

Conwell-Egan Catholic High School Residence Hall

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Pumpkin Carving



By Juwon Jung

During the Halloween season, American people carve pumpkins and light them up to make Jack O'Lanterns. This custom originated from an Irish myth, in which the lingering soul of a man named Jack puts a piece of burning coal into a carved-out turnip to light his way.

The dorm students carved their own spooky faces out of the pumpkins the day before Halloween. It was a great opportunity for the students to show off their artistic skills and creativity throughout this activity. Everyone had a lot of fun!



Trick-or-treat!

By Jaehyun Park

On October 31, the dorm students celebrated Halloween, one of the most beloved holidays in the United States. Trick-or-treating in costumes is the most common Halloween activity that American people enjoy. The dorm students dressed up as popular characters including Harley Quinn from *The Suicide Squad*, Olaf from *Frozen*, and the space cowgirls. They walked around the neighborhood and traveled from house to house in their costumes to collect candy. All students had a great time dressing up as their favorite characters and eating the best candy they got from their neighbors.



Homecoming 2021

By Minhye Lee



The first week of October was Homecoming week. Homecoming in high school is normally a week-long event to celebrate the senior athletes, and a big formal dance is held at the end of the Homecoming week. It is one of the biggest school events of the year because it is the tradition of welcoming back former students and members. The event shows school spirit and reflects on the good times and memories made in school.



CEC dorm students went to the Homecoming dance. Homecoming dances usually have themes, which determine the dress code and decorations. The theme of this year was "neon", so everyone got colorful neon glow stick bracelets before entering the school. The students had a lot of fun dancing and hanging out with their friends at the dance. Everyone made the best memories!

Conversation Partners

By Hyowoo Nam

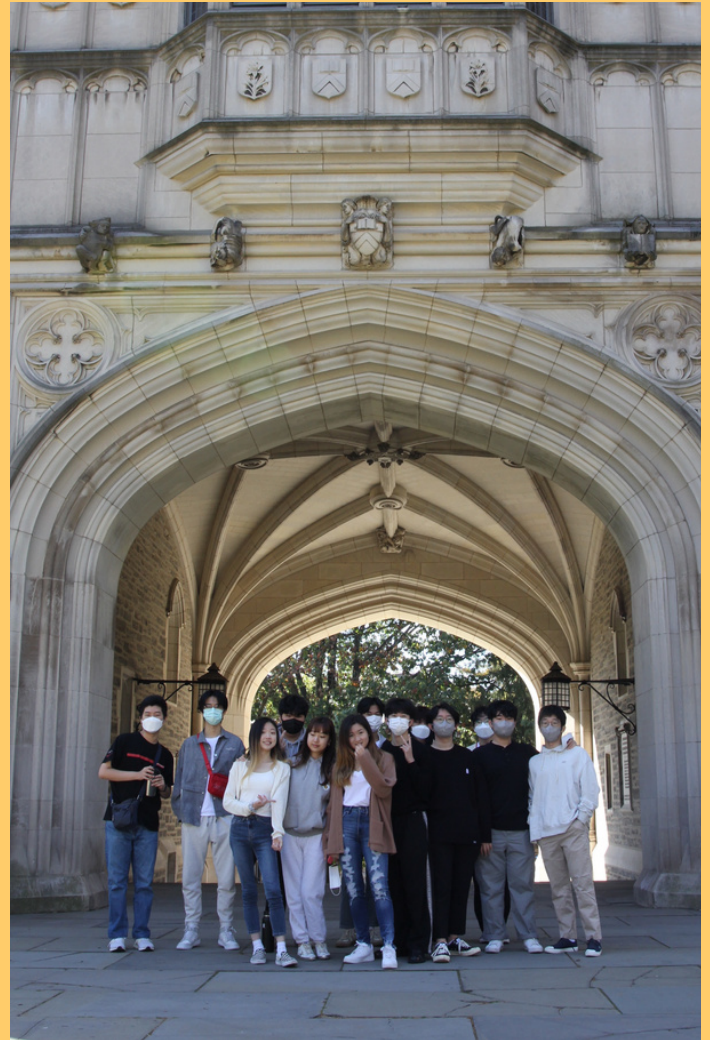


The dorm students participate in the conversation partners program every week from Tuesday to Thursday. The conversation partners program is designed to give the new students at CEC the opportunity to improve their English skills outside of the classroom through more informal and casual conversations. Because communication is one of the big obstacles international students face when they first come to the United States, the Conwell-egan dorm provides the best opportunity that could effectively help the students with their English through the program. The students strengthen their speaking skills and have fun with their conversation partners, sharing their personal stories and exchanging each other's cultures.

College Tour: Princeton University

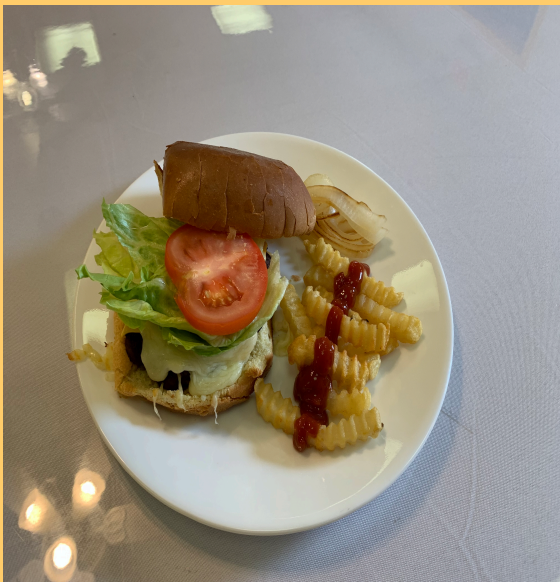
By Jiwoo Kim

The dorm students visited Princeton University for this month's college tour. Located in Princeton, New Jersey, Princeton university is famous for its great renown of being one of the top Ivy league colleges and the fourth-oldest institution of higher education in America. The students were not allowed to enter the school buildings due to the ongoing pandemic, but they still had the opportunity to get an outdoor walking tour. Everyone had fun walking around on campus and feeling the school spirit at Princeton. We are ready to be the future freshmen!



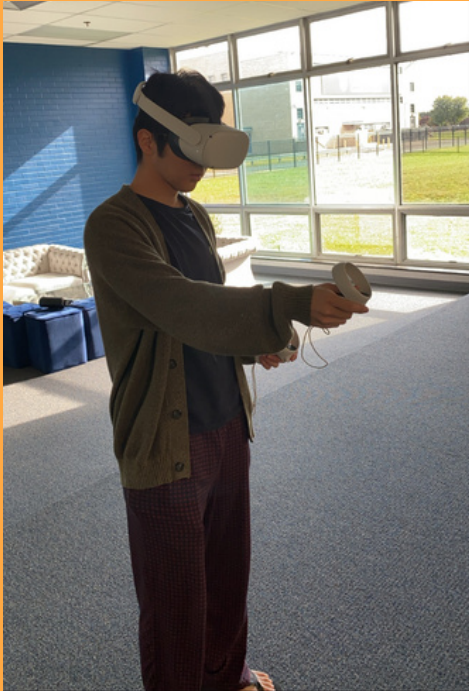
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