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NEWS LETTER

Student Council

This fall, our Student Council held its first meetings of the school year. Council members Maria, Ann, Hyeongbin, Pinhan and Amelia shared ideas, talked about what students would like to see at TIA, and started building a calendar of events and activities for the year.

The council works hard behind the scenes to plan school events, from movie days to holiday celebrations. If you have an idea for an event, talk to any council member. They are always happy to listen.

University of Waterloo

On October 6, representatives from the University of Waterloo visited TIA. They introduced students to Waterloo's programs and admission pathways, and talked about student life on campus and future academic opportunities.

Students listened closely, asked questions and learned what Waterloo looks for in applicants. It was a great chance for everyone to start thinking about their university plans.

University of Ottawa

The University of Ottawa also visited TIA this October. Students learned about uOttawa's programs, admission requirements, campus life and future study options, including professional programs and graduate studies. The representative also shared a few useful tips:

- Start researching programs and prerequisites early
- Keep track of important application deadlines
- Choose courses that support your future goals
- Ask questions and explore different options

Movie Day

Students enjoyed a relaxing Movie Day at TIA. Before the event, everyone voted to choose the movie, so every student had a say. On the day, the table was full of popcorn, chips and drinks, and students sat back to enjoy the film together.

It was a fun break from studying and a great way to spend time with friends.

Halloween Decorations

Our school was ready for Halloween thanks to Maria and Hyeongbin, who spent a lot of time preparing the decorations. Halloween paintings and drawings filled the bulletin board, pumpkins, spider webs and a glowing lantern sat by the window, and paper ghosts hung around the room.

The decorations set the mood for the Halloween party and made the whole school feel part of the celebration.

Halloween Party

The Halloween party was one of the highlights of October. Students and teachers came in costume, worked in teams to solve the puzzles in the escape room, and showed their creativity at pumpkin carving. Some students also took home small prizes.

It was a day full of teamwork, laughter and Halloween spirit.