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from the International Student Program



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Our theme verse for this school year is “Let all who seek you rejoice and be glad in you! And let those who love Your salvation say continually, ‘Let God be magnified” (Psalm 70:4).

We are praising God for all that He has done and is doing in our international program this fall. In addition to welcoming our returning 3 Chinese boys and Ethiopian senior, we were pleased to welcome two Korean girls (8th & 10th grade) and a 9th grade Chinese boy to our international student population this fall.



Senior Spotlight: Joseph Gu

Joseph Gu (China) has spent his entire high school career at JCS and has been involved in basketball, Royal Players, and plans to join the golf team this spring. Here are his responses to a few questions:

Share about your favorite International Club event:

I really liked the go-karts one, it was short but fun (because I won).

What is your favorite thing about JCS:

JCS' teachers really care about students' studies.

Share one of your favorite host family memories:

This year's Halloween event, that basically everybody's carved pumpkins were gnawed by deers except mine.

What are your plans after graduation?

I think (more like hope) to get into MSU. Because I've heard that they have the best music programs in the state.

God uses “No, but...”

We continue to rejoice over God's provision of host families for each of our students. It was a faith-stretching and faith-building summer as we worked and waited on the Lord. Mr. Barney was confident that God would provide host families for each of the students that He brought to JCS and encouraged us to continue to trust God to provide. Although one family regrettably had to decline from hosting this year, they wrote a letter to their church family and shared our urgent need. In less than 24 hours, we received a phone call inquiring about hosting, which led to the provision of our final placement. We are so thankful for the way God works and continue to be in awe. Let God be magnified!

Applications for host families will be opening up again in the new year. If you have any interest in joining us in this ministry (whether it is by opening your home or giving your loaves and two fishes in another way), please contact Alexis Gundy (313) 380 - 1879.



International Club Highlights



Students started off the school year with an outdoor Pops Concert in downtown Jackson.

A former host family invited our students over for an evening with a bonfire and games. Fun was had by all!



Students gathered for an afternoon at Jackson Coffee Company for warm drinks and games.



Our students gathered together for our annual Christmas party and enjoyed a gingerbread building contest, gift exchange, and lots of laughter!

Merry Christmas!

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