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My time spent in Japan was a very memorable experience. It was my first time in Japan and away from my parents. I was lucky to have such a nice host family and I made many new friends.

When I went to my host sister's school I thought it was nice that everyone wanted to talk with me and sit next to me in class. I enjoyed the trips spent with the group especially when we went to Hiroshima and Miyajima Island. I enjoyed spending time with my host family and I appreciate everything they did for me. Some things I found interesting were the way that Japanese people were very polite when driving and also how much they wanted to try and communicate with a foreigner.

I would like to travel the world someday and I believe that this trip has set me in the right direction. I am continuing to do Japanese up until year 13 because I think it would be helpful for when I travel. I would like to thank Newton and Cheryl for coming with us on the trip and also to The City Council for their hard work.

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