD, **HIS COMPANY** FTX WORTH **ESTIMATED \$26** BILLION INTERS **RIGHT NOW HE** HAS AN MILLION ESTIMATED NET **WORTH OF \$10.5 BILLION** 

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THE PROBLEM OF FTX BANKRUPTCY LED TO MANY ISSUES HAPPENING AND ONE OF THE BIGGEST PROBLEMS IS TRADERS COULD NOT withdraw money from the FTX market. THIS HAS MEANT THAT MANY TRADERS HAVE HAD TO SAY BYE TO THEIR MONEY SO THE MARKET CRYPTO SEEMS IN CRISIS

5 Centimeters Der Gecond Overview

**BY ZIMING KONG** 

#### Film Review

#### <u>"IF THE SPEED OF A FALLING CHERRY PETAL IS</u> FIVE CENTIMETERS PER SECOND, HOW LONG DOES IT TAKE FOR TWO HEARTS TO GET CLOSE. WHAT SPEED SHOULD I USE TO MEET YOU?".

FIVE CENTIMETERS PER SECOND, THE JAPANESE ROMANTIC DRAMA ANIMATED FILM, WHICH WAS PREMIERED IN 2007. THE FILM WAS AWARDED BEST ANIMATED FEATURE FILM AT THE 2007 ASIA PACIFIC SCREEN AWARDS. I THINK THE FILM IS MORE CRUEL THAN TOUCHING.

There are three episodes in this film. In the first episode-----Cherry Blossom, the story was set in 1991. One of the main characters, Takaki Tōno quickly makes friends with another main character, Akari Shinohara, as soon as she transfers to his middle school. They have the same hobbies and they are both not good at sport. So, they always read books together and this makes their friendship closer. After graduating from the middle school, Akari moves to Tochigi because of the requirements of her parents' jobs. They promise to write letters to each other but as time goes by, Akari and Takaki are gradually separated. Unfortunately, Takaki's family is going to move to Kagoshima, which is on the other side of the country. Takaki finally decides to see Akari for the last time because it's still possible for them to live even further. Also, he plans to hand his letter to Akari himself to show his love. However, Takaki loses his letter due to the heavy snow storm that night and the train he takes is completely delayed for several hours----- Takaki misses the meeting time. However, when Takaki comes to the meeting place, he amazedly finds that Akari is still waiting for him, with a sense of drowsiness. Both of them are extremely excited and they spend the night together because of the snowstorm.

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**KANAE ALWAYS FINDS** THAT TAKAKI IS **USUALLY WRING EMAILS TO SOMEONE AND STARING OFF INTO THE DISTANCE JUST LIKE HE IS SEARCHING SOMETHING WHICH IS** FAR AWAY (WHEN **TAKAKI FINÍSHES** WRITING HIS EMAILS. **HE DELETES THEM. TAKAKI USES THAT** WAY TO RECORD HIS **BEAUTIFUL DREAMS** WITH AKARI). **"BECAUSE HE'S ALWAYS LOOKING AT** SOMETHING BEYOND **ME. HE CAN NEVER SEE ME. I CRIED MYSELF TO SLEEP, THINKING OF** HIM."

THE SECOND EPISODE IS CALLED "COSMONAUT". IN 1999, TAKAKI IS IN THE THIRD YEAR OF SENIOR HIGH IN TANEGASHIMA. AS ONE OF TAKAKI'S CLASSMATES, KANAE SUMIDA HAS LOVED TAKAKI SO MUCH SINCE SHE MET HIM IN MIDDLE SCHOOL FOR THE FIRST, BUT THERE'S NOT ENOUGH COURAGE FOR HER TO CONFESS HER LOVE TO TAKAKI. KANAE ALMOST SPENDS ALL OF HER FREE TIME WITH HIM AND TRIES TO DRAW TAKAKI'S ATTENTION.



