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### My Summer Holidays

I had a very busy summer holiday. I had lots of summer courses, including a Spanish class, Japanese class, flute class, ukulele class, etc. Although I was so busy, my family and I made time to visit Deep Water Bay once.

On that day, we woke up very early. We were excited. When we arrived at the beach, I jumped into the water without hesitation. The water was so cool so I felt relaxed. It was so much fun! Mum and my sister then joined us. We played in the water and kept on splashing water at each other. We played in the sea until lunch. My family and I took our belongings to the barbecue site nearby. We had a delicious meal. The taste of the food was tremendous! Then we played sand ball. We had a game and we tried our best to get a point. We played very happily. Finally my sister won. I felt disappointed and sad so I sobbed and cried. When my mum found out about this, she said, "It's OK. It's just a game. Don't feel sad. Let me buy you an ice cream." Mum came back a few minutes later with an ice cream. I was overexcited and I shouted, "Hooray!" I grabbed the ice cream and ate it as quickly as I could. In the evening, we went home and had our dinner. I was so tired that I fell asleep very quickly.

I enjoyed the summer holidays very much. I look forward to having another trip to the beach.

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This summer, I visited my dream country - the United Kingdom. We spent two weeks there. We visited a lot of places such as Windsor, York, Oxford, the Lake District, Cambridge and London. The most memorable places were Alnwick Castle and the Warner Brothers Studio Tour - the Making of Harry Potter.

In Alnwick Castle, my brother and I joined their resident wizarding professors and took part in their famous broomstick training lessons, on the very spot where Harry had his first flying lesson in the film production of Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone. With the professor's expert guidance, we learnt the basics of mastering a broomstick. We had a magical time on the broomstick!

However, the highlight of this trip was the Warner Brothers Studio Tour - the Making of Harry Potter. During the tour, my family and I saw some original costumes. We stepped into the Forbidden Forest, Diagon Alley, and even Platform 9&3/4. We were actually fascinated by the stunning view of the Hogwarts Express. We also saw Professor Snape's poison classroom and Professor Dumbledore's office! However, the most impressive was the Hogwarts Castle. It was gigantic and absolutely gorgeous. It was just like we were really in front of the Hogwart School of Witchcraft and Wizardary. Actually, that was a huge model. However, it looked real!

This trip to the United Kingdom was really exciting. It was full of mysterious and also magical moments. I hope I can visit the United Kingdom again!