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ACADEMIC HIGHLIGHTS - DECEMBER

In December, classes went by quickly for AUAP students! They were busy finishing projects, presentations, and final exams. To celebrate the end of the quarter, we had a Closing Celebration where AUAP students were given certificates for successfully completing Fall Quarter in IEP!





Our Closing Celebration had a Christmas theme. AUAP students decorated cookies and played Christmas games with all of their IEP classmates. It was a fun way to finish the quarter before Winter Break!













Weekly Communication Lab:

Every week AUAP students join their IEP classmates, classroom volunteers, and TESOL practicum students in an hour of learning new slang and common phrases and playing games or free conversation. It's been a huge success and a great way for students to practice their English!





Co-Curricular Field Trips: As part of their IEP classes, AUAP students went on several field trips this month, including going to the local art and historical museum, to the campus career fair, to local businesses, and to Padilla Bay estuary to see where fresh water and salt water mix to create unique plant and animal communities. They were able to touch some of the

sea animals in a touch tank. They said the sea cucumbers were slimy!







Coming of Age Celebration:

We celebrated Coming of Age celebration with a small event in our AUAP Experience class. Students received flowers, cupcakes, and certificates and were happy to receive a special message from Asia University President Nagatsuna!

Bowling Party:

Our two wonderful IPAs, Michelle and Ryu, organized a bowling party for all students at a local, favorite bowling alley. IPA groups competed against each other, but all had fun! They had so much fun in fact, they wanted to stay longer! It was also a great way to bond with new classmates that joined IEP in Winter Quarter too!