Time flows really fast. In 2008, Takaki take a job as programmer in Tokyo. He still considers Akari as an important part of his life. "Not knowing where such obsessive thoughts were coming from, I simply drowned myself in my work." At the same time, Akari found the letters that she wrote to Takaki thirteen years ago in 1995. Coincidentally, while walking down the same road when they met each other for the first when they were young, Akari and Takaki pass and recognise each other at the train crossing, the place that they promise to watch cherry blossoms just before Akari moved her house. On the opposite sides of railway. Both of them stop and start to turn around, but a train passing by and block their sights. Then the film gives a close-up for Akari's wedding ring. Takaki Akari's gone. After a moment, he smiles to himself and continues walking as the cherry blossoms stir in the train's wake.



S Centimeters per Second is a film for someone who doesn't want to give up and is still immersing in the past memory with the lover. The film is very realistic and relates to life events. Time and distance can kill two people's feelings. There's always one day, one of the people will give up this relationship. Like the fugacious falling of cherry blossoms, the view is pretty and attractive, but you will never see them again since they reach the ground and turn into dust.



Brentford stuns Man City fan with a last-minute Ivan Tobey winner goal, Haaland shut out.



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Phil Foden (45'+1')

Ivan Toney (16', 90'+8')

Brentford Striker, Ivan Toney gave Brentford a shocking result 2-1 a win-win over Manchester City at Etihad Stadium on Saturday, ending the city's 16-game winning streak at home. Toney was not selected for England's World Cup team this week, just like a boost for Ivan to start an



unbelievable match in the 16th minute with a goal. In the first 20', City was surprised to be inferior by Brentford's attacker. City took back control of the match with 75% possession, Foden connected with a deflected ball and sent it rocketing into the top right corner in the 46th minute right before halftime. The second half was interrupted by a ten- minutes delay for a bloodied Aymeric Laporte, but Spain International managed to return to the game. Man City raises its squad to get another goal. It backfires as Brentford's striker scores the winning goal in a counterattack in the 98th minute.

#### "THE QUESTION IS WHAT HAPPEN WITH HAALAND

Haaland was questioned the most as he did not score even 1 goal. He only has 21 touches across 90 frustrating minutes even less than Man City goalkeeper, Ederson with 31 touches. Against a concentrated, solid defensive squad of Brentford makes Haaland completely disappear. The choice of picking a position on the field is totally useless as he only has 1 shoot toward the goal but did not make a threatening opportunity. German midfielder Gundogan has tried to explain why Haaland was unable to get into the game: "In general, I kind of disagree that we had chances in the second half. It felt like we crossed a lot of balls in areas where Erling was, but he was always against three men.

"I felt like especially getting the ball in between the lines of their defense because their back four or five was quite deep, I felt like there was no space between the midfield and the back five. I also tried to make a few runs to the first post and every time I ran there, I felt like I was so free because Erling got all the attention."

> As for Ivan Toney, the player strikes the Etihad to collapse. Toney had many dangerous opportunities toward Ederson's goal and a double score pulling Brentford from a series of disappointing matches. Toney responds to the BT sport after the match: "The only thing is just to keep doing well, keep doing my best, keep doing well, keep doing my best, keep doing well for the team and who knows what could happen." Ivan has scored 20 goals from the start of 2022, but that was not enough to get him into England's squad for the 2022 World Cup.



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# **905 STARS**

Britney Spears (1981 - /) Reffered to "Princess of Pop", who was the singer of "...Baby One More Time", "Opps!... I did it a again". She became incredibly popular after these hits and she catapulted her career to the top point.

#### Boney M (1974-1986)

German - Carribean vocal group was known for their infectious party anthems and dancefloor fillers. Some songs are: Daddy Cool, Rivers of Babylon, Sunny,...

#### M2M (1998 -2002)

Two talented- beautiful girls made several songs which is catchy and melodies for any teenagers even in the present time. "Pretty boy" "The day you went away"

#### Westlife (1998-2012)

A boy group that "melt[ed] many girls' hearts" back in the time. They are well - known for hits such as "My Love", "I lay my love on you", "Beautiful in White", ...

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