

WWU-AUAP 2024C2 Newsletter #4

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MAKE WAVES.



Group photo in front of Old Main on a chilly, snowy day!

Closing Ceremony: Our Closing Ceremony was a time to celebrate the accomplishments our students made during their 5-months at WWU. Several awards were given out including Outstanding Student, Most Improved, and Most Inspiring. Two students were also given Perfect Attendance awards! Two students gave speeches about how their AUAP experience had changed them and they brought tears to many eyes! The celebration wrapped up with a dessert reception and lots of pictures with friends, IEP classmates, roommates, classroom volunteers and more! With only a few weeks of AUAP left in February, AUAP students were busy finishing up exams, projects, and presentations in their IEP classes. They also continued to participate in several ongoing class exchanges with WWU classes. Our AUAP students have become friends with many of of the WWU students they've met through these class exchanges, so it's been such a positive experience for all involved!













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As the Closing Ceremony wrapped up, students took more pictures with their IEP classmates and of the beautiful sunset over Bellingham Bay from the Viking Union, where the Closing Ceremony was held.



Departure Day: AUAP students left Bellingham early in the morning on February 14 for the airport in Seattle. It was a sad farewell, but we hope that students may be able to visit WWU and 'Bellinghome' again someday!





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